



THE AGGIE EXPRESS

Class of 2021 DAR Good Citizen of the Year-Grace Weber



Each year a senior is nominated for the DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution) Good Citizen of the year. Grace was nominated by the Beal City Staff based on the pillars of the program, such as outstanding work ethic, good character, leadership and patriotism.

Grace is involved in National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society/Spanish Club, Student Council, Varsity Basketball, and Varsity Track. She served as the Class of 2021 President from 9th-11th grade and is the current NHS President. Grace volunteers at the traveling homeless shelter and various functions at the St. Joseph the Worker Church. She enjoys spending time with family and friends, being outdoors, and shopping. Grace is the daughter of Chad & Korin Weber.



Rotary Students of the Month



Beal City Public Schools recently announced their October and November Rotary Students of the Month. Rosalie Daniels was the Student of the Month for October. She is the daughter of John and Jennifer Daniels.

Grace Weber is the November Student of the Month and is the daughter of Chad and Korin Weber. Congratulations to both of these wonderful ladies!!



School Breakfast Facts

A great breakfast program is offered at school every day!

Here are some fun facts about school breakfast:

It's easy! Instead of running around in the morning trying to make sure your children eat a healthy meal, let us do the work. They can get a great breakfast at school, and there will be no dishes for you to wash!

It's affordable! If qualified, your child may be able to get breakfast at a reduced price or for free. If your child already eats a free or reduced price lunch, they automatically qualify for a free or reduced price breakfast.

It's tasty! Schools now have more variety to choose from when deciding what to offer your children for breakfast. Request a menu so you can view what your child may be eating at school.

It's good for the brain! Research suggests that not having breakfast can affect children's intellectual performance (CDC).

Every morning our breakfast consists of a hot breakfast item and these cold whole grain items: uncrustables, donuts, breakfast kit, bagels/cream cheese and milk. Students must choose a fruit and 2 grain items.

Location: Aggie Cafe

Breakfast time every day: 7:40-8:05

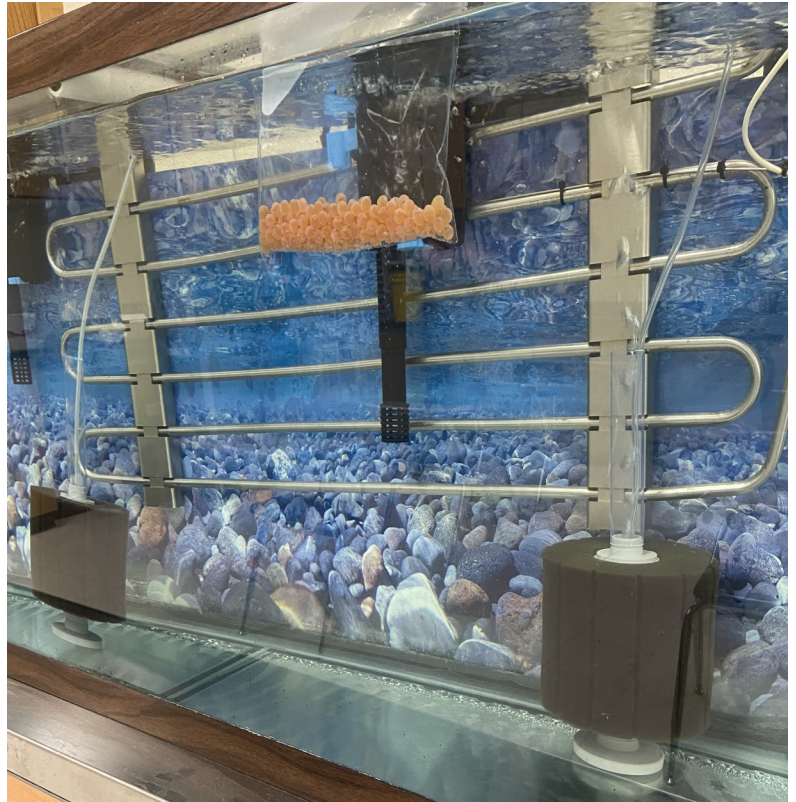
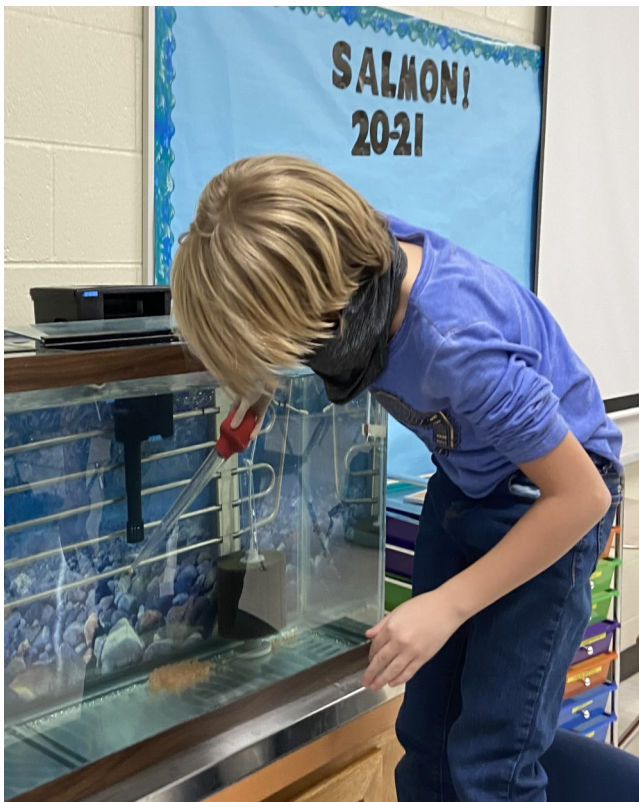
Full pay price: \$1.75

