

Hagler Joins the Staff



A new, yet familiar smile will replace Mrs. Tami Smith in the front office of the school. Starting on May 21st, Heather Hagler became the friendly face to greet visitors to the school.

"I'm looking forward to being part of the wonderful staff at Arnold Public Schools. I am a lifetime learner and having the opportunity to learn new skills is always a plus for me. I think the best part of the job will be building new relationships with the kid-dos, parents, and staff," said Hagler.

Tami is the daughter of Ken and Peg Myer and grew up north of Broken Bow. She

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Left to right: son, Tad and wife Kim Geiser, sister Phylis Anderson, brother Stan Roethemeyer, Melva Geiser, sister Joyce and husband Gary Jessie.

Farewell Party

By: Kenna Rogers, Junior

On Tuesday, May 8, all Arnold Public Schools students gathered outside to watch the unveiling of the buddy bench. Melva Geiser first brought this bench to the teachers' attention last fall. She wanted to know if they would all pitch in. Most the teachers had not heard of a buddy bench, but the idea fascinated them. They contacted a company to talk prices.

"We kicked the idea around for awhile, but when we heard that Mrs. Geiser was retiring, we figured it would be a great farewell gift," said Mr. Swingle. The teachers pulled together and ordered the bench.

The buddy bench works like this; if a student is feeling lonely then they sit on the bench. When another student sees them sitting

on a bench, they walk over and ask the kid to join them in a fun activity. They are great for students at a new school, anyone that needs a friend, if your friends aren't at school, and if you want to play new games with new people.

There are rules to the buddy bench! If you sit on the bench, and are invited to play, you join them, no fuss no muss. If you are not on the bench, be kind and ask someone to play. In general always check the bench to make sure no one is left out.

Every seven minutes in America a child is bullied, the bench gives students a safe space on the playground. "I wish I could solve all of our students problems, but I hope this is a step in the right direction," said Geiser.

Students Help APS Become More “Green”

By: Landyn Cole, Sophomore

Throughout the years, Arnold Public Schools has thought of new ways to be “green.” A big addition to the school’s conservation efforts is the Junior Honor Society’s recycling project they began at the start of the 2017 school year.



Each year, the JHS members choose a major project they will complete throughout the year. This year the members chose to make our school more environmentally friendly by placing recycling boxes throughout the school for used paper. They also placed a couple of trash cans within the school specifically

to recycle plastic bottles.

As of May 15, 2018, the Junior Honor Society has recycled a total of 1,217 pounds in paper and 68 pounds in plastic bottles!

Realizing how impactful and successful this project was, the JHS members have chosen to continue this project in the coming years, and are working to make the project more permanent for our school. The group is in the process of purchasing plastic tubs to place in each classroom of the school. The plastic tubs will be sturdier than the cardboard boxes they currently use, and there will also be more of them throughout the school, meaning more paper will be recycled!



Other groups at APS are also working to make the school a better place! “On March 12th the Arnold Youth Leadership in Custer County (YLCC) students received word that the Custer County Foundation approved our grant for \$500 to apply towards an ezH2O water fountain. The water fountain will benefit Arnold’s athletes, students, and guests by providing refreshing water to fill water bottles as well as helping reduce the number of plastic bottles to support the school’s reduce – reuse – recycling efforts,” according to an article regarding the refill station by Shaylee Jones.

Clearly the students at Arnold Public Schools care about the environment and have made it a top priority to ensure their school environment is as eco-friendly as possible!

SCHEDULE FOR HIGH SCHOOL AND MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

Weekday Schedule: (52 Minute Periods)

8:00-8:52 1st
8:54-9:46 2nd
9:46-9:52 Break
9:52-10:44 3rd
10:46-11:38 4th
11:40-12:32 5th
12:32-1:02 Lunch
1:04-1:56 6th
1:58-2:50 7th
2:52-3:44 8th

Friday Schedule: (44 Minute Periods)

8:00-8:44 1st
8:46-9:30 2nd
9:30-9:36 Break
9:38-10:22 3rd
10:22-11:06 4th
11:08-11:52 5th
11:52-12:22 Lunch
12:24-1:08 6th
1:10-1:54 7th
1:56-2:40 8th

10:00 Late Start Schedule

10:00-10:37 1st
10:39-11:16 2nd
11:18-11:55 3rd
11:57-12:34 4th
12:34-1:08 Lunch
1:10-1:46 5th
1:48-2:25 6th
2:27-3:04 7th
3:06-3:44 8th

Smith Competes Well at State Geography Bee

By: Kenna Rogers, Junior

It’s that time of year again, time for the Junior High Honor Society to hold the Geography Bee. Students must go through a series of tests. It starts off with class exams; the classes do a written and oral test. The winner of the class goes on to participate in the school bee- this is an oral exam. If they win the school bee, they end up taking an online test to see if they can qualify for state. .

