

HARTSBURG-EMDEN CUSD NO. 21

APRIL 2016 NEWSLETTER

FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT'S DESK

Terry Wisniewski, Superintendent

Students across the state, as well as those here at Hartsburg-Emden CUSD #21, have been busy preparing for the State assessments over the last few weeks. In addition to the local formative assessment we use to make instructional decisions (AIMSweb), districts are also required to administer the PARCC Exam again. However, the State made several modifications to this year's test. We are required to have only 1 test session (instead of 2), so overall a lesser time commitment for testing and lesser loss in time for daily instruction. This marks the 5th straight year the State has changed the State testing format or its benchmarking levels. Regardless how the State continues to matriculate (or tweak) the exam, we have focused on improving instruction to do what's best for students. We ask our students to do their best at everything: Basketball, Volleyball, Scholastic Bowl, and Testing. When compared to the State Average and Area Districts, Hartsburg-Emden has made some nice gains over the last 3 years. We want to continue that trend. Please encourage your son/daughter to show what they know on the test. Stress the importance of learning and doing their best on everything. The staff at Hartsburg Emden always appreciates the support we get from our parents. Thank you!

Hartsburg-Emden CUSD #21 values providing the highest-quality education for our students, while maintaining financial stability. We value our partnership between parents, staff, School Board, and the Hartem Community Club in supporting the aspirations of every child we serve. So, our school budget is more than just a spreadsheet, but a very real resource that translates into excellent teachers and licensed paraprofessionals, quality curriculum and instruction materials, essential technology, clean facilities, fully-equipped buildings, safe and secure classrooms, bussing, food services, and so much more. A school budget is not limited to the specific school year dates. Rather, planning for the next school year budget is beginning now, while we are in the middle of teaching and learning this school year. Much depends on a variety of external factors, including anticipated funding from the State. It is hard to fathom that the State of Illinois does not yet have a budget for this year while we are closing out the school year and looking at maintaining the value

of education for next school year. We need to continue to pay very close attention to what is happening in Springfield as we begin to plan for the 2016-2017 School Year. We are hearing the State may run out of money in April and not be able to make its last few payments to General State Aid (GSA) to school districts for this year. As well as, holding up GSA payments for K-12 districts, at the beginning of next school year, if the entire budget isn't settled. There are talks that State funding may be held up until after the November elections, to see if support shifts one way or the other. Many school districts in Illinois, reliant on State funding, are grappling with how to plan for this uncertainty. Rather than focus on this uncertainty, Hartsburg-Emden School District, is actively employing best practices in order to begin the next school year on solid ground, with a full grasp and understanding of these external issues that may affect our budget. We hope the politicians will make the right decisions for our State and kids. In the meantime, as a district, I can assure you that we will always do what is best of for our students.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Jon Leslie, Principal

Greetings!!! March was an exciting month. It's hard to believe that it is almost April already. Time is flying by, and we will soon be closing out the school year. I want to take this opportunity to address the issue of senioritis. Although fairly common and extremely contagious, it is 100% avoidable. Seniors, you have worked very hard for 3 ¾ years. I encourage you to finish strong. Do your best. Study hard. Most importantly, DO NOT let your attendance slip. Believe it or not, future employers DO make reference calls to your high school. Parents, please insist that your child is at school every day. Our staff is dedicated to educating your children all the way down to their last day at Hartem.

I spoke last month about PARCC testing. I just want to remind you that PARCC testing will begin April 4th for grades 3-8 and high school students that are in Algebra 1 and English 1. Again, please encourage your children to do their very best. Also, make certain that they get a good night's rest and a good breakfast.

(Principal's Message continued on next page)

March was a very busy month here at Hartem. Our 7th Grade Volleyball Team won the state championship, and our 8th grade team is slated to play for the state championship in a couple of days. Congratulations to all and best of luck to our 8th graders. March also has brought us the start of the Junior High Track, High School Baseball, and High School Softball. We also have several students participating in High School Track co-op with Delavan. Hopefully the weather will cooperate with us for our outdoor sports. Ms. Fanning and the FFA are working on all the usual activities for this time of the year. Junior High Scholastic Bowl is also in full swing and is doing well so far. We also had the Beta Club Induction Ceremony. This was my first experience with this ceremony, and I must say that it is a very special thing. Congratulations to all of our students that were inducted and promise to be leaders while here at Hartem.

Please check the rest of this newsletter for a full listing of what we have going on over the next month. There are plenty of things to choose from that could be fun for the entire family. Enjoy the warmer weather and the start to our Spring.

