



THE AGGIE EXPRESS

Congratulations



Class of 2022

Song: Safe and Sound by Capital Cities

Color: Black

President: Hannah Benaske

Secretary: Paige Antcliff

Flower: Sunflower

Motto: We rage on!

Vice President: Cade Block

Treasurer: Jacob Fussman

Total Scholarship Earnings: \$680,000

SENIORS SHOWING THEIR UNIVERSITY SPIRIT



FRONT ROW: Olivia Wood, Rachal Weber, Karly Smith, Sami Ames, Natalie Antcliff, Kyleigh Methner, Kyleigh Konwinski, Kaylee Bushong, Kayley Maeder. **Middle Row:** Megan Johnston, Rylee Fike, Anna Rau, Zeta Zeneberg, Paige Antcliff, Bella Benzinger, Jenna Faber, Morgan Wilson, Hannah Benaske, Breanna Onstott, Haiden Onstott, Morgan Conner. **Back Row:** Ben Natzel, Konnor Wilson, Cade Block, Brandon Gross, Chris Whitehead, Pepijn De Vos, Riley Jaessing, Matt Oswald, Jacob Fussman and Chase Owens.



The class of 2022 has shown their commitment to their community by graciously donating their class gift funds to the Riley family. Jamie Riley is a kindergarten student here at Beal that recently underwent brain surgery to remove a tumor. He is now undergoing chemotherapy and radiation treatments. Jamie received a gift basket of fun things to help pass the time while he completes treatments, and his Mother, Leslie, received the monetary donation to put towards medical expenses. Leslie is joined in this photo by the senior class officers, Jacob Fussman, Paige Antcliff, Hannah Benaske and Cade Block, as well as Jamie's younger brother.

*****Staff Members 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. In recognition of their invaluable leadership over the last few years we would like to acknowledge our school principals: Dan Boyer and Jason Johnston.



Principal Dan Boyer (middle and high school) has been a force for change since he joined our staff in 2018. Dan truly understands the importance of building relationships with all students, especially those students who tend to fly under the radar a bit. He has been a positive influence for students and staff. We are lucky to have him here at Beal City Schools helping our students navigate the trials of MS/HS life and setting them up to succeed in life after high school. Thank you, Mr. Boyer, for all you do!!



Our elementary principal, Jason (Jake) Johnston, came to us in 2016 and became a much loved part of our school and community. Jake really embodies the Aggie spirit and started the Aggie PRIDE reward program in the elementary his first year. Students are recognized by all adults to earn PRIDE passes for their displays of positive attitude, respect, integrity, determination and effort. He has set a positive example which encourages all students and staff to follow his lead. Jake has 3 children who attend Beal City Schools with his eldest set to graduate in 2022. Thank you, Mr. Johnston, for all you do!!



Arrive Alive

Arrive Alive Tour came to Beal City Schools to teach the 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students about impaired and distracted driving. They were able to learn how it would feel to drive while impaired or distracted through a virtual reality experience, as well as receive "citations" for all the laws they broke. Arrive Alive taught them how important it is to make good choices while they are behind the wheel. 9 & 10 News stopped by to document the event and spread knowledge of the opportunities this program provided to our students.

Board Briefs

The following was approved at a regular board meeting on May 16, 2022:

- The April payments of bills as presented: General Fund payments \$633,006.62. Hot Lunch payments \$18,770.67. Student Activity Account payments of \$19,544.51, Athletic Fund payments of \$4,862.56, Arbiter Sports payments of \$714.70, Capital Projects payments of \$13,840.00 and Capital Projects 2021 Checking of \$126,815.77.
- The board approved the first reading of NEOLA Spring Policy Updates .
- The board approved Nathan Bachelder for the full time evening custodian position.
- The board approved the resignation of Alsatia Lohr.
- The board approved the RESD Annual Budget Resolution.
- The board approved the MHSAA Membership Resolution.
- The board approved the recommendation of a 30 day suspension, as requested by Dan Boyer, HS Principal, for the student in violation of the handbook for bringing knives into school.

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.

IMPORTANT NEWS from the Aggie Cafe:

As you know, COVID came with many challenges and we have navigated through them as best we could. Supply chain issues continue to be an issue and likely will remain so into the 2022-2023 school year. Schools were granted many waivers during the last two years and were allowed to offer universal free breakfast and lunch to help families through this difficult time.