Reduced: \$.30

Remember, no breakfast will be served if we have a delay.



Ag. STEM - Exploring and dissecting a cloudy salmon egg



Salmon in the Classroom - The salmon are here! Students are learning how to acclimate the eggs to the tank as well as checking tank health by taking bad eggs out.



Staff Member of the Month

The Beal City Board of Education, in appreciation of the hard work that is done by all members of Beal City Public Schools, would like to honor staff members each month for their service to the students and community of Beal City. This month's honoree is Marci Faber.

Marci is the Food Service Director at Beal City Public Schools. With all of the chaos of COVID-19, Miss Marci has done an amazing job of adapting and adjusting the cafe practices to make sure that our students always have something to eat. She has a great rapport with students and looks forward to seeing them everyday. Thank you for your hard work at BCPS Miss Marci!



Beal City FFA - Helping rake community members' yard.

Feature Staff Person



Beal City Schools would like to introduce Connie Haley as a ½ time daytime custodian and ½ time bus driver. Connie and her husband Craig have been married for 33 years. Their daughter Shannon lives in San Francisco. Their son Bryan is married and lives in Grand Rapids with his wife Denae and their two children; Selah 3 years old, and Shiloh 4 months old. Their youngest son, Justin, is buying his first home in Farwell.

Connie has some educational background in Early Childhood. Her favorite food is authentic Mexican food. Connie and Craig love to travel to Mexico once a year. They enjoy the Mexican culture and love the weather. Connie also loves to walk and read biographies.

Connie and Craig have also travelled to the Dominican Republic and throughout the continental United States. Connie grew up in California, so they visit family in the California Bay area once or twice a year.

We're very excited to have Connie join our staff at Beal City Schools! Welcome Connie!!

Notice of Board Vacancy

The Beal City Public School District is seeking applications for the current vacant position on the Board of Education. To be eligible, the applicant must be a resident and a registered voter in the school district, at least 18 years of age; a citizen of the United States; a resident of the State of Michigan for at least 30 days.

Interested persons must submit a letter of interest and a resume with their qualifications for the position to the Superintendent's office, Beal City Public Schools, 3180 W Beal City Rd., Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 no later than 3:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, December 2, 2020**.

Following a review of submitted materials, the Superintendent and Board will schedule interviews with selected candidates the week of **December 7th thru the 11th**. The seat will be filled by appointment within 30 days of the Board Member's resignation, which is on or before Wednesday, December 16th, 2020.

Depending on the number of applicants not all applicants for the Board vacancy will be interviewed. One individual will be appointed to fill the vacant position. The selected individual will be required to run for election at the next regularly scheduled election. If elected, that individual will fill the remaining years of the six year term for that Board seat, before running again for a full six year term for that Board seat.

If you have any questions concerning the role of the Board of Education and responsibilities of a Board member, **please contact William C. Chilman IV, Superintendent or Denise McBride, President of the Board of Education**. See the District's website for contact information.