Last year one of our very own, Colbi Smith, made it all the way to the state bee. Colbi and I discussed the process of the state bee.

They started off with opening ceremonies, “The Governor’s wife made a speech about how the program started and how it was beneficial for the participating students. That made me feel like my accomplishments were important,” said Smith.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies, the 100 attending students were split into five groups of twenty. They joined a moderator and headed to the Science Center. The groups were put into classrooms, where they were seated at college desks in alphabetical order, and introduced to the room of spectators. The contestants are given one practice round, the students had a 50/ 50 chance of getting the answer right. After practice, students went into eight prelim rounds, each round had one question for each student. They tallied up your correct answers, if you had six correct answers you got to stay for the next round. After all the rounds, the 100 were soon weeded out to 10. There were at least 30 kids that made it to tiebreaker rounds. One group even went through 14 rounds worth of tiebreakers.

For finals the students went back to the Alumni Center. On the stage there were 10 students five on each side of the microphone. Finals consisted of no multiple choice. The kids got two chances, when they got two wrong they were out. When they got down to two kids they entered a new round and each were asked the same questions. At the end of three questions, the kid with the most points won.

“11,000 students in Nebraska competed for an opportunity to compete at state, only 100 of those students made it. I was so honored to be one of those 100, it was a great experience that I will cherish,” said Smith.



State Track Results

Just in case you missed it, congratulations to our State Track participants!!

- High Jump- Drew Vickers 16th place
- Shot Put- Jessi Sallach 16th place
- Discus- Jessi Sallach 11th place
- Long Jump- Taylor Conroy 25th place
- 100M- Jadeyn Bubak, Leighton Bubak 5th Place
- 200M- Jadeyn Bubak 6th Place
- 800- Kalen Dockweiler 4th Place
- 1600M Run- Spencer Johnson 23rd place, Landyn Cole 22nd Place
- 3200M Run- Cooper Taylor 15th place
- 4X800 Relay- Landon Furne, Kalen Dockweiler, Blake Brown, Cooper Taylor 14th place
- 4X100 Relay- Boys- Landon Furne, Jack Rush, Blake Schwarz, Leighton Bubak 6th place
- 4X100 Relay- Girls- Atlynn Witthuhn, Taylor Conroy, Saffron Phillips, Jadeyn Bubak 12th place
- 4X400 Relay- Jack Rush, Kalen Dockweiler, Blake Brown, Landon Furne 5th Place

The boys team finished 20th overall. The girls finished 15th overall.

Upcoming ACT Test Dates:

Test Date	Deadline	Late Deadline
September 8, 2018**	August 10, 2018	August 11-26, 2018
October 27, 2018	September 28, 2018	September 29-October 14, 2018
December 8, 2018	November 2, 2018	November 3-19, 2018
February 9, 2019*	January 11, 2019	January 12-18, 2019
April 13, 2019	March 8, 2019	March 9-25, 2019
June 8, 2019	May 3, 2019	May 4-20, 2019
July 13, 2019*	June 14, 2019	June 15-24, 2019

One Act Activities

- The One Act team and Mrs. Crow hosted the Crane River Theater actors from the play Madagascar this summer.
- The student will also be attending the Crane River Theater workshops in early August.

- Of course they are also helping with SORC t-shirt sales.
- Most importantly, be watching for announcements for tryouts in the very near future. I hear a play has been chosen!

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graduated from high school in 2002.

She then went off to college at UNK where she got her Bachelor of Science Degree in Psychobiology. She graduated in May 2007.

Along the way she married Zach Hagler in August of 2007. They have three children: Rae, 3rd grade; Ruby, kindergartener; and Reese who is 1.

Heather began as a pharmacy technician at Holcomb Pharmacy in Broken Bow. I wanted to be closed to Arnold, so I became an Insurance agent for Arnold Insurance Agency in 2008. She was there for 3 years then decided to leave that position to be with my growing family and opened Homegrown Kids Daycare in 2011.

“It will be fun to see my own kiddos everyday in the hallways and lunchroom. I am also happy that I will still see my school age daycare kids on a regular basis. When I told them I would see them at lunch everyday, they were very excited and that melted my heart,” she said.

On the lighter side, her favorite books are romantic comedies; her favorite movies are the Lion King and the Little Mermaid, and her favorite food is “my mom’s homemade Runzas.” When she is tired and cranky she likes plain black iced coffee with a little bit of cream and dark chocolate.

“I told everyone that I would never be able to call Mrs. Badgley by her first name, because she was my 7th grade English teacher, she will forever be Mrs. Badgley to me! I even got the Shel Silverstein award!” Hagler commented.

The kids always like to ask: On a scale from Spongebob to Squidward, how fun are you? Heather chuckled and replied “I am Sandy the Squirrel.”