Go Stags!!!!

APRIL BREAKFAST & LUNCH COSTS

21 Student Breakfasts	@\$1.95	\$40.95
21 Reduced Student Breakfasts	@\$0.30	\$6.30
20 Student Lunches	@\$2.45	\$49.00
20 Reduced Student Lunches	@\$0.40	\$8.00

Students at the Junior High/High School will need to pay for seconds. Entrées are \$.90, vegetable/fruit are \$.50 and milk is \$.40. Seconds need to be paid for at the time they are served. Adult lunches purchased are \$2.95.

DISTRICT LUNCH POLICY

Once your child has \$20 in charges he/she will not be allowed to receive seconds or any extras. Also, once your child has \$40 in charges he/she will not be allowed to receive a school breakfast/lunch. They will be offered a peanut butter sandwich and a milk if they do not bring their own lunch. Students will not be allowed to acquire more than a \$40 deficit.



ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

Matt Stoltzenburg, Athletic Director

A big thanks to all of those who helped with the home basketball and volleyball games this past winter. I know it's a lot of time and energy. We received many compliments (again) on how well our games run and how nice our facilities are. Your time and effort is greatly appreciated.

Congratulations go out to Coach Hayes, Coach Eeten, and the 71A state champs. At the time of this newsletter, the 7th grade girls had went undefeated to win the title, while the 8th grade girls had just beat Our Lady of Lourdes and advanced to the state tournament.

The month of April is filled with high school baseball and softball games as well as junior high track meets. So, get out and enjoy the nice weather while cheering on those Stags. I would also like to welcome Coach Jay McAfee as our assistant high school baseball coach and Coach Lynn Curry as our girls' track coach. Good luck to all our student-athletes and coaches as we end our school year on a high note.



"FIT FOR HARTEM"

May Brooks, Junior High/Grade School PE Teacher

At the grade school "Fit For Hartem" student for March is Wyatt Leinenbach! Wyatt is a true example of sportsmanship, positive attitude, eagerness to help and respectful towards his classmates and teacher. Congrats Wyatt!

At the junior high level "Fit For Hartem" student for March is Ryan Kennedy. Ryan brings sportsmanship, positive attitude, and the eagerness to help fellow class mates and teachers class every day. He is a true example of what "Fit For Hartem" means. Congrats Ryan! Ms. Brooks would like to congratulate these students and thank them for what they bring and give every day!

FFA NEWS

Liz Fanning, FFA Sponsor

March was fun-filled and busy. The FFA participated in Ag Legislature Day, Livestock Judging, and Women Changing the Face of Ag. In April, FFA will be participating in 3 Livestock Judging events, Ag Mechanics CDE, Horticulture CDE, Dairy Judging and State Awards Day.



We would like to thank everyone who helped the FFA members raise money for the Polar Plunge.



GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT NEWS

Amanda Feltes, K-12 Guidance Counselor

It's that time of year again... All Illinois schools have begun PARCC testing. PARCC testing at Hartem will begin April 4th and should be completed by the end of the month. State tests are important for your student's success. Because of this, testing can be very stressful. Here are some ways you can help minimize stress and maximize their performance throughout the testing process:

- DO make sure your child completes homework assignments and class projects. Because tests reflect overall achievement, the more effort your child puts into learning, the more likely he/she will do well on tests.
- DO make sure your child gets a good night's sleep, eats a healthy breakfast, and gets to school on time on the morning of the test.
- DO encourage your child to think positive thoughts about their performance on the test. For example, "I am going to ace this test!"
- DO support your child. Praise him/her for what he/she does well. When students feel good about themselves, they will do their best.

ACT/SAT

College-Bound Juniors: There is one more testing session in the 2015-2016 schoolyear for the ACT on June 11th, 2016. The registration deadline (without a late fee) is May 6th, 2016. There are locations in Bloomington and Normal offering the ACT on this date. Visit actstudent.org to register, view specific testing locations, and find test preparation materials. Heartland Community College offers an "Enhanced ACT Review" course at the Normal campus. The cost of this course is \$90 and twice a week on evenings from 5/3/16 – 5/19/16. Visit communityedregistration.heartland.edu for a list of College Prep courses and registration information.

(Guidance Department News cont. on next page)

Upcoming Scholarship Deadlines

*All applications are available in the Counseling Office and Front Office. See Mrs. Feltes or visit hartemcounseling.weebly.com for details.

