



# Calhoun R-VIII Newsletter

November 2021



- Upcoming Dates:**
- Dec 2 – Picture Retakes/  
Senior Composite**
  - Dec 9 – Winter Concert/  
Art Show**
  - Dec 13 – School In Session**
  - Dec 17 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter/  
1<sup>st</sup> Semester Ends  
– Early Release, 12:30 pm**
  - Dec 20-Jan 3 – Christmas Break**
  - Jan 4 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter/  
2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Begins**
  - Jan 17 – School Board Meeting, 6:00 pm**

**Middle School Basketball**

The Calhoun Eagles Middle School Basketball team went 2-5 this season. Players this year were Wyatt Moore, Christopher Nelson, Jackson Mantonya, Abby Taylor, Kaydie Moore, Maylee Bell, and Jessica Hicks.

Highlights of the games this year are as follows:

- 10/12  
Calhoun–16, Montrose–30

Scoring for Calhoun:

- Wyatt Moore–14
- Christopher Nelson–2

10/19  
Calhoun--16, Strasburg--33

Scoring for Calhoun:

- Wyatt Moore–16

10/21  
Calhoun--27, Kingsville–54

Scoring for Calhoun:

- Wyatt Moore–23
- Christopher Nelson–2
- Jessica Hicks–2

10/25  
Calhoun–16, Kingsville–59

Scoring for Calhoun:

- Wyatt Moore–13
- Abby Taylor–2
- Christopher Nelson–1

10/26

Calhoun—46, Strasburg—44

Scoring for Calhoun:

- \*Wyatt Moore hit a 3-pointer at the buzzer to send the game into overtime.\*
- Wyatt Moore—42
- Christopher Nelson—2
- Jackson Mantonya—2

11/3

Calhoun--35, Bunceton--38

Scoring for Calhoun:

- \*The Eagle overcame a 13-22 deficit\*
- Wyatt Moore—25
- Christopher Nelson—6
- Jackson Mantonya—4

11/11

Calhoun—33, Strasburg--26

Scoring for Calhoun:

- \*The score was tied at 7 at the end of the first quarter.\*
- \*Calhoun led 15-10 at half time and never looked back.\*
- Wyatt Moore—33

## Veteran's Day

We were unable to have an assembly this year to honor our veterans, but we were still able to show them our appreciation. Mrs. Brooks' music and band classes all recorded video tributes that were posted on the school website and linked on Facebook:

- Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>, and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Music—Ribbon dance to *Invincible Eagle* by John Philips Sousa.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Music—*You are our Heroes* with soloists Micah Zink, Lexi Graff, Matthew Morgan, and Karyolyne Price
- 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Music—*God Bless the USA*
- Eagle Pride Band—*I Love My Country*



## **Grandparents Day/Thanksgiving**

Once again, we served a carry-out Thanksgiving Dinner to our community grandparents and senior citizens the Friday before Thanksgiving Break. We were able to serve over 50 meals this year. Thank you for giving us the opportunity to serve you and give thanks for you.

## **Donations**

Henry County Community Outreach donated a box of hats, gloves, and socks. We also received a box of coats from Knights of Columbus. Thank you for helping our students stay a little warmer this winter.

## **Cold Days**

As the weather begins to change, please make sure students dress appropriately to come to school and go to recess. All students and classes will go outside for recess, as long as the temperature is 32 degrees or above.

## **Inclement Weather Policy**

The school year is flying by and the sunny days of summer are in the past and the crisp air of a soon-arriving winter is upon us. I wanted to share the procedure the district uses in regards to cancelling school due to inclement weather. The decision to cancel school is usually made by 6:00 A.M. In the event that we would make the decision to dismiss early due to inclement weather, please tune into the media outlet listed below. The school system uses a variety of sources of information to determine whether to close schools, or dismiss early. These sources include actual physical inspection of road and school conditions, MODOT, an analysis from the National Weather Service and contact with other area superintendents.

Local media sources are then contacted, school messenger message is sent and it is posted on social media to ensure that all parents and students are aware of the cancellation. Please note that the following TV station that will be contacted.

### TV STATIONS

- KCTV 5

It is advisable for parents to make the final decision on safe travel conditions for your child. While student drivers are taken into account on days when the driving conditions are poor, student drivers are not the only factor considered. As with driving, parents are encouraged to determine if the outside weather conditions are too cold for their child. While the District strives to make the best decision it can for all students, there may be times when a parent needs to make the final decision on their child's attendance on a particular day.

# Christmas spirit week!

MONDAY~SANTA HAT DAY

TUESDAY~CHRISTMAS MOVIE  
THEMED

WEDNESDAY~UGLY CHRISTMAS  
SWEATER

THURSDAY~CHRISTMAS TREE DAY

FRIDAY~CHRISTMAS PAJAMA DAY

December 13-17

Outstanding outfits will be  
featured in the yearbook!

