

One of the features sections of the newspaper will be **Teacher Spotlights**. Read the Titan Times On-Line bi-weekly to learn more about our staff.



TEACHER FEATURE

Mrs. Maske

By: Sydnie Schultz and
Brendan Henkelman

Señora Maske is a new teacher in our high school this year. She is the freshman-senior Spanish teacher.

She has been teaching Spanish for eight years, and for seven of those years, she taught at East Sac County High School.

Mrs. Maske graduated from Belmont Klemme High School. She then went to college at Iowa Central and Buena Vista with a major in Spanish and Education.

She enjoys being a teacher, because she can make a difference in students and work with many people. She enjoys teaching teenagers things they will not learn from other people. Mrs. Maske says, "I do not just teach them Spanish, I teach them about life."

Mr. Lantz

By: Keaton Hammen,
Chase Mosbach, and
Colten Mosbach

"White rabbit," was the first thing Mr. Lantz said when interviewed, his way of indicating the first day of the month. This type of comment is one of the fun loving quirks students have come to expect from the ag teacher.

Mr. Lantz has been teaching thirty-six years, starting at Lytton, going to Rockwell City, and finally moving to the Lake City building.

He attended Iowa Western college at Clarinda and finished his teaching degree at Iowa State University.

Mr. Lantz didn't always want to be a teacher, but felt directed after there wasn't a place left for him back on the farm.

He decided to teach agriculture because of his background and for the opportunity to do something for the Lord. His favorite part of teaching is seeing his students become successful, as well as helping them get their Iowa degrees.

Mr. Handlos

By: Lindsey Sweeney and
Cody Schumacher

If you ask the question, "who is a great teacher, has fun classes, and is a routine guy," most of the students from SCC would answer with, "Mr. Handlos!"

Mr. Handlos has been a teacher for the district for twelve years. It wasn't always his occupation; however, for a vast majority of his adult life, he ran a farming operation. After making the late life decision to teach, Mr. Handlos said, "The reason I got into it is I was looking for something I could do and enjoy; I wanted to help young people."

The best part of teaching, according to Mr. Handlos, is working with young people who bring excitement, while the negative aspect is the people who don't appreciate the opportunities they have.

Mr. Handlos' favorite subject to teach is American History. He enjoys teaching what we have done as a nation, where it has taken us to, and the lessons we can learn.

Upcoming Events . . .

- 10-31 GRADES DUE BY NOON
- 11-1 2NE QUARTER BEGINS
PICTURE RETAKES
1 HR EARLY DISMISSAL
PT CONFERENCES
- 11-3 1 HR EARLY DISMISSAL
PT CONFERENCES
- 11-4 NO SCHOOL
- 11-5 CHEER COMPETITION @
DES MOINES
STATE SWIM MEET
- 11-6 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME
- 11-7 GIRLS BBALL BEGINS
BOYS SWIMMING BEGINS
- 11-8 NHS TAPPING
- 11-14 BOYS BBALL BEGINS
WRESTLING BEGINS
- 11-17 ALL-STATE BAND/VOCAL
(THURS, FRI, SAT)

If he wasn't a teacher, Handlos' dream job would be to still do something to help other people. Mr. Handlos is not only an amazing teacher, but is also a great person who genuinely cares for his students and other people around him. SCC is grateful to have him!





Austin Wiskus

By: Myk Schoop

Senior Austin Wiskus has many plans after high school. He would like to become an audio engineer. Austin is looking forward to having his life together and donating his checks to charities.

The sense of humor everyone has is what Austin will miss the most about high school. His favorite high school memory was watching movies in Mr. Handlos's class.

In ten years, Austin sees himself having a fulfilling job and being

married with children.

In his free time, Austin enjoys watching *Nightmare on Elm Street* and would love to travel to Japan. He enjoys playing song covers, posting them on the internet, and getting recognition.



Anastasia Sackfield

By: Sydnie Schultz

After high school, Anastasia plans to go to college in Chicago at the Art Institute or Columbia. She wants to major in animation.

In high school, she has been involved in cross country, track, speech,

band, academic decathlon, National Honor Society, and 4-H. Her favorite pastimes are sleeping, reading a good book, and spending time with her friends.

The thing she will miss most about high school is being able to see her

friends every day. Anastasia's advice to underclassmen is, "Do as many things as possible, because time is going to go by really fast. Do a lot in high school to make a lot of memories."



Brendan Henkelman

Brendan Henkelman is an eighteen year-old senior at South Central Calhoun. He is involved in a range of activities such as football, basketball, track, speech, and FFA. After high school, Brendan plans to go to college and become a banker. His advice to under-

classmen is to take as many college courses as they can.

Looking back on his time in high school, Brendan decided that his best memory is of the football team making district championship his junior year. Seeing his friends is what he'll miss the most. However, he is

looking forward to living in a bigger city.

Brendan's favorite pastime is watching or playing sports. His favorite film is *Forrest Gump*. "Carry on My Wayward Son" by Kansas is his favorite song. He would like to travel to an ocean since he has never seen one, and in a movie based off of his life, he would be played by Tom Hanks.



From the Eye of the Student

True Grit

By: Seth Stamp

In *True Grit*, a young girl named Maddie Ross travels to a small town to gather her father's belongings after he was murdered by his employee Tom Chaney. Maddie has her own plan. While in town, she enlists the help of U.S. Marshall Rooster Cogburn to help her find Chaney. Another man, LaBoeuf, who is also chasing Chaney, decides to tag along. The three embark on a long and dangerous journey.

This book will keep you on the edge of your seat with its action packed scenes and its suspenseful chapters. The book is well written, and you will want to read it multiple times. This is a great book to read on a slow day or a lazy weekend.

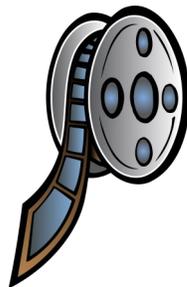


Sinister

By: Jordan Ludwig

Sinister is a 2012 horror movie starring Ethan Hawke. The film follows the story of a true crime author looking for inspiration for his next novel. He moves his family to the house formerly occupied by a murdered family whose youngest daughter went missing. Upon moving in, he finds a mess of films documenting the murder of numerous families.

Sinister, while it has a few instances of jump scares, does not rely solely on shock value or the element of surprise. The film is profoundly unique in its gore-minimalistic approach. Rather than going for cheap thrills, the film is deeply unsettling. It may not make you jump out of your seat, but it can set a rock in your stomach faster than anything else.



Publications

By: Lindsey Sweeney

When the yearbook class dissolved and the publications class was formed, there was a spur of interest in the new group. Publications started out a little rough, but we have accomplished a lot, such as senior spotlights, newspaper articles, and yearbook layouts. We have plans to make the yearbook great, and improve our writing skills.

We are being advised by English teacher Mrs. Bruder, with assistance from student teacher Mrs. Poppen. Mrs. Bruder filled the void left when former technology teacher Ms. Fortune retired. Mrs. Bruder has a group of twenty-one students, with some being editors, picture managers, and advertising directors.

The publications class has a great year ahead of them, and cannot wait to keep the communities informed on the coming school year.