The Beal City Public Schools staff and students along with the members of the Beal City Board of Education would like to express our sincere thanks to **Heather Curtis** who has decided to step down from the Beal City Board of Education **after three years of service** to the Beal City Public Schools to pursue another elected position in our community. Thank you **Heather**, for your dedication and commitment to Beal City Public Schools.

First Quarter Honor Roll

GPA 4.00

Case, Ayden	12
Clark, Matthew	12
Coston, Nathan	12
Fussman, Chloe	12
Kolb, Matthew	12
Matthews, Ben	12
Pety, Breanna	12
Pratt, Jesse	12
Schumacher, Sage	12
Soules, Sydney	12
Weber, Grace	12
Ambs, Owen	11
Benzinger, Izabella	11
Block, Cade	11
Conner, Morgan	11
Fike, Rylee	11
Fussman, Jacob	11
Gross, Brandon	11
Haynes, Brayden	11
Jaessing, Riley	11
Konwinski, Kyleigh	11
Methner, Kyleigh	11
Onstott, Haiden	11
Smith, Karly	11
Wilson, Konnor	11
Wilson, Morgan	11
Wood, Olivia	11
Zeneberg, Zeta	11
Zuker, Donovan	11
Carlson, Emma	10
Onstott, Tailor	10
Vogel, Isaak	10
Fox, William	9
Fussman, Jack	9
Gross, Ann	9
Gross, Lane	9
Kunik, Olivia	9
Latham, Jamisen	9
Lynch, Eva	9
Lyon, Luke	9
Owens, Gracelynn	9
Pappas, Jaxon	9
Rau, Caitlyn	9
Reihl, Alida	9

GPA 4.00 Cont.

Scarborough, Adra	9
Sellers, Mackenna	9
Smith, Cayden	9
Wilson, Avery	9
Block, Drew	8
Faber, Jace	8
Faber, Anna	7
Gottschalk, Benjamin	7
Higgins, Wesley	7
Scully, Mya	7
Sisco, Jaylyn	7
Theisen, Nole	7
Trommater, Molly	7
Fox, Spencer	6
Gilde, Bryn	6
Keehbauch, Taylor	6
Smith, Cuyler	6

GPA 3.50 – 3.99

Ciochetto, James	12
Conner, Hunter	12
Faber, Travis	12
Gott, Ethan	12
Gross, Jacob	12
Hauck, Austin	12
Haupt, Owen	12
Jones, Greenlee	12
Keller, Kinleigh	12
Lynch, Cameron	12
Maxon, Jason	12
Mindel, Aidan	12
Sandel, Cassidy	12
Theisen, Ellie	12
Torpey, Bailey	12
Turner, Kirsten	12
Tyler, Dustin	12
VonDoloski, Macy	12
Zuker, Terrell	12
Ames, Samantha	11
Antcliff, Natalie	11
Antcliff, Paige	11
Bailer, Addie	11
Benaske, Hannah	11
Bushong, Kaylee	11
Dempsey, Eliza	11

GPA 3.50 – 3.99 Cont.

Faber, Jenna	11
Gamble, Megan	11
Maeder, Kayley	11
Martin, Brendan	11
Mishler, Logan	11
Morgenstern, Amanda	11
Onstott, Breanna	11
Owens, Chase	11
Pritchard, Logan	11
Whitehead, Christopher	11
Armstrong, Hadyn	10
Carrier, Alyssa	10
Cotter, Kayden	10
Faber, Cecilia	10
Fussman, Carter	10
Goffnett, Audree	10
Gross, Owen	10
Gross, Rachel	10
Hall, Grant	10
Langlois, Karana	10
Locke, Mikayla	10
Scully, Sawyer	10
Seger, Mattie	10
Straus, Benjamin	10
Vollmar, Madilyn	10
Zuker, Addyson	10
Butkovich, Payton	9
Calkins, Madison	9
Cotter, Emily	9
Ehler, Carlie	9
Elias, Dylan	9
Fussman, Ella	9
Garrett, Peyton	9
Gilde, Bennett	9
Harmon, Chloe	9
Harsh, Kiera	9
Methner, Lily	9
Pety, Emma	9
Schafer, Brayden	9
Vincent, Megan	9
Wilson, Joshua	9
Breuer, Gabrielle	8
Bushong, Ryan	8
Davis, Isabelle	8

First Quarter Honor Roll

GPA 3.50 – 3.99 Cont.