Quarter 4 and Semester 2 Honor Roll
2017-2018

	Quarter 4	Semester 2
	6th Grade	
Trey Connell	2 A's 4 B's	5 B's 1 A
Cache Gracey		2A's 4 B's
Gracie Neth	5 A's 1 B	5 A's 1 B
Logan Recoy	3 A's 3 B's	4 A's 2 B's
Rio Remund	2 A's 4 B's	6B's
Delaney Rogers	6 A's	6 A's
Madison Smith	3 A's 3 B's	3A's 3 B's
Brendan Streit		3A's 3 B's
Charli Vickers	3 A's 3 B's	4A's 2 B's
	7th Grade	
Silas Cool	4 A's 1 B's	5 A's
Lance Jones	5 A's	5 A's
Halie Recoy	5 A's 1 B's	4 A's 2 B's
Clay Witthuhn	3 A's 2 B	3 A's 2 B's
	8th Grade	
Faith Bierman	3 A's 2 B's	4 A's 1 B
Reagan Cool	6 A's	6 A's
Raylee Downing	2 A's 3 B's	3 A's 2 B's
Stella Lewis	4 A's 2 B's	4 A's 2 B's
Colbi Smith	2 A's 3 B's	2 A's 3 B's
	9th Grade	
Sofia Atkins	4 A's 3 B's	4 A's 3 B's
Jadeyn Bubak	7 A's	7 A's
Landyn Cole	6 A's	6 A's
Sam Cool	6 A's	5 A's 1 B's
Kacee Dvorak	4 A's 2 B's	4 A's 2 B's
Kylee Lehmkuhler	5 A's 2 B's	5 A's 2 B's
Bailey Schwarz	4 A's 2 B's	4 A's 2 B's
	10th Grade	
Jace Connell	2 A's 5 B's	2 A's 5 B's
Kenna Rogers	3 A's 4 B's	4 A's 3 B's
Max Werner	1 A's 6 B's	2 A's 5 B's
	11th Grade	
Leighton Bubak	7 A's	7 A's
Jarret Buchholz	5 A's 3 B's	6 A's 2 B's
Lydia Connell	7 A's 1 B	7 A's 1 B
Tatum Cool		6 A's 2 B's
	12th Grade	
Cade Connell	6 A's	6 A's
Shaylee Jones	5 A's 1 B's	4 A's 2 B's
Madison Reed	4 A's 2 B's	3 A's 3 B's
Blake Schwarz	3 A's 3 B's	

Hard At Work
Summer School Improvements

By: Kylee Lehmkuhler, Sophomore.

The Arnold School House Graphics program was hard at work this summer. Not only did they work on their usual clients' requests, they helped with improvements on the school.

There were many small things done throughout the school. They made some finishing touches on 2017's summer renovations, such as finishing the coach's office, finishing the kitchen, and putting up new doors in some places.

Last summer's renovation also brought new air conditioners to a majority of the classrooms. This summer the old classroom air conditioners were taken out, and replaced with windows.

They are replacing siding and replacing with stucco to make the building look great.

Tile throughout most of the main hallways was laid by Jimmy Davenport. New carpet was laid in the 6th grade, first and second grades rooms.

Ruth and Craig refinished the wooden floor near the old gym and brought it back to life.

New paint was needed through most of hallways as well. Most of the hallways were painted by Cody Erstrom, Eli Taylor, Colby Streit and Jake Halstead. The boys locker room was repainted by Craig.

The hallway above the old gym began its renovation when the Arnold art students Ceclia Wonch, Eli Taylor, Cooper and Drew headed up a painting crew to paint a mural designed by Cooper Atkins and Drew Vickers.

Underground wiring was needed for the message board located outside of the school.

March Was
MADNESS

By: Cade Connell, Senior

The first games of March Madness began on March 15th, and games were played almost every day until the Championship game on April 2nd.

Every year, Mr. Lewis does his own bracket challenge. All the kids in his classes fill a bracket out and at the end of the tournament they add up all the games and whoever has the lowest score wins.

This year Tatum Cool won. "It doesn't make any sense," said Trey Connell. "She filled out her bracket on how cool the team's mascots were."

Bryn Schwarz finished second after the final buzzer sounded.

Rio Remund finished third place. Many upsets were claimed this year, most of which came in the South. Virginia (1) lost to UMBC (16) by a whopping 20 points. Arizona(4) lost to Buffalo(13) by 21 points.

Loyola Chicago was the biggest upset of the entire tournament beating Miami in the first round then having a Cinderella run all the way to the Final Four. Marshall (13) beat Wichita State (4) by 6 points.

Villanova finished the tournament victorious heating Michigan 79-62. Basically, the game was decided at half. Villanova was up 37-28, and it just got worse from there.



Football
Announcements
2018

- Football practice will begin August 6th at 7:30 a.m. in Callaway.
- We will leave from Arnold at 7:00 a.m.
- Physicals need to be complete and on file in the office.
- Helmets are the only piece of equipment allowed the first 2 days.

