

# News & Notes

*From the Director*

April 11, 2008

**Walk-A-Thon** is bringing FUN back to FUNdraising!!

OCA's 2<sup>nd</sup> annual **Walk-A-Thon** is just around the corner – only 12 more days!! Make sure Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> is marked on your calendar and, if you are able, please come out to join OCA's staff & students in all the fun activities beginning at 11:30am.

Packets were mailed out earlier this week!! Please take the time to look through your packet carefully. Four families have already returned 65 flyers going to 14 different states. Please fill out your flyers and return them to school by next Wednesday, April 16. Extra flyers are available in the school office; please send out as many as possible. Every family is needed to participate in the **Walk-A-Thon** so that our fundraising goal can be reached.

Congratulations to Keegan Kalisch and Keirstyn Heinemann for the designs they submitted for the **Walk-A-Thon** t-shirt. Keegan was the 1st place winner, and Keirstyn was the second place winner. Both designs will be featured on the t-shirt. Way to go Keegan and Keirstyn!

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact committee chairman, Kimber McLean (tkfrogmclean@msn.com).

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## Spring Melodrama Coming Soon!

### *The Paperbag Bandit Rides Again*

Mark your calendars! Friday, May 9 & Saturday May 10 are the dates for this year's Chuckwagon Dinner and Melodrama. Tickets will go on sale soon... more details to follow in future *News & Notes*.

# Re-Enroll Now!

<i>School Calendar</i>	
April 12	Ensemble to World's of Fun
April 14	Board Meeting - 6:30 pm
April 15	6th Grade Field Trip - 8:15 am
April 15	Track @ Syracuse - 9:30 am
April 15	B SO @ NE Lutheran - 5:00 pm
April 17	Booster Club Meeting - 8:00 am
April 18	District Music Contest @ Yutan
April 18	Track @ Wesleyan - 10:30 am
April 19	Track @ Yutan - 9:00 am
April 19	Quiz Bowl @ Norris, Firth, NE
April 19	MS Track @ ISD in CB, Iowa - 1:00 pm
April 21	B SO @ Brownell-Talbot - 4:30 pm
April 22	Track @ Fort Calhoun - 3:00 pm
April 23	Walk-a-Thon - 11:30 am <b>Note: Kdg. will have school on this Wednesday</b>
April 25	Trinity Spring Festival
April 25	Junior/Senior Banquet
April 26	MS Quiz Bowl @ Lincoln - 7:30 am
April 26	NFC Track @ Lincoln
April 28	4th-8th Grade Spring Concert - 7:00 pm
May 1	B SO vs NE Lutheran - 5:00 pm
May 2	Track @ NE City - 9:00 am
May 5	MS Track @ Fremont Bergan
May 5	HS Performing Arts Concert - 7:00 pm
May 6	1st Grade - Zoo Field Trip - 9:00 am
May 8	AP English Exam - 8:00 am
May 8	District Track @ Yutan - 10:00 am

## YOUTH SPORTS



**Youth Sports Registrations for Baseball/Softball are now being taken!**

Registrations for Pre-K through 6<sup>th</sup> grade (current grade) are now being taken for Baseball and Softball leagues played through the Maple Street YMCA. The season is May 31 through July 26<sup>th</sup>. Cost is \$50, plus a YMCA Jersey. Please turn in your registrations to the school office by April 23<sup>rd</sup> if you would like your child to be registered at the school rate for these sports at the YMCA. More information is on the attached registration form and on the school's website at [www.omahachristianacademy.com](http://www.omahachristianacademy.com). If any questions please email Terri Zimmerle, [tzimmerle@aol.com](mailto:tzimmerle@aol.com) or call @ 493-2850.

## Quiz Bowl Brings Home Trophy

The OCA Quiz Bowl team competed in Lincoln on Saturday the 5<sup>th</sup> of April in the Lincoln Northeast Invitational Quiz Bowl. Three separate OCA teams competed in a field of twenty eight teams. The team of Caleb White, Wyatt Wirges, Laura Henkenius and Luke Henkenius brought home the third place trophy. Second place went to Creighton Prep and the home team of Lincoln Northeast took first. Great job OCA!!

## SCHOOL OF HOOPS



All OCA students will receive a 50% discount on all School of Hoops activities at Fletch's Court (2015 N 84<sup>th</sup> Street & Blondo). To check out all of the activities go to [www.schoolofhoops.com](http://www.schoolofhoops.com). If you have any questions, please call me at 391-1990 or email, [fletchscourt@aol.com](mailto:fletchscourt@aol.com). Lets take Eagle basketball to new heights!

