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The secret to creativity is knowing how to hide your sources

-Albert Einstein

I can handle the clouds, but I can't an eclipse.

-Bella Swan

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Students Save Lives *By: Jessica Williams*

On October 12th, Cody Lewis. Thirty-one Business Professionals of America (BPA) hosted their 5th annual Blood Drive. High school teens are one of the top groups to donate blood. "Twenty-three percent of the blood we receive is from high school students." Michelle Tandara, Inland Northwest Blood Center (INBC) recruit coordinator said.

Sarah Allred was the BPA blood drive chair person and organized the blood drive. Forty students came to donate, including ASB President,

The staff on the INBC bus was both fully skilled and enjoyable. One student told us that she was indeed nervous but the bus staff made her feel much better about the needle phobia. "He just told a bunch of jokes then told me it would be over before I know it. I knew some people on the bus and chatted while my blood flowed out into the little pouch thing. The needle hurt but I can rest easy knowing that someone is alive because of me."

BPA will be hosting another blood drive in March. They hope that more students can come and give the gift of life to those who need it.

Now, Its Business *by Adrian Parker*

So, you say you want go to Disneyland on a field trip next spring? BPA (Business Professionals of America) can get you there. It is one of seven Career and Technical Student Organizations for students all over the nation in career fields such as business management, information

technology and administrative support staffing services.

BPA's goal is to help prepare future employers and employees to be globally competitive in business fields.

KHS is one of the major activities in Kellogg High School, as students

from middle school to college can participate in BPA, and it's conducted over regional, state, and national levels.

BPA is a program in 17 states, and has over 40,000 students enrolled.

At KHS, BPA hosts the annual talent show and is a (continued on page 6)

Spirit of the Wildcat By: Wendi Criger

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The Spirit Club is a brand new thing this year at Kellogg High School. Staff and students have tried to get Spirit Club going in the past, but it never worked out. So far this year, we have done a fundraiser with yard signs, along with making and decorating posters for the halls and the foot-

ball field. In the future we also plan on having more fundraisers. For example, the seniors plan on selling popcorn and the Spirit Club plans on selling purple and gold beads. Also, we are wanting to set up an espresso stand out in the lobby so we can catch students as they are coming to school. The Spirit Club plans on using their money to afford

their own bus to go to Brawl for the Ball in St. Maries this year in order to pump up the crowd.

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Editing Life By: Gabby McTalksAlot

The steady clack of keyboards and the shouting of an editor all make up the sounds of room 305, sixth hour Journalism class. Ideas flow, orders are followed, people grumble and laugh. It makes up for the experience. Kellogg junior Jessica Williams, 16, is the new editor this year.

“I only became editor because no one else wanted to step up,” Williams says. “It wasn’t like I won some grand fight or made anyone cry. It was very simple and painless.” Jessica runs a tight shift. Someone is always working and so is she. She juggles Business Professionals of America (BPA), The Pa-

per, homework, family, and friends. It’s not an easy job to do.

“There really is a lot more tension in sixth hour than in my usual classes. I am more picky in [journalism] class than I am anywhere else.

No one ever reads my essays, but they do read what my staff puts out in The PAPER every month! So the tension and the stress seem to elevate in that room when deadline comes. You could cut it with a knife. By the way, that was a figure of speech.” Jessica retorts.

The first edition of The Paper was met

with some open arms. Teachers and students eagerly read what the new school year was sure to bring. Our Principal, Mrs. Brooks, wrote a message to the students. It is a better way to interact with the students.

“You bet I get a lot of praise from people about The Paper! I always have a teacher saying something about how ‘great’ it was and how ‘awesome’ I am to have stepped up to make these drastic decisions. It’s nice for teachers to recognize your work outside of the class.”

Jessica says that every month is a new edition and it’s a new idea flow for everyone. They all get their say in what goes in and they still hope that they get more people to join at semester.

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Going for the Win By Adrian Parker

The last game of Kellogg High School's varsity football season was on Friday, October 23 against Timberlake, the final score being 35-13 in Timberlake's favor, although things looked pretty good after Kellogg's win over Bonners Ferry the prior week.

It's been a hard fought season for the most part, with the highlight of this year definitely being the Homecoming game: 26-0 in Kellogg's favor. It was the talk of the school for quite some time, and it won't be forgotten any time soon, as it really added a lot to the fun of Homecoming week.

So, maybe the season didn't end with a nail-biting surprise interception return, or a fumble recovery in the fourth quarter of a home game against Kellogg's all time biggest rivals, the Wallace Miners.

But if you talk to any of the football players or any of the audience from the Homecoming game, they'll most likely tell you it was a fun season, and that they are looking forward to seeing what their football team can do next season.

Highlights on Homecoming By Danielle Shipley and Brandi Quimby

Congratulations to winning the homecoming game this year. Great job to J.J. Bebout for making the first touchdown and to Joe Bren for making the last. Amazing job to Joe who caught a 43 yard pass to make the winning touchdown.

At half time, the score was 26-0, Kellogg. No one made any points in the second half. Awesome job this year Wildcats! No one was injured during this season. At half time, homecoming king was Ty Clinton and homecoming queen went to Chloe Peterson. Well done to the both of you.

Mr. Williams, the football coach, said, "About 1200 people [were in the stands]." That was a lot of people to attend a football game. Thank you all for coming out to support your school, and for cheering the team on to win homecoming.

People were also wondering if Tom Sherry was really at the football game. "Yes, he was," Mr. Williams says, "I had gone down and to meet him." Nice job to the juniors for winning the hallway decorating contest. Good work to the seniors for winning 2nd, freshman for winning 3rd, and for the sophomores for taking 4th.

On Thursday during the pep assembly there were class competitions, and the seniors had one that for being the loudest. Great Job!

Congratulations to Major Groves for winning the sundae eating contest with three other teachers. Events that happened during homecoming week were Tuesday-Volleyball fun night, Wednesday-bonfire, and Thursday parade-pep assembly and girl's varsity volleyball game.



The members of the Spirit Club get ready to leave on a float for the homecoming week parade.

Interview with Mrs. Yasen

By: April DeShazer

Mrs. Jenifer Yasen, the Earth Science teacher in room #204 is a new teacher at Kellogg High School. She graduated from Eastern Washington University and did her student teaching in a Biology class at Lake City High School in Coeur D'Alene. Below are a few questions she was asked so that the students and teachers can have a little more insight about her.

Q. *Why did you choose to teach?*

A. While going to college to be a Dental Hygienist she was taking Anatomy and Physiology, she liked what she was studying plus she wanted to help people make it easier to learn.

Q. *Why did you choose Kellogg?*

A. She said that Kellogg is beautiful and that she plans on moving here in a few years with her husband.

Q. *What led you to choose the subject you teach?*

A. In response to this question, was that she "Loves science, I am good at it, I do not have to study real hard, it's in-

teresting, and I am good at hands on subjects like science."

Q. *Which parts of science do you think will be your favorite to teach?*

A. For this topic she said that there are a lot of parts in science that she enjoys and will like teaching. She enjoys Faults, Sea Floor Spreading, and how new crests are formed.

Q. *Which grade is your favorite?*

A. "Freshmen, I relate better to them!"

Q. *How do you deal with disruptive people?*

A. She follows classroom rules which would be to take away responsibility points (points that are given to an individual who did something responsible).

Q. *Would you dress up for spirit day?*

A. She was very cheerful when this question was asked. She said "Oh yes, I love spirit day."



Staff Photo

This year's new science teacher, Mrs. Jennifer Yasen

Doing Math with Mrs. Whittaker

By: Danielle Shipley

Mrs. Danika Whitaker, 25, has been married since July 2009. Her first job was working at Taco Time when she was in high school. She loves teaching Algebra; Mrs. Whitaker is only teaching Algebra this year.

Her favorite candy bar is Dove Dark Chocolate; she also likes Peanut Butter M&M's. Her favorite holiday is Christmas.

Danika Whitaker is from Colville, Washington. She doesn't have any family near Kellogg, but the closest is Spokane, Washington.



Staff Photo

Kellogg High School's newest Algebra teacher, Mrs. Whittaker.

Her favorite color is pink. She doesn't like mean students. So you shouldn't be mean while in school anyways.

She also doesn't like dogs. She prefers cats. "I have one cat that looks like a lion." says Danika Whitaker.

She enjoys riding her bike, spending time with family and friends; she likes the snow and mountains.

Happy Halloween!!!

By April DeShazer

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POPCORN-BALLS
PUMPKIN PIE
PUMPKINS
SCARECROWS
SKELETONS
SKULLS
SPIDERWEBS
TRICK-OR-TREAT
WEREWOLVES
WITCHES

Willkommen bei Kellogg, Saskia By: Kaylia Russell

This year, KHS is fortunate to have a foreign exchange student from Germany. Her name is Saskia Olesch. Our staff reporter, Kaylia Russell asked Saskia a few questions.

Where are you from and when were you born, Saskia?

Frankfort, Germany on October 28th, 1992

How do you like America?