Doyle, Addison	8
Federico, Joseph	8
Gross, Austin	8
Hulliberger, Hailey	8
Johnston, Macy	8
Ketchen, Hailey	8
Leppert, Liliana	8
Licari, Lauryn	8
Locke, Brianna	8
Martin, Kyle	8
Martin, Olivia	8
McKenny, Owen	8
Pritchard, Maxwell	8
Proton, Victoria	8
Salisbury, Lydee	8
Schumacher, Jody	8
Sienkiewicz, Parker	8
Tilmann, Cole	8
Weber, Sophia	8
Wernette, Joseph	8
Zeneberg, Zabrina	8
Benscoter, Chloe	7
Boge, Nicholas	7
Brown, Arryana	7
Ervin, Nicolas	7
Faber, Madalyn	7
Fletcher, Kelsey	7
Gross, Lauren	7
Hubble, Johanna	7
Longtin, Lanie	7
Ludwig, Sophie	7
McLachlan, Hayden	7
Pierson, Elijah	7
Rau, Lily	7
Schumacher, Rheid	7
Upton, Jacob	7
Weber, Jordan	7
Davis, Landon	6
Gross, Lily	6
Leppert, Novalee	6
Martin, Sophia	6
McClintic, William	6
Onstott, Madisyn	6
Owens, Riley	6

GPA 3.50 – 3.99 Cont.

Schultz, Katelyn	6
Sienkiewicz, Connor	6
Stack, Madyson	6
Strong, Eden	6
Sturm-Richmond, Keirsten	6
Weber, Jacob	6
Wilson, Cooper	6
Wixson, Carte	6
Wolff, Karis	6

GPA 3.00 – 3.49

Cotter, DJ	12
De Vos, Tijl	12
Hopkins, Michael	12
Kotecki, Angela	12
Sawmick, Alexandria	12
Cotter, Reece	11
De Vos, Pepijn	11
Embrey, Madalyn	11
Forbes, Izic	11
Fugate, Marissa	11
Gross, Emma	11
Johnston, Megan	11
Miles, Hunter	11
Natzel, Benjamin	11
Oswald, Matthew	11
Schumacher, Jackson	11
Weber, Rachal	11
Wilson, Wade	11
Haupt, Luke	10
Keller, Kade	10
Lipar, Gabriel	10
Lorenz, Grant	10
Schafer, Harmony	10
Sisco, Rylee	10
Straus, Kadin	10
Elliott, Ava	9
Fletcher, Kylis	9
Lasater, Genevieve	9
Merrill, Dominic	9
Pasch, Jacob	9
Recker, Lily	9
Stack, Cameron	9
Strong, Emalee	9
Sytek, Alexzander	9

GPA 3.00 – 3.49 Cont.

Cook, Adrianna	8
Cotter, Michelle	8
Milett, Ava	8
Rau, Luke	8
Reihl, Ava	8
Stack, Brianna	8
Strong, Ella	8
Taylor, Emily	8
Wezensky, Chase	8
Wilson, Khloe	8
Zeien, Eli	8
Doyle, Hayden	7
Flaugher, Chloe	7
Gatrell, Drake	7
McBride, Allyson	7
Pasch, Allison	7
Schuberg, Avery	7
Sheridan, J J	7
Yats, Abigail	7
Zuker, Garrison	7
Zuker, Sydney	7
Cornell, Brecklyn	6
Fancher, Grace	6
Fenton, Addison	6
Forbes, Justin	6
Gittus, Dylan	6
McAllister, Logan	6
Scarborough, Cooper	6
Small, Avery	6

