



The Charger Review

Home of the Chargers

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Class of 2010-Graduation Recognition

The 2010 Illini West High School graduation was held on Sunday, May 30, 2010 at the high school gymnasium. 119 seniors received their diplomas. **The following students graduated with honors:**

Summa Cum Laude Graduates (GPA 3.90 – 4.0) (names in alphabetical order)

Kayla Bess	Jessica Horton	Jessica Siverly
Hannah Dorothy	Kelly Johnson	Shanna Smith
Allison Dooley	Natalie Northup	Sarah Ziegler
Carl Hartweg	Caitlin Robertson	

Magna Cum Laude Graduates (GPA of 3.75 – 3.89)

Lea Brodie	Abby Geissler	Cassandra Jones
Garett Burt	Alicia Geissler	Michael Lafferty
Stefan Flynn	Chelsea Gibson	Morgan Merritt
Sara Frakes	Lyndsey Gutowski	

Cum Laude Graduates (GPA of 3.6 - 3.749)

Maria Gambrell	Travis Wilson
Haylee Miller	Timothy Yex

American Legion Good Citizenship Awards

Caitlin Robertson, daughter of Kent and Penny Roberston
Michael Lafferty, son of Tim and Kelly Lafferty

National Honor Society Members:

Kayla Bess	Carl Hartweg	Natalie Northup
Lea Brodie	Jamee Herriman	Caitlin Robertson
Hannah Dorothy	Jessica Horton	Jessica Siverly
Bryan Fox	Kelly Johnson	Shanna Smith
Stefan Flynn	Cassandra Jones	Bethany Willey
Sara Frakes	Michael Lafferty	Tim Yex
		Sarah Ziegler

DAR/SAR Citizenship Awards:

Jessica Siverly, daughter of Bill and Marlena Siverly
Carl Hartweg, son of John and Linda Hartweg

Class Officers:

President:	Travis Hobby
Vice-President:	Zach Burling
Secretary:	Tess Eddington
Treasurer:	Aurora Little

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INCOMING FRESHMEN

Physical & Vaccination Requirements

A reminder that all incoming Freshmen MUST have a school physical and submit the completed form to the high school office. The school physical form is available at the IWHS web site (www.illiniwest.org) or in most doctors' offices. The school physical form may also be used as a sports physical for Freshmen athletes.

Students must also receive a Td booster ten years after their last Td booster. This usually occurs during a student's Freshman or Sophomore year. Please check with your health care provider or call the high school office to determine when your student must receive their booster.

The Hancock County Health Department offers school physicals by appointment for a cost of \$25.00. The booster shot is also available at a cost of \$10.00. Appointments can be made by calling 357-2171. These services can also be obtained from your usual health care provider.

Second Annual Autism Awareness Week - By Rhonda Miller

The second annual Autism Awareness Week was held at Illini West High School April 14 – 18, 2010. The week was designed to bring awareness to the disability of autism and to show support for students who have autism and their families.

Events for the week included autism facts on the daily announcements, a display of autism information and materials, drawing for autism gear, a panel consisting of three parents who spoke to individual classes about their lives with a child who has autism, making of a "circle of friends" banner and an Awareness Walk.

The parent panel consisted of three parents who have children with autism. Kathy Carter read a powerful letter written by her son about his struggles at school, Avery Le'Juene brought in pictures and school work of his son, and Kelly Mason showed pictures on a power point and some technology tools she uses to teach and communicate with her two sons.

The Awareness Walk was held at the end of the week with 172 students participating. Students started the walk from the high school and walked downtown around the square and business district, then back to the high school. They passed out cards with autism facts printed on them and carried the "circle of friends" banner that was made. Donations to participate in the Walk went to the local autism chapter.

Sponsors for the week were Hartzell, Glidden, Tucker and Hartzell, LaHarpe Lion's, Hancock County Mental Health, Kris Pilkington and Capps, Ancelet, Clark, and Rassmussen.