Thank You,
Coach Schwarz





Left: Shayla Tickle, William Moninger, Jamie Tickle, Hudson Vickers, Lance Jones, and Rudy Vickers finished up with another new tree.

AJHS Helps the Arnold Cemetery

The Arnold Junior Honor Society spent an afternoon cleaning up the cemetery and also planting some new trees. The Rotary Club asked the AJHS to help with their project as helpers and the kids gladly agreed.



Jamie Tickle, Clay Mohr and Lance Jones finish planting a new tree.

Several adults helped with the project: Duane Bowers, Robbi Smith with his son Colbi, and Clay Mohr assisted.

South Loup Golfers Swing through the 2018 Season

By: Landyn Cole, APS Sophomore

South Loup Invite

ARNOLD GOLF

COURSE-- The South Loup golfers were successful in their first meet of the 2018 season! The Bobcats had home-course advantage, as the meet was the South Loup invite, held at the Arnold golf course.

The Bobcats placed 4th as a team, and medaled one golfer-- Junior Tayten Eggleston.

Eggleston finished the 18 holes with a score of 96, placing him 10th. Junior Dane Rynearson golfed a 104, finishing in 17th place. The winner of the meet, Kyler Peck of Sutherland, golfed a 79.

“The weather provided us for good opportunities to score well. I think the area I can improve most on is my putting,” commented Eggleston.

The South Loup team had 4 players golfing varsity, and 2 golfing JV. Junior Tayten Eggleston is ranked 1st on the team, followed by Junior Garret Hrupek in 2nd, Junior Dane Rynearson in 3rd, and Senior Grady Lashley in 4th. The SLB Junior Varsity golfers are Freshmen Logan Peterson and Jesse Connell.

“I think that after our first meet we set a good benchmark to see where we all are at the beginning of the season and where we have to improve from. After getting the first meet out of the way the nervousness should start to decline and our golf game should incline. The best part about this sport is that you can socialize and have a little fun while doing it,” said Lashley.

Hershey Invite

OREGON TRAILS GOLF

COURSE-- The South Loup golf team traveled to the Oregon Trails golf course on April 12. The team did not place individual golfers, but several SLB team members improved their golf scores from the previous meet.

South Loup golfer Junior Garrett Hrupek took 3 strokes off of his score and showed an 11-stroke improvement from his first nine holes to his second nine.

“My score improved from last week because I was able to focus more on the fundamentals of my golf game. I was concentrating more on how to make the ball go

where I wanted to hit it rather than just hit the ball towards the hole,” commented Hrupek.

Junior Varsity golfer Freshmen Logan Peterson also improved. Peterson took 6 strokes off of his score from the previous week.

Junior Tayten Eggleston remained consistent, turning in a score of 96 to lead the South Loup Bobcats.

Senior Grady Lashley also golfed this week, but teammate Dane Rynearson did not participate in this meet due to illness.

Due to the absence of Rynearson, Freshman Jesse Connell golfed as a Varsity member at this week's meet. Connell did not disappoint and golfed a 125, taking off 7 strokes from the previous meet.

Given the windy conditions of the day, the team performed well and continue to improve!

MNAC

MULLEN-- The SLB golf team made their way to Mullen's course for this year's MNAC competition on April 26!

The Bobcat team pulled out 4th place with a team score of 461. The 2018 MNAC champions were Mullen, followed by Anslemo-Merna in second and Sandhills-Thedford in 3rd.

In addition to the team placing, SLB golfer Tayten Eggleston placed 10th, golfing a 106.

Many improvements were made this week, noticeably in golfer Logan Peterson, who took off 22 strokes from the previous meet. Grady Lashley also showed improvement, knocking 10 strokes off of his score from the last meet.

“I was able to improve my score so drastically due to all the practicing. I've had lots of help with my drive and worked on getting the ball off the ground,” said Peterson.

Overton Invite

OVERTON-- The Bobcat golfers turned around the morning after the MNAC golf meet to head to Overton for the Overton Invite on April 27. The meet was a big one, with 12 teams and over 50 golfers competing.

South Loup only brought 3 golfers to the meet: Tayten Eggleston, Grady Lashley, and Logan Peterson. All three golfers were successful in that they improved their second 9 holes from their first

9 holes. Peterson knocked off 14 strokes from his first 9 to his second 9, and Lashley shed off 3 strokes.

Eggleston lead the team yet again this week, golfing his best score of the year. Eggleston finished the 18 holes with a total of 92. He improved as he went, golfing a 49 on his first 9 holes and a 43 on his second 9 holes.

Sandhills-Thedford Invite

THEDFORD-- On May 7, the South Loup golfers golfed at the Sandhills-Thedford Invitational and medaled one golfer-- Tayten Eggleston. This meet was originally scheduled to be held on April 19, but was postponed due to weather.

