
 FROID PUBLIC SCHOOL

THE HAWK'S NEST

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VETERAN'S DAY PROGRAM

On November 9th, 2023 at 10:30 am Froid School had their regular Veteran's Day Program. Mason Dethman welcomed everyone in attendance. 4th-6th Grade said the Pledge of Allegiance. Followed was the history and significance of the branches. Brian Fordyce, Froid Alumna of 1993, was our speaker this year. Brian enlisted in the Army February of 2005.



"Star-Spangled Banner" was sung by the 7th-12th Froid High School Choir. Kaylee Olson read aloud the poem, "Dulce et Decorum Est" by Wilfred Owen. To finish out the program Trent Williams played Taps on the trumpet.

By Miss Dahlberg

DECEMBER EVENTS

BY KARLI PARKS

Junior High Basketball

12/1 JH Basketball @ Froid against Circle (10:00 - 11:30)
 12/2 JH Basketball @ Richey Lambert (10:00 - 11:30)
 12/7 JH Basketball @ Fairview (4:30 - 6:00)
 12/9 JH Basketball @ Froid against Bainville (9:00 - 10:30)
 12/14 JH Basketball North Tourney
 12/16 Final Four @ Fariview

Extras

12/3 Christmas Bazaar & Chili Feed
 12/13 Board Meeting @ 7:00
 12/16 Town Party @ the Community Center (11:00 - 1:00)
 12/18 Christmas Concert @ 6:30
 12/21 Semester Tests
 12/22 Semester Tests 1:00 Dismissal
 12/22 Christmas Break *NO SCHOOL*

High School Basketball

12 8 Scobey Invite
 12/9 Scobey Invite
 12/12 HS Basketball @ Plentywood (3:00 - 7:30)
 12/16 HS Basketball @ Lake against Mondak (1:00 - 5:30)
 12/ 19 HS Basketball @ Poplar (3:00 - 7:30)
 12/21 HS Basketball @ Culbertson (3:00 - 7:30)

Speech & Drama

12/2 Speech Meet at Froid
 12/9 Speech Meet at Forsyth
 12 /16 Speech Meet at Shepard

MAYOR SHERI CRAIN

By Trent Williams & Cian Logan

For the month of November, the Froid Annual class interviewed Sheri Crain. Sheri has been the Mayor of Froid for over ten years now and she plans on stepping down from her position when she finishes her list of things she wants to do.

When asked what this list contained she stated that she wanted to get the roads fixed because she has had many complaints about the potholes and just the roads in bad condition in general. They now have a remote water meter so Ryan Young no longer has to go house to house checking everyones water meters which usually took 3 days. With the new water meters it saves a lot of time. Another problem that she wants to solve is to maintain the sewer lines and get them fixed up more.



Sheri also stated that the clerk is the most important aspect of a town's small government. The clerk sends the mail and bills, keeps track of transactions, and manages the papers for the town. Her favorite part about being mayor of a small town is working with different agencies and overseeing all safety aspects of the town. She also stated that she learns new things every day.

Throughout her years as mayor, she stated that her biggest challenge was making everyone happy and wanting to make improvements, but not being able to find the money. She believes that the main attraction that brings new people to Froid is the people because the people are the nicest people you will ever meet. After this, she gave the students of Froid school two pieces of advice, always have an open mind and NEVER GIVE UP.



COMMUNITY NEWS

By Sol Grainger

On December 3, the community center will be hosting the annual bazaar from 10-2 pm. BPA will be set up there to make and sell lefse. The FFA chapter will also be hosting a chili cook off during the bazaar. The winner of the chili cook off will receive a percentage of the money. Many direct sellers, baked goods, and local young entrepreneurs will be set up with a table. Swing in to check out all the things.

The Senior and Junior students in Explore America are selling tickets for \$50 a piece to raffle off a vacation to Cancun. Only 250 tickets will be sold and the trip will be completely paid for by the raffle. You must be at least 18 years old to buy a ticket and 21 years old to book the trip. If you would like to choose a different trip you can but only up to \$4,500 in value.



The drawing will be held on December 18 during the Christmas Concert. The trip is nonrefundable and must be completed within a year of the drawing.

(Next page has information from the flyer).