As of the writing of this letter (April 19, 2022), the Federal Government has informed us that these waivers will be ending at the beginning of the next school year, 2022-2023. This change will move us back to the way school meals were funded prior to the pandemic. Families who qualify will still be able to get free or reduced cost meals, but applications for these reduced or free meals will need to be completed, and those who do not qualify will need to pay full price during the 2022-2023 school year.

With food costs continuing to rise, we anticipate breakfast and lunch prices will rise as well. If you filled out the free/reduced application for the 21/22 school year, your qualification will extend 30 days into the 22/23 school year. You will need to fill out a new form by the end of September in 2022. If you feel you would qualify now but have not yet filled out a form, please click the link to fill one out an online application at <https://bealcity.familyportal.cloud> or contact mfaber@bealcityschools.net for a paper form. Please note that a form filled out this school year will only be good through the end of September 2022. You will need to fill out a new form at the beginning of the next school year. We will inform you of meal prices as soon as possible so that you will have time to plan.

Thank you for the grace and understanding you have given us these last two years. We look forward to continuing to serve your students here in the Aggie Cafe!

Wellness Grant 2022

Beal City Elementary School chose the EZ Walk/Run program to implement during the 2021-2022 school year. Beal has the program available for students to use during their lunch recess, and afternoon recess. The students scan their card after completing each lap. The EZ scan app logs their miles for them. During rain days, the students have an opportunity to log their miles while walking in the gymnasium. The EZ walk/run program has encouraged most students to be more physically active. It encourages students of all athletic abilities to get healthy and fit. This grant provided our school with an EZ Scan 5 year membership activation code, ID scan cards for each student, incentive toe tokens, storage token tote, wrist chains, and an online EZ scan app subscription. There was also online training through Fitness Finders. The program is very easy to run. The students love walking/jogging around the track and earning toe tokens. This program has decreased disciplinary issues and reduced playground problems. A lot of the students who did not get involved in recess activities now walk and talk with their classmates. The EZ walk/run program has made a positive impact on our school environment.

Halloween



The BCEF Halloween Bash is scheduled for October 29th so please put this on your calendar. This is our main fundraiser for the year and it helps us fund the scholarships listed below. We need your help to make the fund grow so we can provide even more scholarships. Any money that we make off this event goes into the Mt Pleasant Area Community Foundation and the principal can never be spent, we can only spend the interest. The more interest the Fund makes, the more we can award in scholarships. If you want to help with this, you can help by making a donation to the Fund, or also by attending the event. The Halloween Bash is a lot of fun. We have a live band, and some snacks. You must be 21 to attend. Remember, it is a fundraiser, so plan to bring some extra cash with you. Tickets are pretty cheap for the entertainment you receive. Keep an eye out for more information.

BCEF Scholarship Recipients

The BCEF is thrilled to announce the winners of the 2022 Aggie of Excellence Scholarship. This year we were able to award 11 scholarships for \$500 each! This is the most so far in an individual year. This years winners are:

Morgan Conner – Morgan will be attending The University of Michigan
Jenna Faber – Jenna will be attending Central Michigan University
Rylee Fike – Rylee will be attending Mid Michigan College
Jacob Fussman – Jacob will be attending Central Michigan University
Brayden Haynes – Brayden will be attending Mid Michigan College
Kyleigh Methner – Kyleigh will be attending Central Michigan University
Ben Natzel – Ben will be attending Central Michigan University
Haiden Onstott – Haiden will be attending Central Michigan University
Karly Smith – Karly will be attending Michigan State University
Morgan Wilson – Morgan will be attending Ferris State University
Zeta Zeneberg – Zeta will be attending Central Michigan University

THANK YOU

Beal City Athletics would like to sincerely thank the students, staff, parents and community members who have volunteered their time and helped with our spring sports season. There is an endless list of volunteers that are needed at our home track meets. Sports Boosters, concession workers, scorekeepers, and bookkeepers are some of the volunteers needed in order to run a successful program. We receive countless compliments on the efficiency with which our events run and it's all because of you. You are so appreciated!!!!!! THANK YOU!!!!!!!!!!