Coach Don Fletcher

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## School Lunch Menu

	Entree	Sides/Dessert
April 14	HOT—Meatball Sub Sandwich COLD—No Cold Lunch	Lettuce Salad Pineapple Tollhouse Cookie Bar
April 15	HOT—Egg & Cheese on a Bun COLD—No Cold Lunch	Tri-Tators Orange Wedges Kitty Chow
April 16	HOT—Cheese Enchilada COLD—No Cold Lunch	Corn Kiwi Brownie
April 17	HOT—Rotini w/ Meat Sauce COLD—No Cold Lunch	Green Beans Applesauce White Cake w/ Rainbow Sprinkles & Frosting
April 18	HOT—Dog in a Blanket COLD—No Cold Lunch	Baby Carrots Potato Rounds Fruit Fluff

**Students may choose yogurt & cheese stick as a main dish alternative.**

Milk will be served with all meals.

**Cost:** \$2.45(Pre-K-4); \$2.60 (5-12); \$1.00 Extra Entrees

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

## Guidance Corner

- The Offutt Air Force Base is hosting the Teen Cyberspace Career Pizza Party on April 24 from 10am-12 noon. This is a career showcase of information technology within the defense industry active duty military, civil service and defense contracting. This is not military recruitment. This party is to inform teenagers of the vast technology career opportunities available to them in the defense industry. This opportunity is available to juniors only. If interested contact the guidance office by April 16.
- Southeast Community College, Lincoln Campus, will be hosting an Open House on April 13 from 11 am - 4 pm. See details at [www.southeast.edu](http://www.southeast.edu) or call 1-800-642-4075.
- Iowa Western Community College will be hosting Tech-Daze 2008, their fifth annual summer technology camp for students entering 6th, 7th or 8th grade, July 15-17. The cost of the three-day camp is \$75.00 per student. Registrations are due by May 16. If interested contact the guidance office for more information.
- Midland Lutheran College will be hosting a Junior Visit Day on April 18 from 8:30 am - 1:30 pm. If interested in attending you can register online at [www.mlc.edu](http://www.mlc.edu) or call 941-6501.
- Southeast Community College, Milford Campus, will be hosting an Open House on Sunday, May 4 from 11 am - 4 pm. See details at [www.southeast.edu](http://www.southeast.edu) or call 1-800-933-7223.

### Calendar

April 29 - Venard College Rep Visit

May 6 - SAT Registration Deadline for June 7 Test

May 9 - ACT Registration Deadline for June 14 Test

May 15 - Late SAT Registration Deadline for June 7 Test

May 23 - Late ACT Deadline for June 14 Test

OCA/YMCA Youth Sports



Pre-K-8 Boys/Girls Baseball/Softball Registration



Season: May 31st - July 26th

Registration: Now through April 23rd in the OCA Office

COST: \$50.00 per player (checks made payable to: Youth Sports)

No Late Registrations

Teams will be split up by the child's current grade. Following are the team types and divisions:

Table with 3 columns: Age, # on Team, Type. Rows include 3-4 year olds (Co-ed), K-2nd Grade (Co-ed), 3rd-8th Grade (Boys), 3rd-8th Grade (Girls).

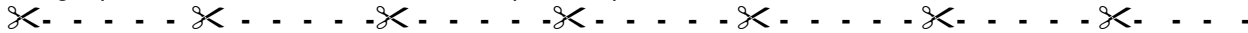
In the past we have had some interest in the Y baseball program to make a few teams. But, the interest has been very low in the past couple years and there hasn't been a baseball or softball team. Many children have enjoyed playing on a YMCA team.

Registrations: For this sport season only, registrations will be accepted in OCA's office until April 23rd. Please fill out the form below and enclose in an envelope with payment and put in an envelope.

Purpose of the OCA/YMCA Youth Sports Committee:

To provide an opportunity for all OCA students a chance to play together as a team in accordance with the philosophy of the YMCA's recreational Youth Sports program.

COACHES/TEAM PARENTS: There must be a volunteer coach for every team! Enjoying children, wanting to teach & being a positive role model are the most important qualifications.



OCA Youth Sports Baseball/Softball Registration Form

Child's Name (one per form please!), Birth date, SEX, GRADE, B G

Address: Zip: Phone:

Total \$ Made Payable to: "Youth Sports" is attached. Email Address:

Would you like to volunteer as a Coach or as an Asst. Coach?

I have read and understand the above and give my permission for my child to participate:

Date: Parent Signature: Parent's Names(s):

Your child will be placed on a YMCA team unless we get enough for an OCA team. If that happens I will let you know so that you will not need to get a YMCA shirt.

(A YMCA shirt will be needed for \$12, please stop by the YMCA to pick up and pay for your own shirt.)

Any Questions do not call the school! Please PAN, call, or email Terri Zimmerle at 493-2850 or tzimmerle@aol.com