BASKETBALL

By Mason Dethman

Basketball practices began on Thursday November 16, 2023. The girls were the only ones to start practicing due to the football team finishing up their season. The head coach for the girl's basketball team is Josh Stentoft and his assistants are Shawn Elvsaa and Andy Dethman. There are eleven girls out for basketball with two being from Medicine Lake and nine being from Froid. The Boys basketball head coach is Chase White. The assistant coaches are Brady Bernston, Michael O'Toole and Bear. There are 10 boys out for basketball with seven of them from Froid and three from Medicine Lake. Both teams are looking forward to the eventful season ahead.

The Season openers for the Redhawks will be in Scobey for a tip-off tournament. The games will be on December 8th and 9th. They will play Scobey first on Friday night and then Lustre Saturday night.

FROID SCHOOL EXPLORE AMERICA

DRAWING WILL BE HELD ON
12/18 AT THE CHRISTMAS CONCERT



WIN A TRIP TO CANCUN

QUESTIONS?

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RAFFLE TICKETS

\$50

INCLUDED ON THE PACKAGE

- Airfare for 2 people
- 5 nights in an all-inclusive resort
- Travel from airport to resort
- \$500 gift card

THE FINE PRINT

- Trip must be completed within a year of drawing.
- A different location of equal or lesser value may be chosen
- Trip is non-refundable
- \$1,000 may be chosen in lieu of trip (prior to booking trip)
- Must be 21 or older to book trip
- Total trip value may not exceed \$4,500

**Only 250 tickets
will be sold**



VOLLEYBALL

By Jaeleigh Davidson

TOURNAMENT TIME!

On October 26-28, the District 1C Volleyball Tournament in Plentywood began. The Redhawks ranked #5 played the first game of the tournament against Brockton ranked #12 on Thursday at 3 p.m. The Redhawks played a very good game starting with a 9-0 lead against the Brockton Warriors. The Redhawks took the set 25-6. The team continued playing well throughout the rest of the game winning the next two sets to take the match and advance to where they would play the #4 ranked team the Bainville Bulldogs.

Later on Thursday night at 6, the Redhawks played the Bainville Bulldogs after beating Brockton the match before. Both teams played really well the match went to 4 sets. The Hawks took the first set 25-11. In the second set, Bainville came and won 25-7. The third set was a lot closer but the Redhawks took the set 25-21. In the fourth and final set, the Redhawks beat the Bulldogs 25-15 and took the match. After this win, we would continue our time in the tournament and play Plentywood Wildcats #1 in the district Friday at 3 p.m.

On Friday day two of the district tournament, the Redhawks faced the Wildcats. In the first set, the Redhawks only trailed by 2 points towards the beginning of the set, but the Wildcats won it 25-23. In the second the Redhawks came out with a 6-1 lead and kept with them with a score of 19-19 towards the end of the set, but the Wildcats took the second set 25-20. In the third and final set, the Wildcats took the match with a score of 25-16. The Redhawks would then be moved to the losers' bracket and play the Culbertson Cowgirls ranked #7 on Saturday at 10:30 a.m.

In the early morning of Saturday, the Froid/Lake Redhawks played the Culbertson Cowgirls. Both teams played very well this game but the Redhawks came out on top that morning and beat the Cowgirls in three straight sets. The first set with a score of 25-17, the second has a score of 25-23, and the last set is 25-23. After this game, the Redhawks advance to play the Scobey Spartans ranked #3 in the afternoon at 1:30 p.m. The Redhawks now have a spot in the Divisional Tournament held in Sidney.

After beating Culbertson earlier that morning the Redhawks now played the Scobey Spartans for their placement in the divisional tournament. This match went to a total of 5 sets. The Redhawks played well in the first two sets but was cut short with Scobey taking the first two with scores of 25-19 and 25-19 again. Then the Redhawks had a comeback they beat the Spartans in the next two sets with scores of 25-23 and the fourth 25-22. In the last set, however, Scobey won with a score of 15-5. That was the end of the District 1C Tournament for the Redhawks they placed 4th and had a spot in the Divisional Tournament.



Divisional Tournament!

The 2023 Eastern C Divisional Volleyball Tournament started on November 2-4 at Sidney High School. The Redhawks ranked #4 out of the 1C, again played the first game of the tournament on Thursday November 2 at 10:00 a.m. They played against the #1 team out of the 2C the Broadus Hawks. The Redhawks kept with Broadus with only 3 point difference. Broadus won the first set 25-19. Broadus Hawks took the second set 25-13 and the final set 18-25. The Redhawks would now have to play Garfield County (Jordan) Mustangs on Friday at 10:00 a.m.