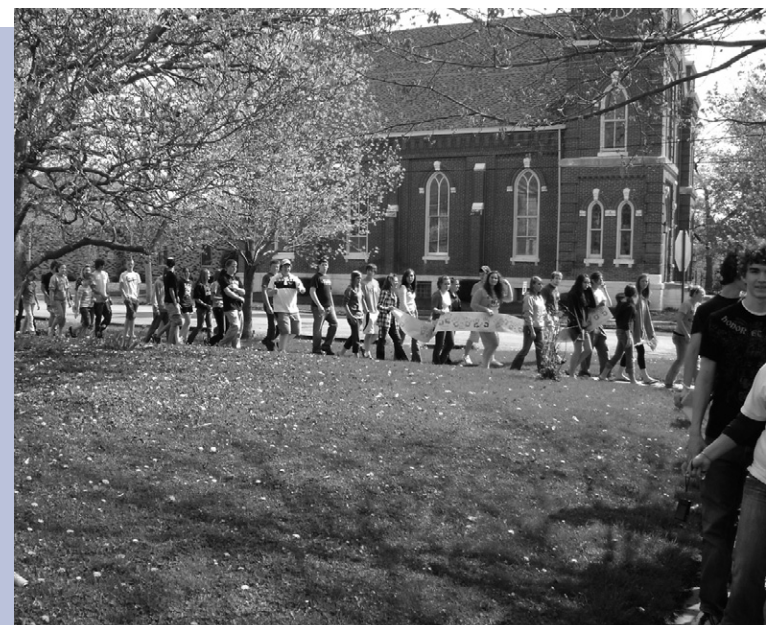
A TRIP TO THE WINDY CITY

The Illini West Senior members of International Club experienced a day in Chicago on May 27, 2010. After an Amtrak ride into Chicago and a quick cab ride, they sampled tapas at Café Iberico, including goat cheese, octopus and calamari. Following a shopping trip down Michigan Avenue, they enjoyed the sights of Millennium Park and Buckingham Fountain.



A reminder that each athlete must have a current sports physical in order to participate in any high school sport. A sports physical is good for only one year from the date of the exam. Several area clinics are offering reduced rates for sports physical. These include:

- Hamilton-Warsaw Clinic – During the months of June, July, and August the Clinic will be offering discounts on student physicals. Sports Physicals will be \$10.00 and the School Physicals, which all students entering 5th and 9th grades will need, are \$32.00. All money is donated back to the Student's School. Call early for an appointment 217-256-4100
- Quincy Medical Group – On July 21 from 5:50 until 9:00 p.m., the Clinic will be doing sports physicals. The clinic is located at 1118 Hampshire in Quincy. Appointments should be made by calling (217) 228-2323. Exams cost \$10 and all proceeds are donated back to the athletes' school/sponsoring organization. In addition, copies of these exams will be sent to the schools/sponsoring organizations.
- Hancock County Health Department – Cost is \$10 for sports physicals. Call 217-357-3562 for an appointment.



ATTENTION CLASS OF 2011

During those lazy days of summer, consider having your Senior portrait taken. Turning your picture in near the start of the school year will make the Yearbook Staff smile!

2010 Class Profile of Post-Graduation Plans

4-Year College Plans	46 (38%)
WIU	17
Culver-Stockton College.....	3
SIU- Edwardsville	2
Drake University	4
Illinois State University	1
Illinois College	1
U. of Illinois – Springfield.....	1
Blackburn College	1
University of Iowa.....	1
Monmouth College.....	3
Iowa State University	1
Hannibal-LaGrange	1
Illinois Wesleyan U.....	1
North Texas State U.....	1
Augustana College	2
Eureka College.....	1
Quincy University	2
Iowa Wesleyan	1
Bradley University.....	1
Robert Morris.....	1

2-Year College Plans	54 (45%)
Carl Sandburg	15
McDonough District Hospital.....	1
Southeastern CC	25
John Wood	8
Spoon River College.....	5

Military Plans	4 (3%)
United States National Guard.....	1
United States Navy	3

Foreign Exchange Student	1 (1%)
Rotary Exchange to Denmark	1

Work Force Plans	14 (12%)
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KEY CLUB ACTIVITIES FOR 2009-2010

By Carol Brooks, a proud teacher and sponsor of Illini West Students

The Illini West High School Key club has once again had a very busy year! It all started with Homecoming 2009 – when twenty-five of our members demonstrated their creative art talents to promote friendly competition between the Chargers and the Titans -- but mostly to show strong support and school spirit for our football program at Illini West. Our members love painting the store windows – but quickly find out the clean-up is truly a challenge! Thanks to our communities for being patient with us.

It wasn't long till we found ourselves walking around the football field area and school grounds to collect trash that had accumulated during our games. We want our facility to look its best and appreciate those who use the proper trash receptacles – if we all work together this place will be its BEST!!

Trick or Treat for UNICEF has been a well supported project by our communities during October. The students were proud to make a sizable donation with the help of the Builders' Club at Carthage Middle School.

In November, the students wanted to help our local Food Pantry by collecting non-food items. So, we held a competition between all 8th hour classes to see who could collect the most items. The prizes included pizza, ice cream, pop and candy.

As sponsor of the IW Key Club, I have been very impressed with the generosity of the students. When our students find out that someone needs our help, they are right on top of it! There were two families who lost their homes this past year to fires. We also sent money through our local Red Cross for Haiti Relief. Two of our teachers received donations as they fight their battle with cancer. Other recipients of donations include:

March of Dimes – we held Carnation Sales for Valentine's Day

La Harpe-Davier Health Care Center for Activities
Evan James & Josh Palmer Memorial Scholarship
W.O.W. Park – upkeep

Carthage PTO – playground equipment

In March, the club held a friendly/competitive basketball game with the Carthage Kiwanis Club. At half-time the students were auctioned to help us be able to make these donations. Thank you to all the friends, parents, grandparents and community members who attended the game and auction. Without your support this would not be possible.

Congratulations to the 2010 Graduates of Illini West High School

GRADUATE	PARENTS/GUARDIANS	FUTURE PLANS
Appel, Andrea	Kevin and Shelly Appel	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a transfer degree in law enforcement to Western Illinois University. To enter the work force.
Bagent, Mark Bavery, Alison	Aaron and Lisa Ferguson Michael and Michelle Bavery	To attend Carl Sandburg College in Galesburg to pursue a radiology technician degree.
Beals, Mitchell	Kevin and Sherry Beals	To attend Carl Sandburg College in Galesburg to pursue a degree in mortuary science.
Belshaw, Kody	Jill and Chris Murphy Lonnie Belshaw (deceased)	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue a transfer degree.
Bess, Kayla	Malinda Bess-Melcher Bill Bess	To attend Illinois Wesleyan University to pursue a degree in pre-medicine.
Biddenstadt, Megan	Randy and Ann Biddenstadt	To attend Indian Hills Community College to pursue a degree in physical therapy assistant.
Boyer, Andrew	Steve and Marcy Boyer	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a degree in agriculture.
Brockett, Neiko	Connie Brockett Michael Brockett	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a transfer degree in accounting.
Brodie, Lea	Tim and Cinda Brodie	To attend Illinois State University to pursue a bachelor's degree.
Brooks, Erik	James and Linda Brooks	To continue my preparation for heavy equipment operator and enter the workforce.
Burdg, Joshua	Martin and Hande Burdg Diane Raine	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a degree in psychology.
Burling, Zack	Mark and Joni Burling	To attend John Wood College to pursue a transfer degree and to play baseball.
Burt, Garrett	Brad and Brenda Burt	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a degree in construction management.
Cadwell, Jordan	Carol Jordan	To attend John Wood College to pursue a degree in agriculture. To enter the work force.
Cale, Iva	Cindy Cale Joe Cale	To attend a four year college.
Carlisle, Dustin Carroll, Aaron	Mike and Toni Carlisle David and Tami Carroll	To attend Western Illinois U. to pursue a degree in agriculture business.
Corzatt, Chris	Wayne and Debbie Corzatt	To attend Spoon River College to pursue a transfer degree in agronomy.
Corzatt, Craig	Wayne and Debbie Corzatt	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a transfer degree.
Dixon, Nancy	Bill and Dee Dixon	To attend Quincy University to pursue a degree in archaeology.
Dooley, Allison	Rick and Lisa Dooley	To attend Quincy University to pursue a degree in business and finance.
Dorothy, Hannah	Chad and Elizabeth Dorothy	To attend Hannibal La-Grange College to pursue a secondary teaching degree in history.
Dowell, Joslin Doyle, Brokk	Steve and Wendy Dowell Shannan Doyle Donald Doyle	To enter the United States Navy. To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a dual major degree in French and Spanish.