Beal City Elementary Students of the Month May



(L to R) Keegan Sandel, Avery Schultz, Elly Handrich, Makayla Burd, Carson Loomis
Not Pictured: Gannon Shoen

Thank you to our Aggie families!

Even though this year was “more normal” than the last couple of years, it still presented its own unique challenges. I would like to say thank you to all of our families for their continued support. Beal City is a community like no other and that is a huge factor behind the success of our school! We truly appreciate your commitment to supporting student success in all areas. Education must be a partnership between the school and community in order to be truly successful and we couldn't ask for more. Have a wonderful summer everyone!

-Mr. Johnston

Board Seats Up for Election in November

There are three positions on the Beal City Board of Education up for election in the November 2022 general election. Rod Cole, Erin Ludwig and Ron Neyer's seats are all 6 year seats. Anyone interested in running for a position can pick up their election packets at the Isabella County Clerk's Office at 200 N Main St., Room 240, Mt. Pleasant. Their hours are Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Nominating petitions need to be filed with the County Clerk's office by 4:00 p.m. on July 26th.

3rd Quarter Honor Roll

GPA 4.0		GPA 4.0 Cont.		GPA 3.5 – 3.99 Cont.		GPA 3.5 – 3.99 Cont.	
Benzinger, Izabella	12	Scully, Mya	8	Oswald, Matthew	12	Hanner, Brooklynne	9
Block, Cade	12	Theisen, Nole	8	Rau, Anna	12	Hulliberger, Hailey	9
Bushong, Kaylee	12	Trommater, Molly	8	Sellers, Peyton	12	Isaac, Kayne	9
Conner, Morgan	12	Bellinger, Bradley	7	Weber, Rachal	12	Ketchen, Hailey	9
Fussman, Jacob	12	Block, Emma	7	Armstrong, Hadyn	11	Lehnert, Caleb	9
Jaessing, Riley	12	Cotter, Rylee	7	Carrier, Alyssa	11	Martin, Olivia	9
Martin, Brendan	12	Elias, Eric	7	Cotter, Kayden	11	Milett, Ava	9
Methner, Kyleigh	12	Fox, Spencer	7	Faber, Cecilia	11	Reihl, Ava	9
Onstott, Haiden	12	Gottleber, Lauren	7	Fussman, Carter	11	Salisbury, Lydee	9
Smith, Karly	12	Gross, Drew	7	Goffnett, Audree	11	Sienkiewicz, Parker	9
Wilson, Konnor	12	Huisjen, Elizabeth	7	Gross, Owen	11	Stack, Brianna	9
Wilson, Morgan	12	Keehbauch, Taylor	7	Gross, Rachel	11	Welsh, Nevaeh	9
Wood, Olivia	12	Leppert, Novalee	7	Haupt, Luke	11	Benscoter, Chloe	8
Zeneberg, Zeta	12	Owens, Riley	7	Langlois, Karana	11	Boge, Nicholas	8
Carlson, Emma	11	Schultz, Katelyn	7	Locke, Mikayla	11	Brown, Arryana	8
Onstott, Tailor	11	Schumacher, Paisley	7	Schafer, Harmony	11	Doyle, Hayden	8
Fussman, Jack	10	Smith, Cuyler	7	Scully, Sawyer	11	Faber, Madalyn	8
Kunik, Olivia	10	Strong, Eden	7	Straus, Benjamin	11	Galla, Addison	8
Lynch, Eva	10	Thielen, Aubrey	7	Vogel, Isaak	11	McLachlan, Hayden	8
Lyon, Luke	10	Tovar, Maribel	7	Zuker, Addyson	11	Schuberg, Avery	8
Owens, Gracelynn	10	Weber, Jacob	7	Butkovich, Payton	10	Schumacher, Rheid	8
Sellers, Mackenna	10	Wilson, Wyatt	7	Calkins, Madison	10	Sisco, Jaylyn	8
Wilson, Avery	10	Block, Bethany	6	Elias, Dylan	10	Walcutt, Blake	8
Bushong, Ryan	9	Carnes, Grayson	6	Flachs, Devin	10	Connors, Gavin	7
Doyle, Addison	9	Reihl, Allie	6	Fox, William	10	Davis, Landon	7
Johnston, Macy	9	Wezensky, Chloe	6	Garrett, Peyton	10	Fancher, Grace	7
Leppert, Liliana	9	GPA 3.5 – 3.99		Gilde, Bennett	10	Fussman, Lola	7
Licari, Lauryn	9	Ambs, Owen	12	Gross, Lane	10	Gilde, Bryn	7
Locke, Brianna	9	Ames, Samantha	12	Harmon, Chloe	10	Gittus, Dylan	7
Martin, Kyle	9	Andrews, Kaidan	12	Latham, Jamisen	10	Gross, Lily	7
McKenny, Owen	9	Antcliff, Paige	12	Pappas, Jaxon	10	Jaessing, Larkin	7
Schumacher, Jody	9	Bailer, Addie	12	Perreault, Daniel	10	Kunik, Mallory	7
Weber, Sophia	9	Benaske, Hannah	12	Rau, Caitlyn	10	Lehnert, Micah	7
Zeneberg, Zabrina	9	Cotter, Reece	12	Reihl, Alida	10	Locke, Aaron	7
Dodak, Dakota	8	De Vos, Pepijn	12	Scarborough, Adra	10	Martin, Sophia	7
Faber, Anna	8	Dempsey, Eliza	12	Smith, Cayden	10	McKenny, Macy	7
Fisher, Madason	8	Fike, Rylee	12	Tovar, RosaMarie	10	Onstott, Madisyn	7
Fletcher, Kelsey	8	Gross, Brandon	12	Bailey, Jordan	9	Sanders, Blake	7
Gottschalk, Benjamin	8	Haynes, Brayden	12	Breuer, Gabrielle	9	Sienkiewicz, Connor	7
Gross, Lauren	8	Johnston, Megan	12	Carnes, James	9	Sturm-Richmond, Keirsten	7
Higgins, Wesley	8	Konwinski, Kyleigh	12	Cotter, Michelle	9	Wixson, Carter	7
Hubble, Johanna	8	Maeder, Kayley	12	Cotter, Sean	9	Wolff, Karis	7
Longtin, Lanie	8	Mishler, Logan	12	Davis, Isabelle	9	Ames, Megan	6
Ludwig, Sophie	8	Natzel, Benjamin	12	Finnerty, Neil	9	Bowerman, Kinley	6