South Loup had 5 golfers participate in this meet: Eggleston, Hrupek, Lashley, Peterson, and Connell. The five golfers finished with a combined score of 434.

Eggleston was on top of his game, golfing his personal best, scoring an 87. This placed him very high, bringing home 4th place.

“My scores continue to improve because I'm concentrating more and have more consistency in my swing,” said Eggleston.

Garrett Hrupek was South Loup's next best golfer for the day, golfing an impressive 96.

Mullen Invite

MULLEN-- The golf team went to Mullen's course on May 9 for the Mullen Invitational.

As the highschool men's golf season is on the downhill slide, the SLB golfers' scores continue to go down. The overall team score also improved from a 434 the previous meet to a 429.

Eggleston matched his personal best score this week, golfing an 87, placing him 9th.

Hrupek golfed his best that day as well, taking 3 strokes off from the Thedford meet to finish with a score of 93.

Freshmen Jesse Connell and Logan Peterson also improved from the previous meet; Connell decreased his score by 5 strokes and Peterson improved by 4.

At districts, which took place at Ewing, no golfers placed, but the team undoubtedly had a successful season.



Back row left to right- Kenna Rogers, Laney Badgley, Britta-ny Ellison, Angelina Harter Middle Row- Delanie Pinkerton, Kinsey Pflaster, Sharon Jones Front Row- Lila Bloomer

New Cheer Squad for 18-19

By: Lena Biel, Cheer Coach

The 2018-2019 South Loup Cheerleaders are hard at work already! They started off with a week of practice in April where the girls learned cheers, jumps, and a short dance routine followed by try-outs.

The girls began having practice in June and will continue to carry-out practice through the rest of the summer and school year.

During practice they are learning and perfecting cheers so they are ready for our first home football and volleyball games!

The girls completed a day cheer camp in Callaway on July 9th, with the Cozad cheerleading squad, where they learned different techniques and two fun but difficult dance routines, which we are excited to perform during the year!

We are also staying busy with fundraisers this summer as well. We will be serving supper for the Devils Den Bike Rally and helping with SORC.

We are looking forward to cheering on our South Loup Bobcats this year!!

Coke Cap Collection

You can help out the school by collecting your Coke product bottle caps and numbers on the inside of Coke product boxes. We accept caps and cardboard cutouts from the products you get from convenience stores, the grocery stores, vending machines, at ball games, and other places that may all have the promotional codes on them. Coca-cola committed itself to supporting education by enabling schools to collect donated points and then redeem them for a variety of school rewards including playground equipment, supplies, classroom materials, cameras, sound equipment, and more. You can send your Coke caps (and other Coke products) to the school office and they will redeem them. For more information, you can go to the <http://www.mycokerewards.com/schools>. Thank you for your support.



School Calendar Subscription NEW!

If you are interested in subscribing to the school calendar on your phone or computer, there is a new address to use. (Last year's calendar runs out very soon.)

Type in the following address, or copy and paste the address from the announcement tab on the school web page. http://ical.schedulestar.com/iCal_NOW.cfm?i=12435EDA-BE50-E29D-644F86352E7C93E3

As the calendar is updated, your calendar will update too!



Arnold Public Schools Supplies List 2018



Kindergarten Supplies:

- * 1 backpack
- * 1 rectangular pencil box
- * 1 pair of scissors
- * 1 large eraser
- * 2 24 count boxes of crayons
- * 6 yellow pencils
- * 6 glue sticks
- * Headphones (no ear buds) in a labeled Ziploc bag
- * PE Shoes- these will stay at school
- * Extra pair of clothes (no shorts) in a labeled Ziploc bag
- * Please label supplies*

Wish List Items:

- * Stickers
- * Clorox/Lysol wipes
- * Hand sanitizer
- * Band aids

First Grade Supplies:

- * Rectangular Plastic pencil box
- * Extra pair of clothes (no shorts) in a labeled zip-lock bag
- * 1 large box of Kleenex
- * 1 box of Crayola classic broad line markers (10 count)
- * 1 box of colored pencils
- * 1 box of Crayola crayons (16 or 24 count)
- **Please leave markers, colored pencils, and crayons in boxes!**
- * 4 pink erasers
- * Scissors
- * 1-three ring view binder (white, 1 inch, clear pockets on cover)
- * PE Shoes-these will stay at school
- * 2 containers of Play-doh

Important Schoology will be our main form of communication so please set up your account before the beginning of the school year!