Dunn, Cody Eddington, Tess	Clark and Lori Dunn Jodelle Eddington Dean Eddington	To attend Drake University to pursue a degree in pharmacy.
Flynn, Stefan	Shellie Blunt Kelly Flynn	To attend Spoon River College in Macomb and pursue a degree in medical assisting.
Fox, Bryan	David and Shelly Fox	To attend Monmouth College to pursue a major in physics and career in pre- engineering.
Frakes, Sara	Al and Mary Jo Frakes	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a degree in accounting and CPA certification.
Gambrell, Maria	Richard and Pam Gambrell	To attend Monmouth College to pursue a bachelor's degree.
Geissler, Abby	Randy and Sarah Geissler	To participate in the Rotary International Exchange Program in Denmark for one year and then pursue a bachelor's degree upon return.
Geissler, Alicia	Randy and Sarah Geissler	To attend Southeastern Community College in West Burlington to pursue a medical administration degree.
Gibson, Chelsea	Brenda Gibson Mark Gibson	To pursue a RN nursing degree at Southeastern CC in West Burlington.
Glisan, Samantha	Heidi Zenk Terry Glisan	To pursue a degree at Carl Sandburg College in dental hygiene.
Graves, Justin	Tim and Monalisa Graves	To pursue a transfer degree at Carl Sandburg College in Carthage.
Grisham, Joshua	Brian and Suzanne Grisham	To pursue a transfer degree at John Wood College in Quincy.
Gutowski, Lyndsey	Gary and Vicki Gutowski	To attend Southeastern Community College and pursue a degree in law enforcement.
Hartmann, Vincent		To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a nursing degree.
Hartweg, Carl	John and Linda Hartweg	Russell and Stacey Hartmann To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a certificate degree in welding.
Hash, George	Shannon Rampley	To attend Augustana College to pursue a bachelor's degree in pre-medicine.
Herriman, Jamee	Chris and Jennifer Herriman	To attend Carl Sandburg College in Galesburg to pursue a certificate degree in welding.
Hermann, Tracy Hayes	Barbara Hayes (deceased) William Hayes (deceased)	To attend University of Illinois at Springfield to pursue a degree in history.
Hesseltine, Courtney	Doug Hesseltine	To enter the work force.
Hilliard, Linnea	Kevin Hilliard Jennifer Etheredge	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue a degree in child care.
Hillary, Jacob	Arlene Brys Kevin Hillary	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a transfer degree.
Hobby, Travis	David and Susan Hobby	To attend Blackburn College in Carlinville to pursue a degree in computer science.
Holtsclaw, Jesse	Tom and Susan Holtsclaw	To attend Spoon River College in Canton to pursue a degree in diesel tractor technology.
Horton, Jessica	Dan and Melinda Horton	To attend Monmouth College to pursue a bachelor degree in business and participate in football.
Inman, Donald	Karen Inman Donald Inman Sr.	To attend Western Illinois U. to pursue a degree in pre-veterinary science.
Johnson, Amanda	Daniel and Ronda Johnson	To attend John Wood College to pursue a career to become an electrician.
Johnson, Erica	Justin and Mindy Johnson	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue an associate degree.
Johnson, Kelly	Rex and Debbie Johnson	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a degree in nursing.
Jones, Cassandra	Doug and Tina Jones	To attend Western Illinois U. to pursue a degree in pre-veterinary medicine.
Jordan, Tuesday	James and Mary Jordan	To attend Western Illinois University and pursue a teaching degree in special education with certification in elementary education.
Kiley, Tyler Kirby, Kyle	JoAngela Kiley Bill and Tiana Kirby	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue a degree in child care. To enter the work force.
		To join the Illinois National Guard and then attend the Western Illinois U. in law enforcement.

