

# The Spartan Spotlight

March 2021

## 2020-2021 Boyd County High School Quarter 3 Honor Roll

### A Honor Roll

#### Twelfth Grade:

\*Brayden Almgren  
\*Trevor Brooks  
\*Kaesin Ellwanger  
\*Jenny Goesch  
\*Andrea Hipke  
\*Lauryn Hoffman  
Elizabeth Holmberg  
\*Kiryin Kayl  
\*Josh Kersch  
Isaac Koenig  
\*Kaci Mashino  
Audrey Mohr

#### Eleventh Grade

Rylie Haun  
Daydra Zeisler

#### Tenth Grade

\*Timothy Atkinson  
\*Halie Faus  
\*Trevor Goesch  
Arianna Goitia  
Teegan Henderson  
\*Amelia Hoffman  
Leah Jockens  
Kaleb Kaczor  
\*Zander Kluckman  
\*Natasha Zeisler

#### Ninth Grade

\*Brynn Almgren  
Kaylee Bennett  
Jacob Corrado  
\*Paige Druke  
Amelia Haki  
\*Zoe Kaczor  
\*Elizabeth Kersch  
\*Brett Koenig  
\*Lanie Lechtenberg  
\*McKenzie Snyder  
\*Sabrina Zeibro

#### Eighth Grade

Angelita Arellano  
\*Adrien Baer  
\*Elizabeth Bernt  
\*Addison Birmeier  
\*Brooklyn Eckert  
\*Evan Hammon  
Carson Haun  
\*Hudson Hoffman  
\*Lilly Magwire  
Grant McGill  
Sienna Merrills  
Blaine Purviance  
Michaela Roth  
\*Cash Sinclair  
Mariah Strom  
\*Ben Tiefenthaler

#### Seventh Grade

\*Brandon Boettcher  
Koy Gonzales  
Mazee Johnson  
Kayden Kayl  
ReNae Kluckman  
Barrett Koenig  
\*Will Nelson  
Claire Reiman  
Madalyn Reiser  
\*Ethan Zeisler

#### A-B Honor Roll:

##### Twelfth Grade:

Kolt Boettcher  
Kannin Ellwanger  
Jada Heiser  
Clay Holz  
Luke Reiman

##### Ninth Grade

Katelyn Fletcher  
Derek Jensen

##### Eighth Grade

Lexi Tikalski

##### Seventh Grade

Amanda Davis  
Brook Strom

### FCCLA Chicken Nugget Night-Amanda Wiese

Boyd Country FCCLA hosted a chicken nugget night for our 6th graders. It was hosted in the middle school/high school cafeteria on March 16. Ten 6th grade students attended. During the chicken nugget night they played games such as "Among Us" and hide and seek in the dark around the school. Chicken nugget night was used for recruiting more students to join FCCLA, as they can join as seventh graders. Students say they enjoyed the night greatly.



### NVC Band- By Kyra Gonzales

NVC west conference band concert was held on March 22, 2021, in Rock County Public schools at 5:30 p.m. Participating Schools were Boyd County, Chambers, Rock County, Stuart, and West Holt. The Clinicians were Kevin Mc Louth and Jeff McQuistan. McLouth conducted an honor band and McQuistan conducted a conference band. For individual school pieces Boyd County played "The Pink Panther" by Paul Cook. Stuart played for their individual school pieces "Infinite Horizons" by Robert Sheldon. Chambers played for their individual school pieces "The Last to Defend" by David Shaffer.



March's Kindness Award goes to Gracen Eckert. Gracen put the "i" in kind by helping another student pick up papers and books off the floor when they were knocked out of his hands by another student in the hallway. Way to go Gracen! Thanks for letting your awesomeness shine by being so kind!!

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Pictured above are our 2021 Prom King and Queen. Here at the right, Haylie and Jada enjoy the delicious prom meal.



## Prom 2021 - By Neveah Jockens

On March 20th, Prom was held at the Spencer Hall. When the dates came in, they had to get their photo taken with their Prom date, friends, siblings etc. The Prom theme for this year was "Underneath the Stars". Once the guests all showed up, they would sit in their spot picked by the sponsor and wait for their food. The guests were served prime rib, cheesy hashbrowns, green beans, dinner rolls, and cheesecake, made and brought by the Kaczors. The Prom servers helped clean up plates, make punch, serve the food, and refill the guest cups for drinks. Once everyone was finished eating, everyone cleared up the space for the Grand March. The Queen and King this year were Jenny Goesch and Caleb Hilkemann. After the Grand March, everyone started dancing for a couple hours, then went to the gym for Post Prom. At Post Prom, there were a bunch of different games for the dates with a Candy Land. They also had a blow up obstacle course to race through. Everyone took a break from the games to eat and watch the magician. Throughout the night, names were drawn and prizes were awarded.. Everyone said it was a lot of fun!

## Speech 2020-2021- By Rachel Matthews

Our speech season was a huge success! This year, our school sent six seniors: Joshua Kersch, Trevor Brooks, Chase Snyder, Brayden Almgren, Catalina Knox, and Kaci Mashino to Kearney for state speech competition on March 13th after a school pep rally, hosted by their fellow speech team members. As tradition dictates, the speech team practiced their pieces the night before, as well as played cards, all in preparation for the following day. All the rounds went incredibly well, according to Mrs. Snyder, the head speech coach. Everyone had their best performance of the year during one of their rounds, including Kaci Mashino, who's best performances of the season were in both of her finals in poetry and entertainment. She placed sixth in poetry and fourth in entertainment. Catalina Knox also did well in her poetry rounds, placing third and fourth in her preliminary rounds, placing ninth overall. Sharp performances were given by the OID boys, who, according to Snyder, gave their best performance during their first round. They placed 11th overall. With the hard work of each of these competitors, our speech team placed 13th at state! Mrs. Snyder was incredibly proud of the team and was impressed with the whole team and the hard work they put in this year.

Congratulations Boyd County Speech Team on making it to state and your success there!

## FFA CDEs - By: Leah Jockens

The Boyd County FFA Chapter had CDE (Career Development Event) competitions that were virtual, as well as in person. Some of the events that they competed in are Ag Sales, Farm and Agribusiness Management, Floriculture, Food Science, Agriscience, Agronomy, and Meats. The teams that are state bound are Farm and Agribusiness Management, Food Science, Agriscience, Agronomy, and Meats. Some individuals placings are Kolt Boettcher (6th - Agronomy), Jenny Goesch (1st - Farm and Agribusiness Management, 2nd - Food Science), Kaci Mashino (5th - Farm and Agribusiness Management), and Lanie Letchenburg (4th - Food Science).