- **Hopedale Medical Foundation** – Open to Hartsburg-Emden students interested in pursuing a degree in healthcare or farming. Application deadline: March 24
- **Lincoln-Logan Crime Stoppers** – Logan County residents pursuing a degree in Law Enforcement. Application deadline: March 31
- **Zonta Club of Lincoln** – Logan County residents accepted into professional curriculum. Deadline: April 2
- **Iva Mae Blaum Trust Scholarship** -Logan County residents pursuing Bachelor degrees in agriculture or nursing. Deadline: April 8
- **Ed and Beulah Schmidt Trust Scholarship** - Hartsburg-Emden High School Seniors. Deadline: April 29
- **Emden Sons of the American Legion Post #506** – Deadline: May 11
- **Emden Legion** – Deadline: May 2

HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLASTIC BOWL

Joe Garcia Named to All-Conference Team

The high school scholastic bowl team had a great season this year! We ended the season with Joe Garcia earning 4th place in the Tomahawk Conference for most toss-ups, placing him on the All-Conference Team. We look to next year being bright as well since Austin Hayes was 11th for toss-ups in the Conference. Thanks for a great season, everyone. Thank you to Clay Olson, our departing senior, for his time on the team, and also thank you to all of the volunteers that helped make the two home-hosted meets a possibility. I look forward to new team members next year!

FEA THANK YOU

Nichole Folkman, FEA Sponsor

Thank you so much for your generous donations to the Keifer school! The Future Educators were able to create 51 Easter Baskets to deliver to Keifer School on Mar. 23.

*Thank
You*

GENIUS HOUR

The 6th and 7th grade DEAR classes have started doing Genius Hour on the days DEAR occurs. This is based on 20% time that many large corporations give their creative workers to work on any project of their own passion. The students in this class have chosen projects like making bracelets to sell for charity, making birdhouses to give away, learning to make balloon animals, researching cancer's origins, making their own fishing lures, and many other great projects. You can help by donating plastic two-liter bottles, dowel rods, embroidery thread, balloons, paint, or other such crafting supplies. Items can be brought to the high school office.

PROM 2016

The Class of 2017 would like to invite the entire community to the Jr./Sr. Prom Grand March on April 23, 2016, at 4pm as we roll out the red carpet **outside the Emden Community House**. In case of inclement weather, the Grand March will be held at the Hartsburg-Emden High School gym. In this case, a SchoolReach will be sent to notify students and parents and the Twitter and Facebook pages will also be updated.



SOPHOMORE CLASS PROJECTS

The English II class has been hard at work creating projects for the crowd-funding site Donors Choose. Students are selecting projects such a new band instruments, new lab supplies, new books, new items for scholastic and athletic teams, and much more. Students are able to create these projects, sponsored by a teacher, and then collect donations online at www.donorschoose.org to get their projects funded. The projects will be online sometime this month, so watch the school's website, Twitter, and Facebook to keep updated.

BAND & CHOIR NEWS

Calob Pluhm, 6th-12th Band & Choir Director

Solo and Ensemble Contest

Seven students participated in the Solo and Ensemble Contest held at Lincoln College on March 11th. Special recognition should be awarded to these students as performing in a small group and alone can be a scary task. I am very proud of these students all of whom received a division one rating at contest. Please congratulate the following students on a job well done: Baylee Baker, Jenna Benner, Zoi Dunse, Olivia Garcia, Maddie Maaks, Emmary Matson, and Matthew Nowatney.

Hartem Live

This year's Hartem Live will be Friday, April 15th at 6:30pm in the High School Gymnasium. This is a talent exhibition for students K-12 in the Hartem Community. Students are welcome to participate in a group or solo, but may participate in no more than three acts. Get your ideas flowing now as a list of performers, acts and songs is due to Mr. Pluhm by Friday, April 8th.

School Play

Sixteen students 6th – 9th grade have been working hard on this year's play. There will be two performances of *The Seussification of Romeo and Juliet* on April 29th and April 30th both nights at 6:30 p.m. If your student is involved in the play I sure do appreciate your efforts to get them to practice. A schedule should have gone home with your student, but if you need another please let me know.

Spring Concert

The Spring Concert for the Bands and Choirs will be Thursday May 5th at 7:30 p.m. The call time for student performers will be 7 p.m. Please come out, support our students and see what we have been working on this spring semester!

As a reminder, please email cpluhm@hartem.org with any questions.