Beal City Elementary All A's & B's

Ames, Megan	5	Schuberg, Emery	4
Calkins, Ryan	5	Schultz, Bryce	4
Cook, Joslyn	5	Shaner, Parker	4
Dabas, Layal	5	Sisco, Gavin	4
Eichorn, Easton	5	Straus, Eli	4
Flachs, Jackson	5	Weber, Scarlett	4
Frazier, Spencer	5	Wilson, Thomas	4
Funnell, Logan	5	Wixson, Madison	4
Fussman, Addison	5	Backus, Jacob	3
Hoover, Aubrey	5	Bland, Conley	3
Johnston, Matthew	5	Block, Thomas	3
Latham, Jarett	5	Breuer, Carleigh	3
Learman, William	5	Campbell, Elias	3
Love, Colton	5	Clare, Connor	3
Martin, Collin	5	De Vos, Aloise	3
Neal, Aspen	5	Faber, Gabriel	3
Neu, Khloe	5	Fair, Parker	3
Pastotnik, Ella	5	Finnerty, Madalyn	3
Schafer, Isabelle	5	Finney, John	3
Smith, Lilah	5	Frazier, Lillian	3
Smith, Shelby	5	Funnell, Blake	3
Tilman, Connor	5	Gittus, Cole	3
Weber, Tessa	5	Gross, Cole	3
Wezensky, Chloe	5	Helmer, Paige	3
Batenburg, Maddison	4	Henry, Brynleigh	3
Burmeister, Spence	4	Koutz, Mason	3
Byberg, Aiden	4	Little, Easton	3
Dodd, Rowan	4	Martin, Gregory	3
Eldridge, Jaxson	4	McDonald, Kolton	3
Eldridge, Jaydon	4	Millerov, Liam	3
Gatrell, Grady	4	Pastotnik, Rylinn	3
Goffnett, Tessa	4	Pohl, Grayden	3
Gottleber, Taylen	4	Prout, Samantha	3
Gruss, Sofie	4	Schultz, Avery	3
Hadder, Landyn	4	Simmer, Gavin	3
Higgins, Reegan	4	Tilman, Cylie	3
Lake, Isabella	4	Tilman, Sophia	3
Latham, Jax	4	VanBlargan, Jordyn	3
Maney, Gunnar	4		
Maxon, Emma	4		
McBride, Easton	4		
Mertz, Hunter	4		
Milett, Carys	4		
Salisbury, Brody	4		

Board Briefs

The following was approved at a regular board meeting on November 16, 2020:

- October payments including: General Fund payments of \$542,082.66, Payroll Account payments of \$1,727.70, Hot Lunch payments of \$16,718.32, Student Activity Account payments \$1,976.10, Athletic Fund payments of \$1,810.00, Arbiter Sports payments of \$2,039.05, Debt Fund 2012 payments of \$9,142.50, Debt 2004 payments of \$4,940.00, Debt SBLF payments of \$2,547.75 and Debt 2017 payments of \$8,542.50.
- The 1st set of bids for Phase 2 bond work. The bids are for surveying and boring work that needs to be completed.
- The hiring of Mary Kattreh as the ½ time Reading Interventionist as presented.
- The following coaching recommendations: Cam Gatrell – Boys Varsity Basketball, Teri Cramlet – Voluntary Assistant JV/V Girls Basketball, Erin Barz – Voluntary Assistant Competitive Cheer, Rebecca Hodges – Voluntary Assistant Competitive Cheer, Jamie Farrell – Voluntary Assistant JV Boys Basketball, and Zach Hrymecki – Voluntary Assistant Boys Basketball.

The following coaches have been hired through PCMI: Brad Antcliff – Varsity Girls Basketball, Brad Antcliff – JV Girls Basketball, Todd Schafer – JV Boys Basketball, Kyle Gross – Freshman Basketball, William Chilman V – 7th Gr. Boys Basketball, Kyle Gross – 8th Gr. Boys Basketball, and Bailie Erway – Competitive Cheer.

To locate the Beal City Board of Education agenda and minutes from the monthly Board meetings, please see the Beal City website. Click on District Info, Board of Education, then click on the Board of Education on the left hand side to receive a menu. From there click on Meeting.

Tribal Grants Awarded

Things have been a little delayed due to COVID but the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe has opened back up for business and they have awarded the Fall 2020 Tribal Grants. It is now time more than ever to be thankful, not just for family, coworkers, friends being happy, healthy and safe but to the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe for their continued support of our school.

We did not have a traditional 2% distribution ceremony this time so they mailed us our awards. We applied for about \$400,000 dollars in grants and we have been awarded \$16,590.94. Thank you to all who applied for a grant and congratulations to the following winners of this fall's tribal grants.

Veena Cole - Needed Tools for Blind Student - \$14,500.00

Kristen Schafer - Go Phonics - \$500.00

Staci Vessell - Mental Health Improvement - \$580.94

Jordan Gohs - K-12 Requested Independent Reading Books - \$1000.00

Again, congratulations to our winners and a HUGE thank you to the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe.