



October 13, 2017

# Jaguar



# Jamboree

# JAGS ARE ON A ROLL

The Howells-Dodge football team is undefeated through the first six games. For the homecoming game, the Jags took on Neligh-Oakdale. It was a hard-fought game, but in the end, the Jaguars pulled away and won 46-12. The next week, the Wolf Pack from Elgin Public/Pope John came to Howells. The Jags got off to a hot start, taking back the opening kickoff, returning 2 punt returns for touchdowns, busting a 47 yard touchdown run, and topping it all off with a pick-6, making the score at the end of the first quarter 38-0. After scoring a couple more touchdowns and giving up a few in the second half, the final score stood at 58-22. Last week, in a game played during the pouring rain, the Jaguars dominated Humphrey/LHF and ended the game with a score of 70-14. This week is the last regular season game played in Howells, where the Jags will play Homer.

-Dax VanLengen



## Volleyball team continues to win

The H-D Volleyball Team is doing well so far this year. They have a record of 13-11. The schools they have played against this year are West Point Beemer, Winside, Randolph, Hartington-New Castle, Scribner-Snyder, Cedar Bluffs, Elkhorn Valley, Shelby-Rising City, Elgin Public/Pope John, Wakefield, Logan View, Lutheran High Northeast, BRLD, Wisner-Pilger, Oakland-Craig, Clarkson-Leigh, Cross Country, Humphrey/Lindsay Holy Family, Stanton, Twin River and North Bend Central.

Best wishes to the Lady Jaguars as they finish regular season play and head into Districts.



-Ashley Smith

## Softball season ends

The Cyclones had their conference tournament on September 23. They played WPBLD in the first game, winning 9-5. The second game of the tournament they took on Twin River losing a close game 2-0. In the third and fourth place game the Cyclones lost to LVSS 4-2. On October 7, the Cyclones headed to West Point to play their district tournament taking on Pierce in the first round. In a nine inning three hour thriller, the Cyclones pulled off the win 15-11. In the second round they took on GACC losing 15-2. They Cyclones ended their season with a 12-17 record.

-Kierra Stewart





# Land Judging takes a win

The Howells-Dodge FFA Chapter took 25 members to the Northeast Regional Land Judging Contest in Emerson on October 3. The FFA members were very successful at the contest. Trevor Schumacher placed 7th and Logan Nelson placed 8th out of 435 competitors. The chapter was the 3rd place team overall and qualified for the State Contest which will be held in Scribner on Wednesday, October 18. Students who will represent Howells-Dodge at the state competition are Wyatt Hegemann, Logan Nelson, Carter Throener and Trevor Schumacher.  
Congratulations, FFA members!

- Luke Larson



# Homecoming Week comes to an end

During the exciting week of homecoming, everyone was working their hardest to win the hallway competition. The Freshman theme was "Tasting a Victory!". The Sophomore theme was "Storming up a Victory!". The Junior theme was "Just Keep Winning!". The Senior theme was "Starring in a Victory!". The dress up days were on point this year, including Theme Day, Holiday Day, Just Woke Up Like This Day, Water Safety Day, and Spirit Day. The Freshmen won the whole competition. Right behind them were the Juniors and in third place were the Sophomores. Last, but not least, were the Seniors. It was a great homecoming week and a great competition.

- Grace Dvorak



# Dance Camp

*The future jaguar dance team put on quite a performance on Friday, the 29th of September. The high school dance team all did an amazing job coming up with a routine and helping the little dancers learn it. The dancers quickly caught on and lit the football field up with their talent. What a show!*

*-Miah Nathan*



## One act play is underway

The Howells One Act play season is going well. The cast is about one month away from the first performance which is on November 7th, in Osceola. They have also worked the entire play, picking it apart line by line as they plan their movements and how the characters interact. The characters are being developed into interesting individuals, as they determine their costumes, the voices, and their quirks. They crew is developing a set that will work well for the actor's movements and they also have some interesting creations in mind for their set. The play will feature some clever physical pictures and movements.