JR. BETA CLUB INDUCTION

Lynn Curry, JR. Beta Sponsor

On Wednesday, March 16th, 13 junior high students were inducted into Junior Beta Club. The National Beta Club, which is the parent club for Junior Beta, is a student honor society that honors students based on academic achievement, excellent character and good citizenship. The National Beta Club recognizes outstanding achievement, promotes character and social responsibility, encourages service involvement to school and community, fosters leadership skills, grants scholarships, and provides a setting for students to develop interpersonal skills. Congratulations to the following students who were inducted into the Junior Beta Club on March 16th:

6th Grade-Allison Woolard, Drew McAfee, Emmary Matson, Blake Martin, MacArthur Briggs, Cassie Bridge, Jenna Benner,

7th Grade-Hattie Langley, Brianna Grabowski, Tyson Andrade, Jaedyn Rybolt

8th Grade-Emily Craig, Denver Merz



Congratulations

KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE

April 27th Hartsburg-Emden will be having their Kindergarten Open House from 1:00-3:00 pm. This is the chance to see the kindergarten classroom, meet with me, and address any concerns you may have. I will have kindergarten information available for you to take home. This will also be a chance to register your child for kindergarten. I can't wait to meet my new kindergarteners! ☺ See you then!

SKATING AT EMDEN ELEMENTARY

Second through fifth grade students have been enjoying their skating unit the last couple of weeks. Each class has seen improvement from the beginning of the skating to the end of the unit. Students enjoy learning the art of skating along with the skills and games that go along with our skating unit. Skatertime allows the students the opportunity to learn a leisure time activity that lasts a lifetime.



LABELS FOR EDUCATION

Campbell's Soup has announced the end of their Labels for Education program. Over the years community members have generously saved soup labels. At this time we ask that if you have any soup labels, or other participating products, that you please submit them as soon as possible. Thank you for your contributions and look for future updates about how our school has benefited from this program!



BOX TOPS

THANK YOU to everyone that saved General Mills Box Tops. The redemption deadline for the 2015-16 school year is over and thanks to your help we collected **5384** box tops and received **\$538.40** for our school. Please keep saving box tops all summer for the 2016-17 school year. Box tops can be turned in any time at the grade school or high school office. We really appreciate your support.



LIBRARY NEWS

Susan Wilson, Librarian

The Scholastic Book Fair will be held April 25th through April 29th. It will be open from 8 a.m. to 3:15 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, and from 8 to 11:30 on Wednesday, before the early dismissal. Family Reading Night will be on Tuesday, April 26, from 6:30-8:00, with the fair closed during family reading time from 6:30-7.

There will be TONS of new, exciting books and activities for the entire family! Please come and check it out, and remember, books make wonderful gifts!



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<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
School Calendar					1 HSBB @ Lewistown 4:30 FFA-Livestock Judging Canton	2 HSBB @ Roanoke-Benson 11:00 (DH)
3	4 <i>Pre-K Screening @ GS</i> 3:00pm-6:00pm HSBB @ W-L 4:30 HSSB @ W-L 4:30 JH Sch. Bowl-vs. IC 4:00 FFA-Farm Conf. TBA PARCC testing begins	5 HSBB vs. Delavan 4:30 HSSB vs. Delavan 4:30 FFA-Farm Conf. TBA	6 JH Sch. Bowl- vs. Greenview 4:00	7 HSBB @ Tri-Valley 4:30 HSSB @ Tri-Valley 4:30 FFA-Livestock Judging @ Springfield	8 HSBB @ Peoria Heights 4:15 HSSB vs. Maroa- Forsyth 4:30 FFA-Livestock Judging @ Macomb	9 HSBB vs. Springfield Lutheran 11:00 (DH) HSSB @ El Paso- Gridley 11:00 (DH)
10	11 HSBB vs. Eureka 4:30 HSSB vs. Eureka 4:30 JH Sch. Bowl @ CC 4:00	12 HSBB @ MWC 4:15 HSSB @ MWC 4:15 JH Sch. Bowl vs. New Holland- Middletown 4:00	13 <i>HCC Mtg. @ GS</i> <i>Cafeteria 6:30</i>	14 Logan County Music Festival @ Mt. Pulaski JHTRK @ MWC 4:00 HSBB vs. Williamsville 4:30 HSSB @ Tremont 4:30	15 <i>4th Qtr. Progress</i> <i>Reports</i> "Hartem Live" @ HS Gym 6:30	16 HSBB @ GCMS 10:00 (DH) JHTRK @ Oly Invitational 10:00
17	18 <i>Board Mtg. 7:00</i> HSBB @ IC 4:15 HSSB @ IC 4:15 JHTRK @ Havana 4:15	19 HSBB @ LeRoy 4:30 HSSB @ LeRoy 4:30 JHTRK @ IC 4:00	20	21 HSBB @ IWU vs. El Paso- Gridley 7:00 HSSB vs. Tremont 4:30 JH Sch. Bowl @ IC 4:00 2 nd Grade ALMH Field Trip 11:45-3:00	22 FFA-State Livestock Judging @ U of I Bass-IHSA Sect.	23 HSSB @ Delavan Tournament TBA Grand March 4:00 Pictures 5:00 Prom @ Emden Community House 6:15-11:00
24 Post Prom @ GS	25 HSBB @ Havana 4:30 HSSB @ Havana 4:30 JHTRK @ IC 4:00 Scholastic Book Fair At Emden 04/25-04/29	26 HSBB vs. Mt. Pulaski 4:30 Family Reading Night @ GS 6:30-8:00	27 JH Sch. Bowl-Reg. TBA Kindergarten Open House @ GS 1:00- 3:00 11:30 Dismissal SIP Day	28 HSBB @ Blue Ridge 4:30 HSSB @ Blue Ridge 4:30	29 HS Play @ HS gym 6:30	30 JHTRK @ PORTA 9:00 HSBB @ Peoria Christian 10:00 (DH) HSSB @ Peoria Christian 10:00 (DH) HS Play @ HS gym 6:30