Second Grade Supplies:

- * 1 backpack
- * 1 pair of shoes for PE (never been worn outside)
- * 1 small pencil box
- * 1 box of Kleenex
- * 1 box of 24 crayons
- * 1 box of colored pencils
- * 2 boxes of yellow #2 pencils—no mechanical pencils
- * 1 big pink eraser
- * 1 pair of scissors
- * Glue sticks
- * 2 wide ruled notebooks
- * 2 plastic 2 pocket folders (no fasteners in the middle)



3rd Grade Supplies:

- * 3 red pens
- * 2 wooden rulers
- * 1 big pink eraser
- * 1 large boxes of Kleenex scissors (Fiskars are great!)
- * 4 glue sticks
- * 1 box of colored pencils
- * 1 box of crayons
- * 1 binder (1" wide)
- * 4 12 count packages yellow #2 pencils
- * 3 spiral wide-lined notebooks
- * 3 package of wide-lined loose leaf paper
- * 1 yellow 2 pocket folder (with NO fasteners in the middle)
- * 1 red 2 pocket folder (with NO fasteners in the middle)
- * 1 small package of skinny white board markers
- * 1 large Zipper pencil pouch
- * 1 pair of tennis shoes for PE (never been worn outside)

Donations: (if you want to purchase for our classroom)

- * Large container of Clorox wipes



Fourth Grade Supplies:

- * Lined paper (loose leaf)
 - * Colored pencils (12)
 - * Scissors
 - * Ruler (metric & standard)
 - * Colored grading pen(s)
 - * Expo dry-erase markers
 - * Blue or black ink pen
 - * 3-4 pencils
 - * Eraser (pink works well)
 - * dry-erase marker
 - * Glue stick
 - * Dry-erase board
 - * 2 boxes of tissues
 - * Gym shoes
- There is no room for 3-ring binders.
- Questions? Call Berni Crow at 308-520-1102

5th Grade Supplies:

Essential Supplies:

- * 2 or 3 boxes of tissues
 - * gym shoes, clothes, and towel
 - * gym locker combination lock
 - * 2 packages wide ruled 3-hole filler paper
 - * 1 package red pens
 - * Quality pencils and erasers
 - * EXPO Chisel Tip Black Markers
 - * Pencil pouch
 - * 1 folder
 - * 4 - one subject notebook
- #### Non-essential Supplies:
- * 1 package of graph paper
 - * USB flash drive 2gb or larger
 - * Colored pencils
 - * Rigid ruler (customary and metric)
 - * Scissors
 - * Highlighter
 - * White board eraser

Mr. Lewis

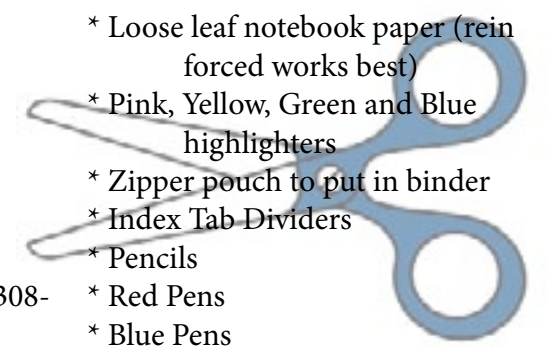
6th Grade Supplies:

- * Ear buds
- * 1- 3 subject note book
- * 2 packs of loose leaf paper; it does NOT have to be 3 ring binder paper but can be
- * 1 ruler
- * 1 eraser
- * Pack of blue pens
- * Pack of red pens
- * 3 boxes of # 2 pencils
- * Scissors
- * High Lighter
- * Dry erase markers
- * White Out
- * 1 box of Kleenex
- * PE shoes, shorts and shirt
- * Combination paddle lock for locker room locker
- * Dress pants and shirt for concerts.

Mrs. Badgley

6th Grade Supplies:

- * 3" Binder
- * Loose leaf notebook paper (reinforced works best)
- * Pink, Yellow, Green and Blue highlighters
- * Zipper pouch to put in binder
- * Index Tab Dividers
- * Pencils
- * Red Pens
- * Blue Pens



From the Superintendent's Desk

It has been a busy summer at APS. I'm extremely proud of the work we have done to brighten up our facilities. We will have new windows throughout the elementary, taking the place of the old window air conditioning units which were replaced over the last two summers. The tile and carpet work we have done looks amazing, and the painting done by SHGP summer workers is much appreciated.

The excitement over the recent earthquakes has given way to frustration for some. The recent cluster of quakes was stronger than those we experienced in April last spring, but fortunately we do not have any damage in the APS buildings. Several area schools, including Callaway, have insurance claims in for cracking walls and caving ceilings. This is completely unexpected for the region.

School supply lists and bus routes are included in this newsletter, so that means it is time to gear up for the 2018-19 year. Get your students thinking about a school sleep schedule again to ease the transition. I know in my own home summer means later mornings and nights, so it will be a challenge for the Lewis's, but we will be ready! I hope you are too! Enjoy the rest of summer break, and I will see you soon!



From the Principal's Desk



Welcome Back!!

As summer break comes to an end, I look forward to welcoming back our students for the 2018-2019 school year. As we head into the new school year, we have been very busy with completing projects around the school. I would like to thank the summer staff for their hard work.