The 2nd day of the Divisional tournament the Redhawks played the Garfield County Mustangs in the loser out bracket. Both teams stayed close together during most the match held that morning. The Redhawks lost the first set 25-18 and the second set 25-19. The last set was a closer one with both teams going back and forth with the lead, but the Mustangs come out and took a 3 point lead to win the match. The Redhawks finished their season. We had three people make District 1C Volleyball All Conference/ All State Selections. Those were Mara Salveold Jr. making 1st Team All Conference. Jaeleigh Davidson and Addison Elvsaas making 2nd Team All Conference. We thank the community for coming to support us throughout the season.

JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

By Kaylee Olson

The Junior High Basketball team kicked off their season playing Richey/Lambert Fusion in Lambert on Thursday, November 2nd. The boys team is coached by Tyler Wivholm, Hunter Krogedal, and Don 'Bear' Delorme. Returning to coach the girls team is Grant Salvevold and Jeremy Breur. Some early season games were postponed after the snow storm hit at the end of October.

Eighth grader standouts for the girls team from Froid are Camri Salvevold, Joelle Davidson, and Ally Johnson. Keilee Williams manages. Seventh graders playing are Laytyn Davidson, and Vanessa Nesbit. Players from Medicine Lake are Kylie Wivholm, Atley Jensen, Ella Roeder and manager Rebecca Nelson. The season is going well for the girls and improvement can be seen from them every game. They look forward to going into the final tournament.

The boys team also has a good amount out to play for the season. Single eighth grader Jake Nordlund, seventh graders Jhett Davidson and Aaron Orozco, as well as sixth graders Colton Nordwick and Bryce Murray. Medicine Lake adds to the numbers with Carsen Kelm, Carson Aasheim, Easton Marottek, Jax Ator, Cline Fossum, Junior Hernandez and Zlattan Vasquez. Jake and Aaron explained that their season was becoming better but they still had things they needed to improve on. They also added that their coaches are doing good. The best moment of the season so far is when Coach Bear gave them lollipops. As of November 20, the win-loss record is 2-4.



FALL CONCERT

By Milo Stangeland

The Fall concert, November 7th, featured the 4th-grade students playing recorders, the list of songs include "Evening Star," "Chook Chook," "Three Blind Mice," "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star," and "Peace Like a River." As the fifth grade band of only two students, Jake and Buckley, They played "Listen To Our Sections", "Remix", "London Bridge", "A Mozart Melody", and "Doodle All Day". As the 5th grade pack their instruments, the upcoming band was the 6th grade that played "Auld Lang Syne", Theme song from New World Symphony, "Kum Bah Yah", ustrain Waltz", and "Bontany Bay".



The Band and Choir performed selections from both current and past Disney collections. The Choir sang Edelweiss, by Linda Spevacek from the Sound of Music, I'll Make A Man Out Of You by Matthew Wilder from Mulan, and Remember Me by Robert Lopez from Coco. Finally the 7-12 grade band played Try Everything from Zootopia, Disney Film Favorites from Little Mermaid, Lion King, and Aladdin, and Beauty and the Beast. Mr. Harris also gave special thanks to Shari Cameron, Froid School Staff Members, Froid School Administration, Froid Music Parents, and Froid Community.



Happy
Turkey Day



Solomon Grainger

Solomon Grainger is the son of Brad and Melanie Grainger. He has been attending Froid Public School since the 89th day of Kindergarten. His future plans are to attend Montana State University for Pre-Med and become a physical therapist. Sol wants to go into this field because of the good pay and he wants to help people. In ten years he sees himself living in a bigger Montana city working and starting a family. In the summertime, he works at Bell Knob Golf Course taking care of the course. He enjoys camping, ice skating, hunting, and golfing in his free time.



Sol's advice for younger students is to finish your work on time and not to procrastinate. His favorite time in school was lunch. Mr. Umali was his favorite teacher who taught him many life lessons, recipes for cooking, and of course grammar. In the 13 years in Froid, his favorite memory was when they won the second state championship in Power Dutton Brady. This is because he got his head shaved for the celebration. Sol has participated in BPA, FFA, Explore America, football, and golf. His biggest supporters have been his family and classmates. If he had one lucky wish it would be to become instantly rich.