3rd Quarter Honor Roll

GPA 3.5 – 3.99 Cont.

Carman, Nickolas	6
Funnell, Logan	6
Fussman, Addison	6
Galla, Macey	6
Garrett, Logan	6
Hoover, Aubrey	6
Kannawin, Ashlyn	6
Latham, Jarett	6
Learman, William	6
Martin, Collin	6
Neal, Aspen	6
Pastotnik, Ella	6
Sandel, Paxton	6
Schafer, Isabelle	6
Smith, Shelby	6
Sturm-Richmond, Brooklin	6
Tilmann, Connor	6
Weber, Tessa	6

GPA 3.0 – 3.49

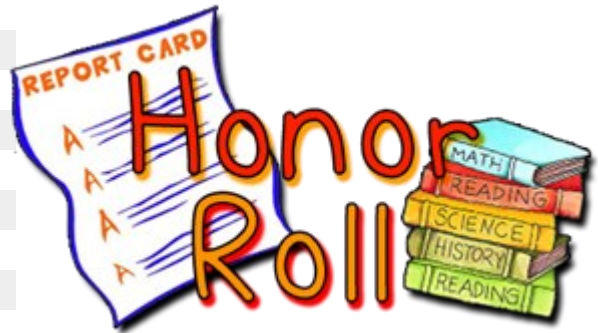
Antcliff, Natalie	12
Faber, Jenna	12
Forbes, Izic	12
Fuller, Mackenzie	12
Gross, Emma	12
Miles, Hunter	12
Onstott, Breanna	12
Owens, Chase	12
Pritchard, Logan	12
Schumacher, Jackson	12
Whitehead, Christopher	12
Wilson, Wade	12
Zuker, Donovan	12
Backus, Lilly	11
Hall, Grant	11
Keller, Kade	11
Lorenz, Grant	11
Seger, Samantha	11
Sisco, Rylee	11
Vollmar, Madilyn	11
Cotter, Emily	10
Ehler, Carlie	10
Elliott, Ava	10
Fernandez, Vincio	10

GPA 3.0-3.49 Cont.