We are excited to welcome our new employees this year as well. Heather Hagler has taken over the role of secretary since May. Mr. Todd Phelps is our new 2nd grade teacher, Rose Bierman and Lea Ann Edelman will be running the kitchen this year, and Christine Fanning and Miranda Fry will be our new Paraeducators.

We will continue to use Schoology this year in the classroom and to communicate with students and parents. We had a number of parents sign up the last 2 years for Schoology and I hope to get more signed up this year. I would also like to encour-

age parents to continue to access Power School as well to track your student's grades and attendance. If you need help getting setup with your accounts, please give us a call here at the school. Blackboard Connect, Facebook, and Twitter will also continue to be used as communication tools.

I am certainly excited to begin another school year with all the great things we have going here at Arnold Public Schools, and it is only possible because of all the hard work that comes from our students, parents, staff, school board, and community.

Calendar for 2018-19 School Year

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September 26	1:30 Dismissal- Teacher In-service
October 12	End 1st Quarter
October 26	No School – Fall Break
November 7	1:30 Dismissal- Teacher In-service
November 21	2:40 Dismiss for Thanksgiving
November 22-23	No School – Thanksgiving Break
December 21	12:00 Dismissal End of 2nd Quarter End of 1st Semester
January 2	Teacher In-service
January 3	School resumes for students
January 18	1:30 Dismissal
February 7	1:30 Dismissal for Students Parent/Teacher Conferences 2:00-8:00
February 8	No School
February 13	1:30 Dismissal- Teacher In-service
March 6	End 3rd Quarter
March 7 & 8	No School – Spring Break
March 20	1:30 Dismissal- Teacher In-service
April 5	No School – Bobcat Track Invite
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Renaissance Home Connect

Watch your child's progress in AR and see their test scores for STAR. Sign up now!

Renaissance Home Connect is fun and easy to use. It allows the teacher, the parent, and the student to share information about your student's progress in Accelerated Reader.

Be watching for a letter to come home on the first day of school with instructions of how to login and how to use the program. You can also set up automatic emails when your student takes tests over books or takes the STAR test.

Please contact me if you have any questions. Nicole Badgley.

Links to School Calendars:

- <http://www.arnoldpublicschools.org/activity-calendar>
- On the announcements tab, scroll to the bottom
- Link to the school newsletter: <http://www.arnoldpublicschools.org/journalism>
- Links to newsletters prior to the 2015-2016 school year: <https://sites.google.com/a/esu10.org/mrs-badgley/schoolnewsletters>
- Links to historical and alumni newsletters: <https://sites.google.com/a/esu10.org/mrs-badgley/alumninewsletters>

Please give us your feedback by contacting Nicole Badgley at nbadgley@esu10.org.

Pop Tabs Collection

Mrs. Geiser and the second grade class will again be collecting aluminum pop tabs for classroom math assignments and projects. You can support our school by saving pop tabs and sending them with your student to the school. Thank you for your support.



Junior Honor Society Inductees



On Monday, April 23, the Arnold Junior Honor Society held their induction ceremony. The 2018 Junior Honor Society Inductees are L:R Back Row: Faith Bierman, Devin Peterson, Delanie Rogers, Madison Smith, Colbi Smith, Clay Witthuhn, Shayla Tickle, Stella Lewis, Reagan Cool. Front Row: RayLee Downing, Halie Recoy, Silas Cool, Lance Jones, Gracie Neth, Charli V Reagan Cool. Front Row: RayLee Downing, Halie Recoy, Silas Cool, Lance Jones, Gracie Neth, Charli Vickers

Round-Up Class of 2031



This rambunctious roundup class of 2031 got fired up for school on Friday, April 20. L:R Back: Declan Teahon, Sophia Cool, Xander Hunt, Zeva Tickle, MaKenna Weinman, Aden Smith, Jeremiah Morgan, Ava Bierman Front: Isaac Jarmin, Katch Hall, Maverick Bierman, Olivia Doggett, Ruby Hagler, Bree Blowers, Kenzie Connelly.



Superintendent..... Dawn Lewis
Principal..... Joel Morgan
Editor-in-Chief.....Nicole Badgley

The opinions and ideas expressed in the articles are solely those of the reporters. The articles don't necessarily reflect the opinions and ideas of Arnold Public Schools. Each article is edited by both students and their teachers prior to publication. Mistakes may appear, as students are learning. With this being a student created newsletter, mistakes become teachable moments.

No advertising, other than school sponsored activities, may appear. Opinion pieces, future news items, comments, and suggestions may be submitted to nicole.badgley@arnoldpublicschools.org.

The newsletter is sent to all families and boxholders of District 89. If you, or someone you know, would like to receive the newsletter, please contact the school office at 308-848-2226 to add your name to the mailing list. You may also download the newsletter from the school website: <http://arnoldpublicschools.org>

Activity Passes



Activity Passes, which get you into all home games at Arnold and Callaway, all year, will cost \$20.00 for students, \$40.00 for parents, and \$80.00 for a family. These passes will be good for all events except NSAA sponsored activities, and conference events. Everyone can get them at the office.