Congratulations to the 2010 Graduates of Illini West High School

GRADUATE	PARENTS/GUARDIANS	FUTURE PLANS
Kirkenslager, Sloan	Steven Kirkenslager Nancy Kirkenslager (deceased)	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue a transfer degree.
LaBonte, Amber	Leon and Mary LaBonte	To attend Southeastern Community College in West Burlington to pursue a degree in nursing.
Lafferty, Michael	Tim and Kelly Lafferty	To attend John Wood Community College to pursue a transfer degree.
Lambert, Jennifer	Jay and Wanda Lambert	To attend either Carl Sandburg or Southeastern Comm. College to pursue a degree in nursing. Plans are not determined at this time.
Leake, Taylor Little, Aurora	Robbie and Cindy Leake Cole and Debra Little	To attend Southern Illinois University- Edwardsville to pursue a BSN degree in nursing.
Little, Erica	David and Krista Little	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue degrees in physical therapy assistant and interior design
Little, Gregory	Randy and Sandy Little	To attend Bradley University in Peoria to pursue a degree in engineering.
Little, Raina	Todd and Julie Little	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a medical career.
Markley, Aubrey	Jerry and Trisha Markley	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a degree in law enforcement.
McCune, Andrew	Mark McCune Amanda and Matt Palmer	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue a transfer degree.
McDowell, Cade	Jeff and Tracy McDowell	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a bachelor degree.
McGaughey, Lauren	Scott and Theresa McGaughey	To attend Culver-Stockton College to pursue a degree teaching elementary education.
McKee, Dade	Marte and Sherri McKee	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue an associate degree in electronics technology-biomedical specialization.
Merritt, Morgan	Matt and Michelle Merritt	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a bachelor's degree.
Miller, Haylee	Marvin and Christal Miller	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a teaching degree in special education.
Miller, Natasha	Daysi and Brian Ray	To attend Spoon River College in Macomb to pursue a transfer degree in nursing.
Morrison, Daniel Newton, Leah	Stacy Morrison Hannah Newton	To enter the United States Navy. To attend Iowa Wesleyan College to pursue a degree in teaching special education.
Northup, Natalie	Harold and Karen Northup	To attend the University of Iowa to pursue a degree in biochemistry – pre-medicine.
Olin, Ashley	Darrin and Michelle Olin	To attend Western Illinois University to pursue degrees in musical theater and dance.
Oliver, Bronco	Ruth Ann Oliver Daniel Oliver	To enter an apprenticeship with the union to become an iron worker.
Pilkington, Seth	Rick and Kris Pilkington	To attend Western Illinois U. to pursue a degree in law enforcement.
Rike, Taylor	Paula Enzeroth	To attend North Texas State U. in Denton, TX to pursue a degree in dance.
Robertson, Caitlin	Kent and Penny Robertson	To attend Drake University to pursue a doctoral degree in pharmacy.
Rodeffer, LaShay	Ted and Angela Rodeffer	To attend Robert Morris College in Springfield to pursue a degree in business.
Ryner, Jordan	Ed and Amy Ryner	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a transfer degree in history.
Schieffer, Madison	Mark and Pam Schieffer	To attend McDonough District Hospital School of Radiologic Technology in Macomb.
Schmudlach, Jacob	Mark and Julie Schmudlach	To attend Drake University to pursue a degree to teach elementary education.
Seaver, Dakota	Thomas and Leeanne Seaver	To attend Drake University to pursue a degree in pre-law- litigation.
Seaver, Regan	Edwin and Brenda Seaver	To attend John Wood College in Quincy to pursue a registered nursing degree.
Sell, Sabrina	Ray and Amy Rutledge	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue a transfer degree to become a special needs teacher.
Shoup, Tarey	Alan Shoup Vickie Shaffer	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a certification degree in welding.
Siverly, Jessica	Bill and Marlena Siverly	To attend Augustana College to pursue a major in studio art.
Smith, Kaitlyn	Darren and Catherine Smith	To attend Culver-Stockton College to pursue a degree in criminal justice.
Smith, Shanna	Gary and Nancy Smith	To attend Eureka College to pursue a degree in teaching secondary education in art and history. To enter the United States Navy.
Smith, Brogan Smith, William Snodgrass, Ethan Snyder, Joey Stewart, Chelsea	Shelley Smith Jerry and Teresa Smith Ron and Jana Snodgrass Jim and Cindy Snyder Kelly and Kevin Davis Donald Stewart	To enter the workforce. To attend Carl Sandburg to pursue a transfer degree. To enter the United States Air Force.
Stokke, Jennifer	Mark and Bonnie Stokke	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a degree in nursing.
Thomas, Eric	Carl Thomas Christine Yando	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a degree in accounting.
Todd, Chavana	Tony and Gayla Stromquist	To enter the work force and continue training for heavy equipment operator.
Todd, Zach	Mike and Kim Peters	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a degree in child care.
Trout, Nathan Twaddle, Taylor	Roger and Lisa Trout Rod and Shannon Twaddle	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a transfer degree in criminal justice.
Vass, Sierra	Terry and Lexanne Vass	To attend John Wood College to pursue a transfer degree . To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue degree in cosmetology.
Vincent, Kris	Mike and Gayle Vincent	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue either a transfer or cosmetology degree.
Von Molendorf, Schizaan	Hendrik and Helena Halgryn	To attend Culver-Stockton College to pursue a major in business and participate in football.
Walker, Kelsey	Tom and Rane Walker	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a transfer degree in nursing.
Watson, Derrick	Doug and Kim Watson	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a degree in nursing.
White, Jordan	Christina and Cliff Koltzenburg	To attend Spoon River College in Macomb to pursue a transfer degree in graphic design.
Wilhite, Ryan	Richard and Becky Wilhite	To pursue a career in heavy equipment operation.
Willey, Bethany	Rusty and Stephanie Willey	To attend Southeastern Community College to pursue a degree in agriculture.
Williams, Holly Wilson, Travis	Dennis and Lisa Geissler Joani Wilson	To attend Southern Illinois U. – Edwardsville to pursue a degree in teaching. To pursue a degree in law enforcement. To attend Western Illinois University to pursue a degree in construction management.
Wisslead, Tanisha Worley, Garrett	Greg and Debbie Wisslead Noel and Jean Garden	To attend Western Illinois U. to pursue a degree in art. To enter the work force and also take courses at Southeastern Community College
Worley, Megan	Nicole Fowler	To attend Carl Sandburg College to pursue a degree in nursing.

IWHS Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America Updates

By: Lauren McGaughey-FBLA Secretary

This past spring, the Illini West High School FBLA chapter has participated in many activities. Our state competition was held in Decatur, IL on March 26-27, 2010. Over half of our chapter students attended the workshops and competed in events. Many of us placed in the top ten of our events. Our chapter also won chapter awards in Connecting Generations, Bridging up the Middle School, Partnership with a Business, March of Dimes, and the 7th Largest Chapter in the State of Illinois (last year, we were the 11th largest chapter in Illinois). Additionally, Gregg Little qualified for nationals in Nashville, TN in his event.