Hartsburg- Emden
2015-2016
HONOR ROLL – 3rd Nine Weeks

*** denotes 4.00 GPA**

<u>HIGH</u>	<u>HONORS</u>	<u>HONORABLE MENTION</u>
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6th Grade

Jenna Benner*
Allison Woolard*
Cassie Bridge
MacArthur Bridge
Blake Martin

Gillian Harris
Maddie Maaks
Emmary Matson

Alex Donaldson
Garrett Hopkins
Zachery Hamilton
Drew McAfee

7th Grade

Brianna Grabowski
Hattie Langley
Collin Schriber

Tyson Andrade
Grace Beekman
Serina Baker
Ryan Kennedy
Connor Zinser

Jaedyn Rybolt
JoJo Baker

8th Grade

Emily Craig*
Spencer Davis*
Liam Evans
Olivia Garcia
Matt Nowatney
Evan Rohlf

Zoi Dunse
Seth Evans
Lily Escobedo
Nate McAfee
Sami Perschall

Mayci Maaks
Baylee Baker
Payge McCree
Addam Hoerbert
Wyatt Hopkins

9th Grade

Lexi Barry*
Anna Hayes*
Sierra Smith*
Austin Hayes

Dylan Duvall
Madison Farris
Ivy Merz
Dawson Watt

Hunter Buck
Abbigail Hoerbert
Justin Cannon

10th Grade

Emme Olson*
Joe Garcia*

Talia Andrade
Hayley Matson
Xavier Detmers
Shawn Bridge

Shyanne Conrady
Zach Phillips

11th Grade

Alec Hayes
Brady Wolpert

Hunter Langley
Maddie Shawgo

Ashley Zinser
Alexus Buckles

12th Grade

Alyssa Bridge*
Erin Lessen*
Clay Olson*

Lexi Strange
Kaylee Beekman
Kolton Johner

Adre Vetter
Kyle Johner
Emma Moats
Brooklyn Swinford

APRIL

A variety of milk is available every day.
This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
Breakfast Menu					1 Cereal bar Toast Applesauce Apple juice	2
3	4 French toast sticks Syrup Pears Orange juice	5 Sausage bagel Mixed fruit Orange juice	6 Waffles Pears Orange juice	7 Fruit frudel Cheese stick Pineapple Orange juice	8 Assorted muffins Peaches Orange juice	9
10	11 Yogurt parfait Cheese stick Apple juice	12 Sausage patty Tri tater Toast	13 Biscuit Egg patty Peaches Apple juice	14 Pop tart Toast Fruit Apple juice	15 Breakfast pizza Mixed fruit Apple juice	16
17	18 Cook's choice Orange juice	19 Peanut butter & Jelly Jamwich Mandarin oranges Orange juice	20 Pancakes Syrup Peaches Orange juice	21 Trix yogurt Toast Pears Orange juice	22 Bagel Cream cheese Pineapple Orange juice	23
24	25 Assorted cereal Toast Applesauce Apple juice	26 Pancake & sausage On a stick Peaches Apple juice	27 Egg & cheese taco Pears Apple juice	28 Biscuit Sausage patty Pineapple Apple juice	29 Donut Toast Applesauce Apple juice	30



