



Southland School District



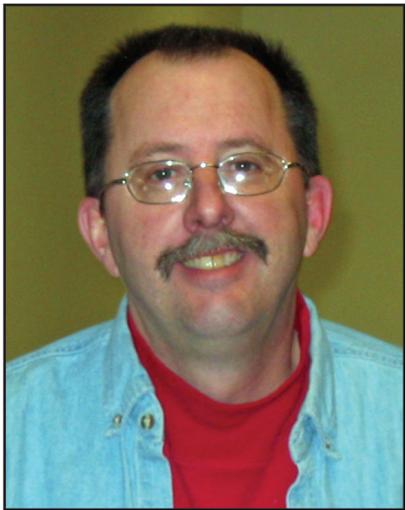
Rebel Talk

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Southland English teacher has one-act play produced in San Diego



Tim Brennan, author of the play "Dinner and a Movie"

Tim Brennan, Southland English teacher and one act play director, recently had a one act play "Dinner and a Movie" produced in San Diego CA. Twenty-four short plays were presented through the month of October at North Park Vaudeville Theatre in San Diego and Brennan's play was selected as "Best Play of Festival." Brennan flew out to watch his play on October 28. "It was well done and I'm glad I went," said Brennan. The lead actress, Peggy Mundell, was selected as "Best Actress" as well as Robert "Hitch" Hitchcox winning for Best Director. "The play got picked up by another theater, The Lamplighter Theatre, and will be presented for two weekends in December.

Criteria for choosing students of the month

Academics - Students who excel academically and those with dramatic improvements in their grades.

Responsibility - Students who have excellent attendance and punctuality; complete classroom work in a timely manner; turn in homework assignments on time; behave properly, regardless of supervision; follows the rules; and is dependable and trustworthy.

School leadership, pride and spirit - Students who are active in the school, demonstrate out-

standing citizenship, and promote school spirit and pride.

Extra-curricular activities - Students who represent the school well in academic and other extracurricular contests and competitions.

Community service - Students who are active, and have demonstrated leadership, in the following groups: community, church, or other service organizations.

A student may be nominated for meeting any combination of the above five criteria.

September middle school students of the month



Cassandra Hanson - 6th Grade, John Mueller - 7th Grade, Ashley Ehret - 8th Grade

September high school students of the month



Jenna Wolterman - 12th Grade, Olivia Bergstrom - 9th Grade, Cody Kirkpatrick - 11th Grade, Samantha Enright - 10th Grade

Students Adopting Families

By Emily Schmidt
From Monday, December 5th, to Thursday, December 15th, the middle and high schools will be participating in an Adopt a Family program. Each individual grade will adopt a separate family, collecting money and items such as clothing, food,

and toys for their selected family. Students are encouraged to participate and help the families in need. The grade which collects the most for their family will win a prize.

Sponsored by SADD (Students Against Destructive Decisions)

Southland FFA members attend National Convention



Southland FFA Members attending the National FFA Convention in Louisville, Kentucky, were Mitch Schroeder, Scott Helgeson, Peter Thome, Lance Sorenson, Brandon Kinney, Emily Mullenbach, Christie Hanson, Mike Sheely and advisor, Mr. Kevin Brown.

By Emily Schmidt

On Wednesday, October 26th, Southland's FFA Organization joined over 52,000 other FFA members for the FFA National Convention. Held in Louisville, Kentucky, the event lasted until Saturday, October 29th, and provided an enjoyable experience for Southland's FFA members. It was the 78th National Convention, but the last to be held in Louisville. The annual event is shifting from Kentucky to Indianapolis, which is the group's national headquarters.

During the trip, the FFA members had the chance to attend a career fair, hear musical performances, and watch a talent show, visit farms, and much more. Besides being educational, the convention was a lot of fun for the Southland students.

FFA officers advised by Kevin Brown include Pete Thome, president, Lance Sorenson, vice president, Scott Helgeson, treasurer, Emily Mullenbach, reporter, Adam Nelson, secretary, and Michael Sheely, sentinel.