We had elections for next year's officers. Our officer team consists of: Beth Cokel and Sam Newberry (co-presidents), Tanner Anderson and Macy Walker (co-vice presidents), Abbey Douglas (secretary), Audrey Fader (treasurer), Katie Waddell (recorder), Chris Holtsclaw (parliamentarian), Briana Wheatley (historian), Kari Neill and Kaylee Williams (senior class representatives), Megan Schaller and Halie Goetz (junior class representatives), Brianna Stienkamp, Brody Logan and Devin Neuegg (sophomore class representatives). Freshman class representatives will be determined at the beginning of the start of the new school year. Our officer team has already begun planning the activities for the 2009-2010 school year.

As a wind down to our successful FBLA school year, Mrs. Holtsclaw and Mrs. Twaddle took us on a train trip to Chicago, IL so that we could experience the big city. We were able to go through the Federal Reserve Bank and The Chicago Board of Trade. While we were there, we were able to learn more about the operations of these organizations. We finalized the year with a pizza luncheon to elect our next year's officers.

IWHS FBLA State Competition Results

Banking and Financial System .Aubrey Markley	3rd
Banking and Financial System .Autumn Markley	3rd
Banking and Financial System Mikeala McKenny.....	3rd
E-Business	Abbey Douglas..... 4th
E-Business	Halie Goetz..... 4th
E-Business	Tanner Anderson 4th
Global Business.....	Alison Bavery..... 5th
Global Business.....	Sam Newberry 5th
Accounting I.....	Beth Cokel 6th
Business Math.....	Kirby Fecht..... 6th
Networking Concepts	Seth Pilkington 8th
Business Presentation.....	Dani Miller 9th
Intro to Business Comm.	Devin Neuegg 9th
Technology Concepts	Greg Little..... 9th
Business Presentation.....	Jacob Pilkington..... 9th
Business Presentation.....	Taylor Mitchell..... 9th
Intro to Parliamentary Pro.....	Chris Holtsclaw..... 10th
Cyber Security	Cody Dunn 10th
Spring Up the Middle Level ...IWHS FBLA Chapter	1st
Connecting Generations.....IWHS FBLA Chapter	2nd
March of Dimes	IWHS FBLA Chapter 2nd
Go Green.....	IWHS FBLA Chapter 4th
Promote FBLA Week	IWHS FBLA Chapter 7th
Largest State Chapter	IWHS FBLA Chapter 7th

Chorus & Band

What an exciting and fun year we have had! We started off with the excitement of putting together the halftime performance. Then there was the WCC Chorus Festival, IMEA Auditions and Festivals, a Halloween Musical that traveled to all three elementary districts, Winter Concerts, Pep Band, Solo/Ensemble Contest, the WCC Band Festival, Seven Brides for Seven Brothers, and finally the Spring Awards Concert.

Receiving the National Chorus Award this spring were Sarah Ziegler and Erica Little. Receiving the Louis Armstrong Jazz Award were Haylee Miller and Shanna Smith and receiving the John Phillip Band Award was Tanisha Wisslead.

We would like to wish our entire band and chorus graduates well in their future endeavors, and we will miss them and the talent they shared with us these past years.

**ILLINI WEST SCHOOL
DISTRICT STAFF
2009-2010**

High School Office Staff:

Brad Gooding, Principal
Joey Dion, Assistant Principal/Transportation Director/Athletic Director
Rhonda Miller, Administrator Assistant for Special Services
Ruth Lohrenz, School Psychologist
Dawn Hellyer, Principal's Secretary
Amy Rampley, Office Clerk
Deb Wilson, Transportation/Athletics Secretary
Ann Logan, Guidance Counselor
Joe Dion, Guidance Counselor
Tammey Gilbert, Social Worker

High School Teaching Staff:

Breanna Anderson, Special Education
Tammy Belshaw, Math
Vicki Black, Special Education
Carol Brooks, Physical Education
Kristen Cook, Science
Sam DeCounter, Agriculture & Social Studies
Alan Draper, English
Jason Finch, Special Education
Connie Flesner, Science
Linda Hartweg, Band & Chorus
Rose Hausch, Spanish
Greg Hoener, Social Studies
Suzy Holtsclaw, Business
John Hughs, Physical Education
Zak Huston, Drivers Education
Kim Johnson, French & Spanish
Zach Keene, Health & Physical Education
Tim Lafferty, Physical Education
Peggy Latherow, Family & Consumer Science
Marcia McGaughey, Spanish & ESL
Samantha McGaughey, Math
Sandra Morrison, Math
Deb Murphy, Math
Kelly Nagel, Art
Harold Northup, Industrial Arts
M. J. Palmer, Science
Kevin Peel, English
Pat Raftis, Social Studies
LaRae Roth, English
Melvin Roth, Agriculture & Industrial Arts
Shari Shupe, Reading
Judy Stevenson, Art
Melissa Sturlic, English
Theresa Twaddle, Business
Ruth Vacek, Special Education

