October 2023

# WHS News

## Senior Night!

Senior night is approaching on October 13th. The football, cheer, dance, band, and cross country team seniors will be announced before the football game. With the game starting at seven. Seniors will be walking on the field and getting recognized with their parents. Cheer seniors are Olivia Bingeman, Kenley Coats, Alli Peterson, Katie Engelbrecht. Cross Country seniors are Allie Jones, Kaylee Hamiltion, Brendan Clanton, and Emy Coonrod. Dance seniors are Chloe Ford and Emy Coonrod. Football Seniors are Conner Turner, Jackson Surratt, Chance Little, Brendan Clanton. Mason Berry, Owen Barber, Mathew Hopkins, Kj Spencer, and Jake Bangert. The band's senior is Noah Holmes.

## Ella Kellerman

Mrs. LoveKamp was hired as our Home Economics teacher this year. She came out of retirement after 13 years to teach three classes per day. She taught for thirty years. This year She is teaching sewing and two food classes. I made a pillow in class and Learned to use a sewing machine. The Students in foods class have learned to make a variety of such goods as egg noodles, monster cookies and mac and cheese. Mrs LoveKamp is a very energetic and patient lady. She loves planting flowers and spending time with her five grandchildren, and her cat.

I am glad I am in her class learning to sew and I'm making a pillowcase too.

Thank you Mrs. LoveKamp

Wyatt Luckett

# Homecoming week

Homecoming dress-up days were from the 18th through the 22 of September, during that week we had on Monday the 18th breakfast club, Many people wore their pajamas but some didn't. On Tuesday the 19th the dress-up theme was sportswear, on this day again many people dressed up. Wednesday the 20th was Adam Sandler day, I think that was a good dress up day. Also on Wednesday was powderpuff and the seniors won, it was fun to watch. Thursday the 21st was barbie and ken day, About everyone dressed up for this day. The softball game and bonfire was on Thursday a lot of people went to the bonfire, I'm not 100% sure who won the softball game. Then on Friday the 22nd it was sprit wear, again most people dressed up for it. Also on Friday was the football game and we won. Then of course on Saturday the 23rd was homecoming at 8pm and it was really fun.

**Bryleigh Parker** 

#### October's Events

It's October! Which means Halloween, Columbus Day, and fall! We have many things happening at Winchester High School like; dress-up days, Ag week, and more! I will be going into detail about what's to come in the lovely month of October. First is Columbus Day which falls on October 9th giving us a 3-day weekend, which is a great way to start the month. Second is our spirit dress-up days, which fall every Wednesday of the month, going as follows; The 4th-wear pink, the 11th-superhero day, the 18th-yellow and blue day, and the 25th-college day. Third is parent-teacher conferences that will happen periodically throughout the month. Fourth we have Ag week which starts on the 23rd followed by Ag day on the 27th which includes tons of fun activities for the grade school to learn about agriculture. Finally, we have Halloween on the 31st to end the month of October. We have many things going on this month and I hope everyone enjoys the beginning of fall!

Lakin Nobis

# IT'S HALLOWEEN

It is October time fall is here it is getting colder so make sure to stay warm. Make sure you guys look around the changes to the leaf and nature, but because it is falls time that mean it is Halloween time. It is spooky season time to dress up and have fun wait your friends and family, have fun at night go out be the real you that no body get to see. And make sure to watch some scary movies. Have some yummy candy and no matter what age you are you can still dress up I promise you just cant get free candy but you can still have fun, Halloween is a time to show the real you it not about candy. Go out there and do some dumb but fun stuff while you are still young, but do not do anything that will get you in trouble with the law. Be safe out there and HAVE A FUN HALLOWEEN.

Evelyn Swísher



#### **ESPORTS**

Esport, it's where different schools compete against each other with a wide variety of games, mostly shooting and fighting games, the games they play are mostly competition games where they go against each other, Winchester and Bluffs students go to the high school in Bluffs to practice and go against other students, they had a practice game with another school from Ohio before the actual competition. Starting in the next couple weeks they will go up against other schools for the actual competition are the following: Clay Howard, Maybe Eevee Swisher. In a few weeks they are going to have another competition playing the game Valorant the following student will be attending that competition: Eevee Swisher, Xavier Ator, Gavin Hettinger, Clay Howard, Chris Hembrough, Tysyn Flanigan, Dakota Kline. Please wish everyone good luck at their future competition because esport is becoming more of a real thing even in colleges, people are going out of state to compete.

## Derek Price

The west central volleyball team has been working hard this year to win the many games they have played. They have a couple things coming up to here is a reminder to set your calendars and to come show up and support our west central volleyball team. The Waverly tournament is on October 13th and 14th. It is a varsity tournament only but then the Have the dig pink game is October 5th in south county. Make sure if you bought t-shirts or if not show up in plink and support our volleyball girls that night at 6. The last game is a tournament and it is JV only in Winchester and it starts at 8:00 am to whatever the last game is for first place. If we have a theme for that game make sure you wear it when you show up for that game or any cougar wear to support us in the morning.

**Bayleigh Holmes** 

Our Winchester High School football team's current score as of October 5th, 2023 is 4 wins and 2 losses. The season has been calm and chaotic at the same time. Players getting hurt has added to chaos but our team has been good at handling it and getting those back on track to their best recovery. We have 3 regular season games left including the game this Saturday at 1:00 pm against North Greene. The other two games include our Dig Pink, which is also our senior night game against Triopia. This home game takes place on Friday October 13, 2023. Then October 20th there will be an away game against Camp Point, which will also start at 7:00pm. Some more exciting news, if we win just 2 more games we will be in the playoffs! We as a community are all grateful and wish our boys the best through these next 3 games.

Carlee Hinegardner