Southland social studies teacher and daughter participate in Civil War Reenactments



By Kim Feuchtenberger

During the summer, about every other weekend, my dad (Bill Feuchtenberger) and I take part in Civil War Reenactments. My mom goes sometimes, too. People ask me, "What is that?" So, in short terms, we basically live the roles of civilians and soldiers during the Civil War era. We set up and live in Civil War Era camps, drill, do other daily life activities and reenact battles. We also go to dances at night called balls. They are quite different than the dances of today. All of the instruments are string instruments. The dances are waltz, polka, and reels.



Bill and Kim Feuchtenberger

This was our first year reenacting. We were formally with the 8th Texas, but parted ways and became Gregg's 1st South Carolina Volunteers and the Pee Dee Artillery. Being from South Carolina, we portray the South. My dad is infantry and I work with the artillery during battles, but portray a civilian woman during the day when I am not drilling with the artillery.

I can't put into words all the things we do and how neat it is to take part in and to watch reenactments. So I'll just say, "You will

have to come and watch one and experience the Civil War first hand." If you do, I hope you enjoy your time there.

Taxes and levies

Each November, homeowners receive a proposed tax statement issued from the county auditor's office. On it are the proposed taxes for the next year, and the percentage increase or decrease. There are several categories on the tax bill, one of which is for school taxes. You will see an increase in school taxes for next year, with the average increase about 9.7%. The majority of this increase for school taxes will be in the area of health and safety.

Last May, the State Fire Marshal's office sent an inspector to Southland, something that is done every three years. During the inspection, the inspector noted many areas that needed updating, items that the previous inspector chose not to include in his report.

As a result, the elementary had 18 items that they had to address, and the middle/high school building had 36 items to correct. While not all of them required money to correct, some

did, and a few required substantial dollars.

For example, we are required to build an approved second exit through our shop classroom at an estimated cost of \$18,000. We needed to replace some doors in both the elementary and the middle/high school building, and they are approximately \$15,000. A third example is that we need to provide a second exit from the boiler room in the middle/high school building. That estimated cost was \$9,700.

All told, we needed to make these corrections at a total cost of around \$60,000. This means that homeowners will see an increase in their school taxes this year. The good news is that this is a one-time cost, so the school will not need to levy this \$60,000 again next year.

Anyone wishing to see the complete list of corrections from the fire marshal's office, or has a question about this topic, please call Gary Kuphal, Superintendent, at 582-3283.

Southland Elementary book fair to be held

Southland Elementary School will be holding a "Book Fair" during the fall concert in Rose Creek on Thursday, December 1, 2005. Scholastic will be conducting the fair.

Southland Youth Basketball Organization says "thank you"

On behalf of the Southland Youth Basketball Organization, we would like to extend a **THANK YOU** to everyone who helped out during the Basketball Skills and Drills Day on Saturday, November 5th. This was a great success with 55 boys & girls 5th through 8th grade participating. Hopefully it was fun for all!

We could not have held this day if it wasn't for all the wonderful volunteers that we had and all the kids to help support our basketball program.

We would like to thank person-

ally Randy & Patti Schammel for helping to pull this together and to all the other helpers: Ethan Riggan, Dave Decker, Jon Thalberg, Steve Maiers, John Felten, Dean Bendsten, Ernie Kirkpatrick, Lori Smith, Paula Mortenson, Geneva Hamilton and Terri Hanson.

Also, we would like to thank our high school helpers: Cody Kirkpatrick, John Stoltenberg, Tyler Hanson, Ashley Holdgrafer, Ashlee Waller, Kacey Kilgore, Chelsey Smith and Hilary Johnson.

It's not too late to signup for Southland Youth Traveler's Basketball

This is offered to all 5th-8th grade boys and girls! If you have any questions regarding the program, please do not hesitate to contact Terri Hanson @ 507-582-3127 or tjhanson5@yahoo.com.

Submit form with \$50 check made payable to Southland Youth Basketball

Name: _____

Grade: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Home Phone: _____

Mother's Work Phone # (if OK to use): _____

Father's Work Phone# (if OK to use): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Mail to: Terri Hanson, 306 Sixth Street, NW, Adams, MN 55909

Southland Students celebrate Halloween



Southland Students had a spooktacular time in school on Halloween.

Middle school students had a great time at the Halloween Dance.

Some of the students who dressed up for the day were Liz Meany, Trena Thome, Chelsey Swenson and Brittney Hall.