Para-Professionals:

Denise Brown
Jim Clayton, Study Hall Supervisor
Patricia Krow
Kara Pettit

Custodial Staff:

Robby Robinson, Maintenance Director
Robert McVeigh
Mike Russell
Carol Walker

District Office Staff:

Mike Mauzy, Superintendent
Vicky Van Trump, Bookkeeper
Ann Menschel, Administrative Assistant
Kim Deitrich, Treasurer

Board of Education:

Tracey Anders, President
Tom Holtsclaw, Vice President
Janet Vass, Secretary
Mark Burling
Robert Clifton
Jerry Green
R. D. Trout

Honors Night Results—May 5, 2010

Over 100 scholarships were announced with 44 different Seniors receiving a scholarship. The total value of the scholarships was over \$350,000. This year we had 14 Illinois State scholars, in comparison to 8 State Scholars last year. This was the most State Scholars in Illini West history. Over 300 students, parents, friends, and presenters attended the Honors Night program.

College Scholarships:

American Legion Auxiliary Scholarship – LaHarpe Post Tess Eddington, LaShay Rodeffer, Jennifer Stokke
American Red Cross Bloodmobile Scholarships Bethany Willey, Jessica Horton
Arthur Wright Entrepreneurial Scholarship Jesse Holtsclaw
Augustana College Academic Scholarships Carl Hartweg, Jessica Siverly
Blackburn College Academic Scholarship Jacob Hillary
Bradley University Academic Scholarship Greg Little
Burnside Masonic Lodge “ Elmer Dunsworth” Scholarships Jessica Siverly
Byron and Bernice West Scholarship Hannah Dorothy
C. Dannen Latherow Memorial Scholarships Michael Lafferty, Tim Yex, Natalie Northup, Kelly Johnson, Lea Brodie
..... Jessica Siverly, Nathan Trout, Bryan Fox, Travis Hobby
Capital Lincoln Scholarship to U. Illinois- Springfield Jamee Herriman
Carl Sandburg Foundation Academic Scholarship Abby Geissler
Carson Ford – FFA Agriculture Scholarship Jessica Horton
Carthage Kiwanis – Key Club Community Service Scholarships Lea Brodie, Jessica Siverly
Carthage Lions Community Service Scholarships Bryan Fox, Sara Frakes, Cassandra Jones
Dallas City Lions Community Service Scholarships Caitlin Robertson, Natalie Northup
Carthage Women Working Together Cassandra Jones
Clipper Fire Dept. Doug Buckert – Mike Mapes Memorial Scholarship Nancy Dixon
Culver-Stockton College Scholarships Lauren McGaughey, Kaitlyn Smith, Kris Vincent
Drake University Academic Scholarships Caitlin Robertson, Cody Dunn, Dakota Seaver, Jacob Schmudlach
Dr. B.I. and Flora Mueller Scholarship Caitlin Robertson
Eagles Scholarship Dakota Seaver
Eagles Ladies Auxiliary Scholarships Cody Dunn, Jamee Herriman, Jacob Schmudlach
Edith Blender Scholarship Lyndsey Gutowski
Eureka College Academic Scholarship Shanna Smith
Extra Effort Scholarships Lyndsey Gutowski, Nancy Dixon
First Bankers Trust Scholarship Jessica Siverly
First Farm Credit Scholarship Jessica Horton
First State Bank of Western Illinois Scholarship to WIU Morgan Merritt
First State Bank of Western Illinois Scholarship to Carl Sandburg Alicia Geissler
Fred Gibb Jr. Memorial Scholarship Jacob Hillary, Travis Hobby
Glen Smiddy Memorial Scholarship (Soil and Water Conservation) Andy Boyer
Hancock County Beef Association Scholarship Jessica Horton
Hannibal-LaGrange Academic Scholarship Hannah Dorothy
Hancock County Teen Court Scholarships Sara Frakes, Natalie Northup
Illini West Education Association Teachers Scholarship Tuesday Jordan, Ashley Olin, Michael Lafferty, Bethany Willey
Illini West Sports Booster Athletic Scholarship Jacob Schmudlach, Michael Lafferty
Illinois Coaches Association Scholarship Michael Lafferty
Illinois College – Jonathan Baldwin Turner Academic Scholarship Tim Yex
Illinois Correctional Officer Scholarship (Child of an Employee) Jacob Schmudlach
Illinois Wesleyan Academic Scholarship Kayla Bess
Indian Hills Academic Scholarship Megan Biddenstadt
Iowa State Academic Scholarship Jessica Horton
Jacob Burling Memorial Scholarship Lea Brodie, Jacob Schmudlach, Michael Lafferty, Tim Yex, Zach Burling (honorary)
Jerry “Bud” Boyer Athletic Scholarship Carl Hartweg
Joshua Palmer – Evan James Memorial Scholarship Michael Lafferty, Travis Hobby
Kyle Johnson Memorial Scholarship Michael Lafferty, Natalie Northup
LaHarpe Community Book Scholarship Jessica Horton
Lawton Endowment Fund Scholarship Nancy Dixon, Stefan Flynn, Sara Frakes, Dakota Seaver, Tim Yex
Lyle & Clarice Scott Memorial Scholarship Michael Lafferty
Marine Bank & Trust “ Student of the Year” Scholarship Natalie Northup
Memorial Hospital Medical Staff Scholarship Lyndsey Gutowski
Memorial Hospital/ HIA Scholarship Carl Hartweg
Memorial Hospital/Hancock County Nursing Home Auxiliary Scholarship Caitlin Robertson
Monmouth Academic Achievement Scholarship Sara Frakes, Stefan Flynn, Jesse Holtsclaw
Myra Green Memorial Scholarship Kelly Johnson
Quincy University Academic Scholarship Allison Dooley, Nancy Dixon
Ross “Bill” Jones Memorial Scholarship Brokk Doyle
Robert Morris Academic and Athletic Scholarship LaShay Rodeffer
Sherman Tweedt Memorial Scholarship Kayla Bess
Southeast Iowa Builders Association Scholarship Travis Wilson
Sunbeam Corner Alumni Scholarship Jamee Herriman, Natalie Northup
Tara Cameron Memorial Scholarship Natalie Northup
Ted Irish Agriculture Scholarship Jessica Horton
U. of Illinois – Child of a Veteran Scholarship Jamee Herriman
U. of Iowa –Academic Scholarship Natalie Northup
Wanita Patrick Memorial Scholarship Amber LaBonte
Warren-Henderson Farm Bureau Agriculture Scholarships Jessica Horton, Sarah Ziegler
Western Illinois U. – Lamet Scholarship to WIU Jessica Horton, Cassandra Jones, Michael Lafferty
..... Haylee Miller, Kelly Johnson, Travis Wilson
Trustee Scholarship Sarah Ziegler
Residential Scholar Program Scholarships Michael Lafferty, Sarah Ziegler
Schulze-Wilcox Scholarship Brokk Doyle
WIN Alumni Scholarship Michael Lafferty, Sarah Ziegler
WIU Civil Service Scholarship Travis Wilson
Wyatt and Madson Elliott Memorial Scholarship Zach Burling