By Kaylee Olson

FOOTBALL

By Nate Stentoft

November 18, 2023 was a normal day for many but for the Redhawk 6 Man-Football team it was the chance to make history yet again. Redhawks were playing in the State Championship for the 3rd time in the last four years. To get here the team had to work hard and overcome obstacles throughout the year. The first challenge happened during the playoff games.

The first round the RedHawks played Shields Valley Rebels, they put on a defensive clinic allowing only 8 points and scoring 72 on offense. Unlike the first round, the Quarter Finals and the Semifinals were shootouts. The RedHawks tallied 79 points in the Quarter Finals, but gave up 75 to the CJI Hawks. They rallied from a 29 point halftime deficit with a big second half. In the Semifinals the RedHawks defeated the Harlowton-Ryegate-Judith Gap Engineers 82-70, facing another halftime deficit of 14 points.

The State Championship game was held on November 18th, in Medicine Lake at 1:00 P.M. . The Redhawks took on the Centerville Miners. The final score of the game was 63-48 in favor of Centerville. It was a high scoring affair in which the Redhawks fell behind by two scores and could not fully climb back into the game.

Signs, painted hay bales, and school pride lined Highway 16 from Froid to Medicine Lake. Bleachers and side lines were full with both communities, past alumni, and teammates. Even though the outcome was not what everyone wanted let it be known the towns of Froid and Medicine Lake will always support their Redhawks with pride.



BPA & FFA NEWS

FFA NEWS

By Cian Logan

Throughout the Halloween and Thanksgiving seasons, the Froid FFA chapter has involved themselves in many sorts of activities. On Hallows Eve, the day before Halloween, Kaylee, Cian, Missouri, and Jaeleigh went to grades K-3 to let them decorate pumpkins that the chapter grew at the research center. The kids decorated the pumpkins with markers and there were a variety of cool designs created.

On the week of November 18th Missouri, Avrie, and Lily went to Bozeman for the statewide event known as JDAE, or John Deere Ag Expo. At this event FFA kids will compete in competitions to help prepare themselves for the year. This is used as a kind of mock state competition with much more fun stuff such as a dance.

In the coming future the Floriculture and Sales teams will be sent to Hinsdale to compete against the Big Muddy District. In the past two years we have placed first and went on to state. This year we are hoping to make the stage and go for the gold.



BPA NEWS

By Kaylee Olson

The Froid BPA Chapter is busy at work for fundraising during the holiday season. The annual Lefse making started mid November to get 90 dozen done for the Thanksgiving holiday. The chapter appreciates all that bought. There are still dozens remaining and more being made on December 3rd at the Christmas Bazaar. To order lefse for the Christmas season, please contact the school directly or Marliyn Olson at Opportunity Bank or 1 (406) 765-7847. Each dozen is ready to eat and costs \$15. Regional competition will be held in Lambert Montana on January 10, 2024. Students from the area will compete in business related events to earn their spot to compete at State in Billings in the spring. Nationals will be held in Chicago, Illinois in May.



THE TURKEY'S THANKSGIVING

Created by Trent Williams

ONE SUNNY DAY

Oh golly oh gosh,
this meadow is
wonderful



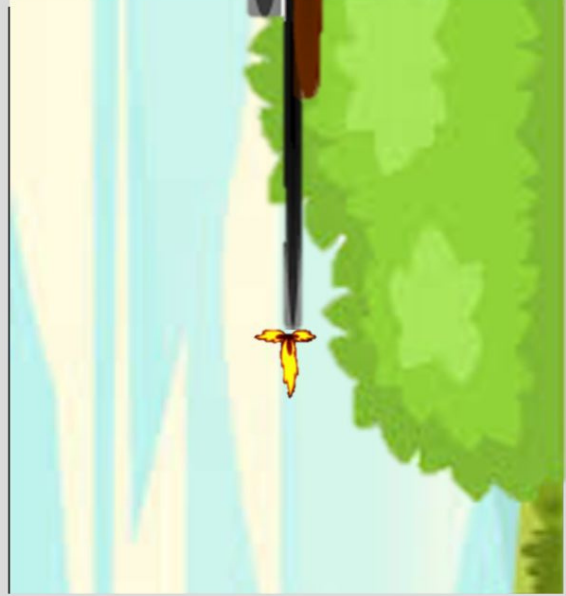
MEANWHILE



I mean just look
how lovely this
tree is.
This is going to
be a wonderful
day



THE END



Yes Papa

Do You
see him
son