I like it so far. It's a lot different, and I feel like a complete different person. Here there are dollars in Germany there is Euros. The food is a lot different there are still some fast food restaurant such as McDonalds, and burger king. I lived there for 13 years so it's the next step to life. There aren't any name brands like ours and the mall is like a street walk. There you're aloud to drink and smoke so there are different regulations and perspectives.

Do you like America better than Germany?

So far, yes. There are some things I do miss about Germany though.

When do you plan to move back?

June 14th. I miss my friends and family?

How many years of school do you have to attend in Germany?

13. Every day is a different schedule. We choose our subjects. English is from 5th—13th grade and take 2 languages—French and Latin. Sadly, we have no lunch break. We get a 15 minute break and a 20 minute break. And the teachers come to you. We have no choir or woodshop.

What about holidays?

We have no Christmas Eve. Yet Saint Nicolas comes December 7th and Clause comes on the 24th.

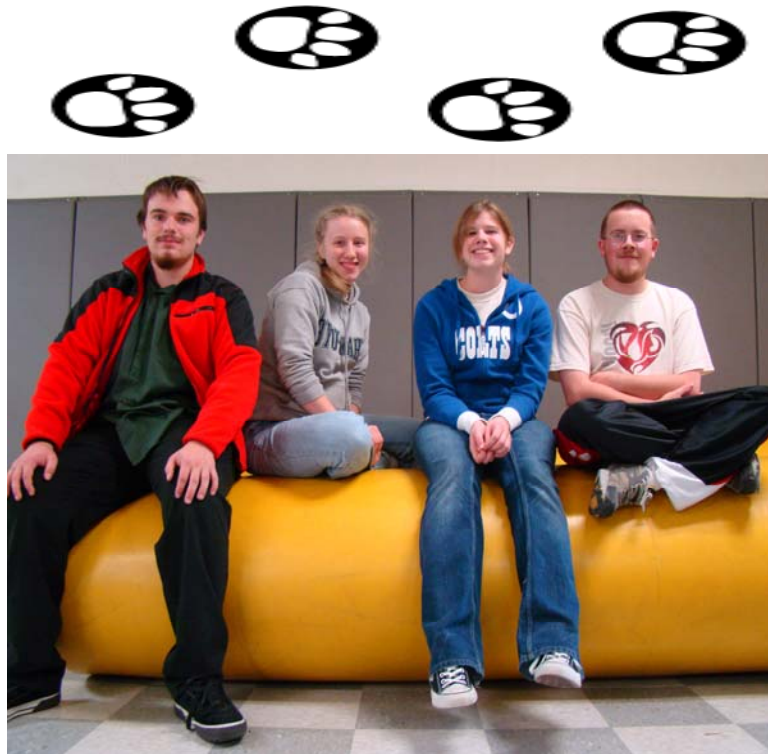


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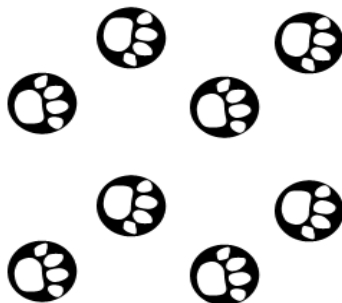
(left to right) BPA President John Stevens, Administrative Assistant Sarah Allred, Treasurer Amber Keele, and Vice-President Mark Griffith.

(continued from page 1) largely student-led organization. The KHS BPA has already hosted a blood drive, the Halloween Dance, and is organizing a Pennies for Patriots community service project. "There's something for everybody" said Mr. Peterson, KHS teacher and BPA advisor. When asked what he likes best about BPA, Peterson responded "Probably the best part is meeting people from different schools, different states..."

BPA hosts competitive events such as: Java Programming, Computer Security, Computer Animation, Speech, and Interview Skills and many more. They even offer scholarships for some events.

BPA is an all year long organization, so if BPA sounds interesting to you—see Mr. Peterson soonest to sign up.

(continued from page 2) with your game face on. Show your wild cat pride by wearing purple and gold on game days. Cheer with the crowd and elevate the festivity of the moment.



By James Reach

One Mad Night

Kellogg High School
Drama Department

DATE: NOVEMBER 9, 11, 16-18

TIME: 7:00 P.M

Directed by: Paul Roberts
208-784-1371

**KELLOGG HIGH SCHOOL
STAGE IN THE CAFETERIA**

TICKET PRICE: \$5.00



Up Coming Events BY: Brandi Quimby

November 2009

- 4-5th Parent/Student-Teacher Conference, No School, Faculty Scratch for Cash
- 7th SAT Testing
- 10th Tostado Feed at KMS
- 11th Assembly Veteran's Day
- 16th Gear up Night
- 18th School Board Meeting
- 21st Marine Corps Birthday Ball
- 25th Early release
- 26-27th No School