Illinois State Scholars (Top 10% of Illinois HS seniors based upon ACT and Class Rank)
Kayla Bess, Allison Dooley, Hannah Dorothy, Stefan Flynn, Maria Gambrell, Carl Hartweg, Jessica Horton, Kelly Johnson, Michael Lafferty, Natalie Northup, Caitlin Robertson, Jessica Siverly, Shanna Smith, Sarah Ziegler
WYSE Academic Challenge Team (advanced to Sectional)
Seniors-Hannah Dorothy, Stefan Flynn, Chelsea Gibson, Greg Little, Natalie Northup, Caitlin Robertson
Juniors-Dani Miller, Trey Ourth, Dylan Pieper
Sophomores-Joe Goetz, Sam Newberry

Western Area Career System: Outstanding Career-Technical Students Awards
Welding Joshua Grisham

Girls State Delegates:
Phillip Hartzell American Legion Auxiliary Carter Wear and Maggie Unruh

Boys State Delegates:
Phillip Hartzell and Snyder-Turner Posts Joseph Goetz
Gittings-Sandene Dallas City Post John Brewer
Hugh O’Brian Youth Ambassador Award Halie Goetz
“Youth to Washington” Award (sponsored by WIEC) Joe Frakes
“Youth to Springfield” Award (sponsored by WIEC) Joe Frakes
(sponsored by McDonough Telephone Coop) Audra Stephenson, Annie Ryan
Journal-Pilot “Leaders for the 21st Century” Natalie Northup
Illinois Science Teachers Association Award Cody Dunn, Carl Hartweg, Haylee Miller, Natalie Northup, Caitlin Robertson

Marine Bank Seniors of the Month:
Sept. Fine Arts-Tanisha Wisslead; Oct.Business -Lauren McGaughey; Nov. English-Bryan Fox; Dec Family & Consumer Science-Raina Little; Jan. Industrial Tech./Ag-Tarey Shoup; Feb. Math-Tim Yex; March Science -Natalie Northup; April-Soc. Studies-Shanna Smith; May Spanish-Brokk Doyle

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