Come on Hartsburg-Emden “Catch the Groove” with Family Reading Night 2016

We are excited to announce Family Reading Night for 2016. We are set to groove into reading on Tuesday, April 26, 2016 from 6:30 – 8:00 at Emden Elementary. We will “peace out” with a reading time with family, so bring your favorite books and blanket to enjoy some family reading time. We will be flowing like lava with our Catch group as they read to us and we do some fun movements with reading. The book fair will be grooving along for you to purchase some great new books for the kids. There will also be a Teen/Adult book swap happening for any of our older guests that want to look at swapping a few books they are done with for a few new titles to read.

If anyone has books that they would like to donate to the Teen/Adult book swap, please drop books off at the grade school by the April 25th.

Come share your “Groove” with us on Family Reading Night 2016.



APRIL

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
Lunch Menu	A variety of milk is available every day. Chef salad and side salads are available every day at the high school. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.				1 Sloppy joe on bun Nacho chips Peas Pears	2
3	4 Grilled chicken wrap Lettuce/tomato Corn Mixed fruit Vanilla wafers	5 Salisbury steak Mashed potatoes/gravy Green beans Bread Pears	6 Deli sub sandwich Fresh veggies/dip Hard pretzels Pineapple	7 Beef nuggets Pasta salad with veggies Peas Peaches Pudding	8 Pork tenderloin on bun Cole slaw Bread Cooked carrots Applesauce	9
10	11 Pig in a blanket Baked beans Mandarin oranges Juice bar	12 Chicken fajita on tortilla Lettuce/cheese Corn Peaches	13 Hamburger on bun Bean salsa Chips Green beans Apple	14 Chicken patty on bun Sweet potatoes Peas Mixed fruit	15 Assorted sandwiches Tri tater Mini carrots Mandarin oranges	16
17	18 Mini corn dogs Baked beans Mandarin oranges Juice bar	19 Creamed chicken On biscuit Green beans Peaches Jello	20 Toasted cheese sandwich Tomato soup Mini carrots Pears	21 Meatball sub Corn Cottage cheese Pineapple	22 Crispito with cheese sauce Mixed vegetables Bread Applesauce Cookie	23
24	25 Chicken nuggets Macaroni & cheese Spinach salad Peas Peaches	26 Tacos Salsa Lettuce/cheese Pears Graham cracker	27 11:30 Dismissal SIP Day	28 BBQ rib on bun Green beans Sun chips Applesauce	29 Pizza Romaine salad Corn Fruit juice	30

ALUMNI BANQUET

The 89th Annual Hartsburg-Emden High Alumni Banquet will begin at 6:30pm on June 11, 2016. Again, the banquet will be held at the Community House in Emden, Illinois. The banquet will be catered by the Stag-R-Inn. Invitations to the banquet will be sent out in early May. Anyone who does not receive an invitation, but would like to attend the banquet may send a request via email to hartemalumni@gmail.com or you may call/text Janell Woolard at 217-737-2888.

Anniversary classes being honored this year include: 1936, 1941, 1946, 1951, 1956, 1961, 1966, 1971, 1976, 1981, 1986, 1991, 1996, 2001, 2006, 2011, and the Senior Class of 2016. If you are a member of one of these classes and want to insure you are on the mailing list, please email your address to hartemalumni@gmail.com or call/text Janell Woolard at 217-737-2888. All HARTEM graduates are welcome to attend. The Alumni Committee is currently researching addresses with the help of members from each anniversary class.

The winner of the "Wall of Fame" award will be selected and announced at the banquet. This year's award will be represented in the category of "Service to the District." Please mail nomination letters to Janell Woolard, PO BOX 104, Emden, IL 62635.

The Association will also be accepting donations to help out with the cost of the event and to continue funding the Alumni Scholarship. Donations are payable to the Hartem Alumni Association and may be sent to Greg Phillips, 208 Market Street, Emden, IL 62635.

Officers of the Alumni Association are President - Janell Wibben Woolard ('95); Vice President - Holly Payne Moore ('96); Secretary - JoEllen Westen ('07); Treasurer - Greg Phillips ('89); Corresponding Secretary - Carole Metz Knipp ('62).

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