Fletcher, Kylis	10
Gauthier, Jake	10
Gross, Ann	10
Harsh, Kiera	10
Methner, Lily	10
Pasch, Jacob	10
Recker, Lily	10
Schafer, Brayden	10
Wilson, Joshua	10
Block, Drew	9
Faber, Jace	9
Pritchard, Maxwell	9
Proton, Victoria	9
Strong, Ella	9
Taylor, Emily	9
Tilmann, Cole	9
Wernette, Joseph	9
Wilson, Khloe	9
Zeien, Eli	9
Ervin, Nicolas	8
Fenton, Conner	8
Gatrell, Drake	8
McBride, Allyson	8
Pasch, Allison	8
Pierson, Elijah	8
Rau, Lily	8
Sheridan, J J	8
Upton, Jacob	8
Weber, Jordan	8
Wilson, Aubrey	8
Yats, Abigail	8
Zuker, Garrison	8
Zuker, Sydney	8
Baldwin, Harley	7
Bowerman, Ellie	7
Bravo-Buchholz, Araseli	7
Carnes, Cadence	7
Cornell, Brecklyn	7
McClintic, William	7
Scarborough, Cooper	7
Small, Avery	7
Stack, Madyson	7
Wilson, Cooper	7
Brown, Easton	6

GPA 3.0-3.49 Cont.

Calkins, Ryan	6
Cook, Joslyn	6
Eichorn, Easton	6
Gillespie, Dylan	6
Johnston, Matthew	6
Manley, Morgan	6
McQueen, Parker	6
Neu, Khloe	6
VanHooser, Annalise	6



ELEMENTARY 3RD QUARTER HONOR ROLL**ALL A'S & B'S**

Batenburg, Maddison	5	Maxon, Kenzie	4
Bellinger, Cassandra	5	McCullough, Colton	4
Burmeister, Spence	5	McDonald, Kolton	4
Dodd, Rowan Lee	5	Millerov, Liam	4
Eldridge, Jaydon	5	Montini, Leannia	4
Gatrell, Grady	5	Munro, Elijah	4
Goffnett, Tessa	5	Pastotnik, Rylinn	4
Gottleber, Taylen	5	Prout, Samantha	4
Gross, Aleigha	5	Reihl, Aylin	4
Gruss, Sofie	5	Schultz, Avery	4
Hadder, Landyn	5	Sellers, Mack	4
Higgins, Reegan	5	Thielen, Josiah	4
Maney, Gunnar	5	Tilmann, Cylie	4
McDonald, Mazzey	5	Tilmann, Sophia	4
Milett, Carys	5	VanBlargan, Jordyn	4
Salisbury, Brody	5	Warren, Darrell	4
Schuberg, Emery	5	Woodbury, Wyatt	4
Schultz, Bryce	5	Balcom, Avery	3
Shaner, Parker	5	Chippewa, Kelsey	3
Sisco, Gavin	5	Chippewa, Kiley	3
Smalley, Brinden	5	Cramlet, Henderson	3
Straus, Eli	5	Dion, Kenley	3
Vore, Mackenzie	5	Ervin, James	3
Wilson, Thomas	5	Faber, Nicholas	3
Wixson, Madison	5	Gatrell, Della	3
Backus, Jacob	4	Gillespie, Gauge	3
Bland, Conley	4	Haas, Alexandria	3
Breuer, Carleigh	4	Hopkins-Faber, Alexander	3
Campbell, Elias	4	Johnson, nevaeH	3
Clare, Connor	4	Jones, Aden	3
De Vos, Aloise	4	Little, Kylee	3
Faber, Gabriel	4	Onstott, Joshua	3
Finnerty, Madalyn	4	Pappas, Charles	3
Frias, Lian	4	Pohl, Tanner	3
Funnell, Blake	4	Pritchard, Piper	3
Gittus, Cole	4	Quick, Aubrey	3
Graham, Ashlyn	4	Sandel, Keegan	3
Gross, Cole	4	Schafer, Alexis	3
Helmer, Paige	4	Sienkiewicz, Levi	3
Hohlbein, Thomas	4	Simons, Lucas	3
Koutz, Mason	4	VanHooser, Gabriel	3
Little, Easton	4	Wezensky, Cole	3
Love, Hunter	4	Wixson, Rayna	3
Martin, Gregory	4	Wolff, Abigail	3