- Lupe Curiel

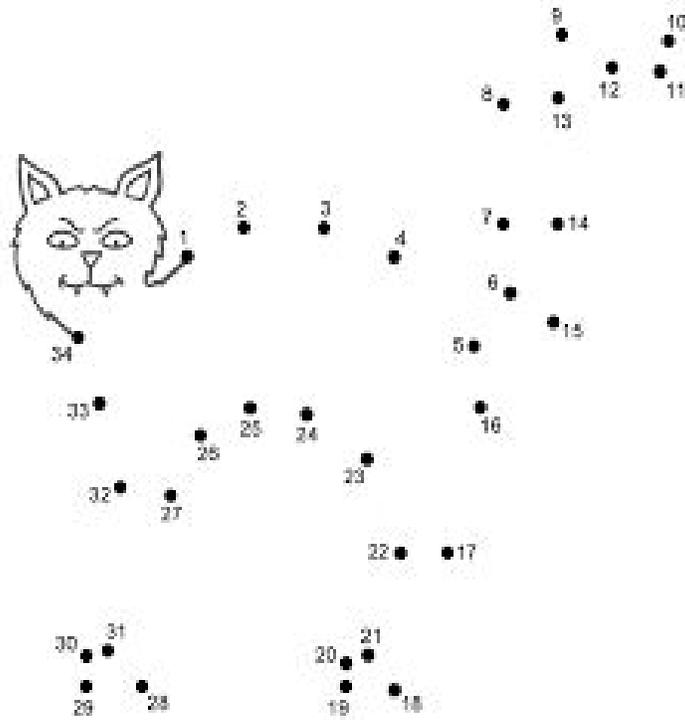
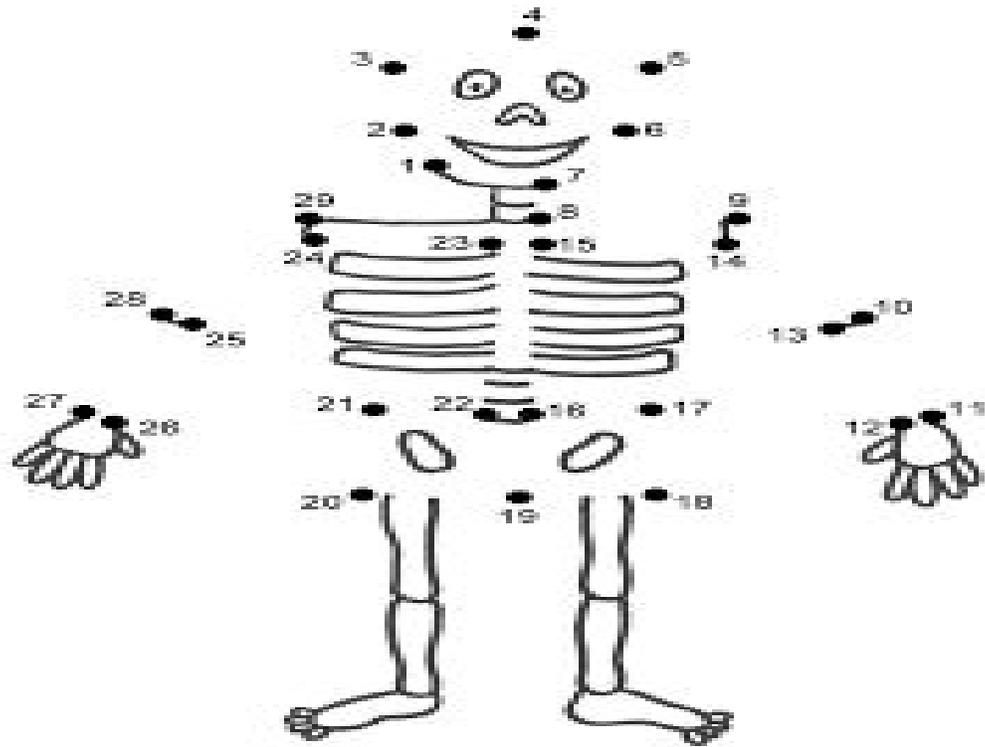
# FCCLA WENT TO CONFERENCE