# **KISS THE GOAT**



**Calhoun School District staff members will be participating in a “Goatally Outrageous” fundraiser.**

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**Staff members who choose to KISS THE GOAT will have a donation can for students and staff for monetary donations. The winners will KISS THE GOAT at an assembly on December 17th. All staff members who have collected over \$20.00 in their can will get the opportunity to KISS THE GOAT.**



**Donation will go to the Calhoun School District Morale and Welfare Fund and a portion will be given to a family in the community at Christmas time.**

Financial Statement

Calhoun R-VIII School District  
 409 South College  
 Calhoun, MO 65323-1309

Bank & Cash Reconciliation

*Beginning month of November 2021*

Fund Cash Balance by Fund

Fund Number and Description	Cash Balance	Comments
001 - GENERAL FUND	481,255.12	
002 - TEACHERS FUND	-39,992.57	
003 - DEBT SERVICE FUND	.00	
004 - CAPITAL PROJECTS FUN	113,622.88	
Adjustment 1	.00	
Adjustment 2	.00	
Adjustment 3	.00	
Adjustment 4	.00	
TOTAL	554,885.43	

Bank Cash and Reconciled Balances:

Account Code & Bank	Cash Balance	Reconciled Balance	Comments
xxxx1805 - Main Checking - HAWTHORN	1,170.83	5,183.68	
xxxx5628 - Savings - HAWTHORN	535,012.40	535,012.40	
xxxx2890 - CD - HAWTHORN	18,502.20	18,084.59	
xxxx1132 - Petty Cash - HAWTHORN	200.00	200.00	
Outstanding Amount: xxxx1805 - Main Checking - HAWTHORN	.00	-4,012.85	
Outstanding Amount: xxxx2890 - CD - HAWTHORN	.00	417.61	
Adjustment 1	.00	.00	
Adjustment 2	.00	.00	
Adjustment 3	.00	.00	
Adjustment 4	.00	.00	
TOTAL	554,885.43	554,885.43	

Bank Cash and Fund Cash are in Balance

December Menus

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# December 2021



**Breakfast menu is subject to change.**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat.
			1 Cereal Toast Fruit Juice Milk	2 Egg and cheese- Croissant Fruit Juice Milk	3 Biscuit Gravy Fruit Juice Milk	4
5	6 NO SCHOOL	7 Pancake Sausage Fruit Juice Milk	8 Cereal Toast Fruit Juice Milk	9 Donut Fruit Juice Milk	10 Biscuit Gravy Fruit Juice Milk	11
12	13 Bagel pizza Fruit Juice Milk	14 Egg and cheese- Croissant Fruit Juice Milk	15 Cereal Toast Fruit Juice Milk	16 Donut Fruit Juice Milk	17 Biscuit Gravy Fruit Juice Milk	18
19	20 NO SCHOOL	21 NO SCHOOL	22 NO SCHOOL	23 NO SCHOOL	24 NO SCHOOL	25
26	27 NO SCHOOL	28 NO SCHOOL	29 NO SCHOOL	30 NO SCHOOL	31 NO SCHOOL	

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Lunch Menu is subject to change.

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Sat.

	ALL 9-12 GRADE LUNCHES INCLUDES JUICE		1 Chicken patty Mashed potatoes Gravy Green beans Peaches Milk (bread 7-12)	2 Beef nachos Refried beans Corn Fruit Milk	3 BBQ rib on bun Baked beans Fries Fruit Milk	4
5	6 NO SCHOOL	7 Chicken wrap Black beans Lettuce Salsa Fruit Milk	8 Pork fritter Mashed potatoes Gravy Green beans Peaches Milk (bread, 7-12)	9 Alfredo Carrots Salad Pears Garlic toast Milk	10 Hot dog on bun Chips Corn Baby carrots Fruit Milk	11
12	13 Chicken nachos Black beans Lettuce Salsa Fruit Milk	14 Grilled ham and Cheese sandwich Tomato soup Salad Fruit Milk	15 Chicken patty Mashed potatoes Gravy Green beans Peaches Milk (bread, 7-12)	16 Cheeseburger on bun Baked beans Fries Fruit Milk	17 Pizza Corn Salad Fruit Milk	18
19	20 NO SCHOOL	21 NO SCHOOL	22 NO SCHOOL	23 NO SCHOOL	24 NO SCHOOL	25
26	27 NO SCHOOL	28 NO SCHOOL	29 NO SCHOOL	30 NO SCHOOL	31 NO SCHOOL	

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