Note for Incoming Kindergarten Parents...

These items need to be sent to the school office or to the Kindergarten Teacher before your child will be allowed to attend the first day of Kindergarten. Law requires these items! Thank you for your help! ☺

1. Shot/Immunization Record
2. Birth Certificate with the RAISED SEAL – it must have a seal and signature. You may need to send for one from the Bureau of Vital Statistics.
3. Proof of school physical
4. Registration form

Kindergarten Open House

Dear Kindergarten Parents, Guardians and Students, I hope you are having a fantastic summer! I've been busy in the classroom getting ready for the upcoming school year, which will be here before we know it! I look forward to getting a chance to meet with all of you at the Open House!

Open House will take place on Monday, August 6th at 6 p.m.

in the Kindergarten classroom. I encourage students to bring their labeled school supplies with them that evening if possible.



The Kindergarten school supply list is included with this letter. Students will spend some time putting supplies away that night, touring the classroom, finding their cubbies and meeting their new teacher!

At Open House Night, parents/guardians will watch a short video on Reading Mastery, be informed of the daily schedule and expectations, and be given the chance to ask questions and talk with me!

I look forward to meeting with all of the parents, guardians, and students. I am excited for the 2017-2018 school year!

Thank you,
Mrs. Kennedy

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PowerSchool App Available



In the App Store, if you search for the Powerschool app, you will find a quick and easy way to access your student's grades with your mobile phone.

Simply download the free app. It will ask you for your District Code (a 4 digit code) immediately. The code for Arnold Public School is: SNPX

Then you can use your regular username and password from last year.

If you are unable to remember your password, then please contact Mrs. Smith at the school office either by phone, 308-848-2226 or by email tami.smith@arnoldpublicschools.org

Capri Sun Bags

Mrs. Crow is collecting Capri Sun bags again this year to help fund classroom projects. Please save those bags and send them to school with your student.



Box Tops



Arnold Public Schools will again be collecting box tops for education with a goal of earning \$500 to purchase items for classrooms. In the past, a Smartboard was purchased and some other nice equipment. The Box Tops campaign is a school fundraising program started by General Mills in 1996. To date, Box Tops has raised over \$200 million to help purchase school supplies, playground equipment, technology items, and so much more. You can support our school by saving box tops and sending them with your student to the school, take them to Finch Memorial Library, or to Reed's Food Center. Thank you for your support.

6th Grade Orientation

"Sixth grade students and their parents will meet at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, August 6th in the Guidance Classroom.

We will begin by handing out student handbooks, signing those forms, and then discussing the increased responsibility that goes with being middle school students.

We will go through their class schedules and answer any questions they may have about teachers, supply lists, and locations of classrooms.

Students and their parents will sign computer paperwork and write a check for their computer deposit of \$25.00.

Later students will be able to locate their new lockers.

Mr. Morgan and Ms. Nansel, will be on hand to answer any questions you have about middle school.

All students should come with at least one parent to share in this experience. The meeting should only last about 30-45 minutes.



Breakfast and Lunch Prices

Breakfast: K-12 \$1.40, Adults \$1.65

Grab-N-Go Break Prices: \$0.35- \$0.55

Ala Carte Choices by Students: \$0.50 - \$2.00

Lunch: K-5 \$2.50, 6-12 \$2.75, Adults \$3.75

PowerSchool Passwords

As in past years, the school will be using PowerSchool to share student grades with their parents. If you already have the ability to login and check your child's grades, then nothing has changed. Simply login to <https://arnold.power-school.com/public/>. If you don't have a log in, forgot your password, or would like some help, please contact Heather Hagler in the office, or by email at heather.hagler@arnoldpublicschools.org or call the school office: 308-848-2226.



Laptop Hand Out

This year things will be the same as last year for laptop check out. The parents will not be required to come to the school to sign papers. The students will come to a boot camp on the first couple of days of school, with Mrs. Badgley and Mr. Jageler. During that time, students will be given their new laptop, and they will go through the steps of handout.

The students will also go through a new lesson about online safety with their laptops and with other electronic devices. We will also review the school rules, and the consequences when someone is breaking the rules during school hours, and when they are off school grounds.

We will also go through some study skills demonstrations with their laptops, set up their foldering, printing, and passwords for the school year.

When your student comes home after the first day of school, they will need you to sign the following forms and return them the next day, or they won't get their laptop the next morning for use in classes:

- Receipt of the student handbook
 - Acceptable Use Policy
 - Computer Loan Agreement form
 - Media release form for use of photos on web site, newsletter and yearbook.
- Other forms that you may see coming home for you to sign that same day include:
- Open Campus form
 - Accelerated Reader connect letter
 - Dual credit course forms
 - A nurse's form



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