On Thursday, October 12th, FCCLA traveled to CCC to attend the District Leadership Conference. They listened to some speakers and learned about Eating for Endurance, On-Line Crime, Identity Theft, and Leadership Essentials. Keynote speakers were Mark and Jodi Alder. The theme this year was "Get Groovy With FCCLA."

-Rebecca Swanda

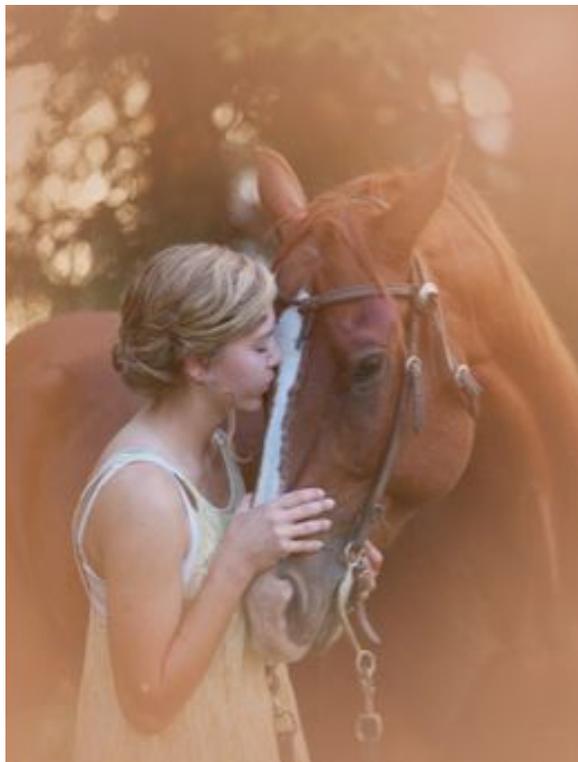


# Connect the Spooky Dots!



-Ellie Sheaks

# Senior Tribute



EMILY WRAGGE

BIRTHDAY: JANUARY 10, 2000

FAVORITE COLOR: ORANGE

FAVORITE QUOTE: "DO NOT GO WHERE THE PATH MAY LEAD,  
GO INSTEAD WHERE THERE IS NO PATH, AND LEAVE A TRAIL."

FAVORITE ANIMAL: HORSE

IF YOU COULD TRAVEL ANYWHERE IN TIME, WHERE WOULD YOU  
GO: BACK TO THE OLD WEST

WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS AFTER GRADUATION: GO TO NCTA  
IN CURTIS AND MAJOR IN VETERINARY TECHNICIAN

-Javier Delgado

# Senior Tribute



**Katelyn Steffensmeier**

**Birthday:** January 28th, 2000

**Favorite color:** Hot Pink & Royal Blue

**Favorite Quote:** In the end, we only regret the chances we didn't take.

**Favorite animal:** Pig

**If you could travel anywhere in time, where would you go?**

I'd travel back to the the ancient Egyptians to watch the construction of the pyramids.

**What are your plans after graduation?**

Attend Northeast for Nursing.

- McKenna Klosen

# Senior Tributes



*Rebecca Swanda*

*Birthday: 12/09/99*

*Favorite Color: Grey*

*Favorite Quote: "Don't hold your head so low you can't see the sky"*

*Favorite Animal: Dogs*

*If you could travel anywhere in time, where would you go?*

*"400 years from now"*

*What are your plans after graduation?*

*Go to Midland University*

*-Catherine Kempf*