Rebel seat cushions for sale by Southland Economics Class

By Joni Schmitz

The Southland Economics class is selling seat cushions. They are blue and white with the Rebel mascot. The Economics class will be selling them for \$8 each or two for \$15. The class will be setting up stands at various girls and boys basketball games and wrestling meets. You can also place your order through one of the students personally.

Minutes of the Middle and High School PTO Meeting October 5, 2005

Submitted by Dawn Mueller

The Middle and High School PTO meeting was held on October 5, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. in the Media Center Conference Room. Shauna Schlichter, Julie Hendrikson, Dawn Mueller, Laura VanBuskirk, Carrie Sorgatz, Jane Orvik, Joe Vogt and other members were present.

Motion was made by Therese Hanson and second by Joe Vogt to approve the September 7, 2005 minutes.

Motion was made by Julie Hendrikson and second by Jane Orvik to approve the Treasurer's report. As of October 1, 2005 our balance is \$224.66.

Mr. Ellerbusch informed the group about a web site called PTO Today. The website is a purchased program that we could use to help organize the volunteers and get ideas from. This is something that the PTO should consider doing.

Mr. Ellerbusch updated us on the Mrs. Miller benefit. Mrs. Brumm is in charge of the meal. It will be a pork supper sometime in November and it will be a free will offering. They are still trying to find a date and place to have the supper at. Corky's and Wagner Foods have already agreed to donate some of the food. They still need someone to donate 3 pigs. Joe will check into getting 3 pigs donated. The FCCLA members, school staff and PTO members will donate a pan of bars for the supper. There was discussion of many different raffles that could be done at the benefit.

Mr. Juhl will put an announcement in the Elementary Newsletter about the Coca Cola Fundraiser.

The Elementary PTO would like us to help sell some raffle tickets for their Waffle Breakfast. The tickets need to be turned into the school before or on the day of the breakfast.

Sheri Klein would like some help with stapling and binding some reports the students have done. We will find out when she would like the help and let everyone know.

Carrie passed around a flier that the Elementary PTO had made up. She suggested that we do one and send it out in the report cards and have them available at the office. Julie will work on getting a flier made up. We will also have a table set up during conferences on November 10 and 11.

It was agreed to put the PTO members emails in the Rebel Talk.

Linda Sheely would like to see more gator aid in the machines at school available to the kids after practices. The school kids fill the machines. The juice and water are available all day long, while the pop is only available after 12:30.

The fan bus is not getting as good response as was thought it would get. At the parent basketball meeting they will announce that the fan bus will be available. Therese Hanson will be the chaperone for the rest of the away football games. Parents will need to sign a slip stating they will be taking their children home with them instead of riding the bus back to the school. The money for the bus and entry will be collected before the bus leaves.

Our first fundraiser was a success. So far there are 197 cases sold with more orders still coming in. We will make \$985 on the 197 cases. The drop off will be at noon on Wednesday in the Media Center Conference Room. Therese Hanson will be there to receive and organize the pop. We will use the two dollies to help bring the pop out to the vehicles. Julie Hendrikson will call the order in on Friday. We will need to have a new place to have the pop delivered to. We will check with Little Cedar Church to see if we could use a room there. The pop will be ordered in November, January, March and May. All orders will be due on the second Tuesday of the month and delivered on the third Thursday.

There are not enough bands in Southland to have a Battle of the Band contest.

The guidelines for submitting requests and wish lists are;

1. Academic fundraisers. If a group still needs help after asking all the students and their parents then they can come to the PTO for help.
2. Timetable. All requests need to be asked 2 or more weeks ahead of the date needing help.
3. Wish lists. All wish lists will be turned into Mr. Ellerbusch. Mr. Ellerbusch will hand out the forms at the staff meetings.

Dawn will be keeping track of all the members and parents who would like to volunteer. If you would like to be called to volunteer for certain things please let her know.

Motion to adjourn was made by Dawn and second by Julie. Meeting adjourned.

MS/HS PTO Officers and Emails

President, Shauna Schlichter

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President Elect, Julie Hendrikson

jjhendri@smig.net

Secretary, Dawn Mueller

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Treasurer, Laura VanBuskirk

lvanbuskirk@isd500.k12.mn.us

Voting Member, Carrie Sorgatz

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Voting Member, Joe Vogt

joe@smig.net

Voting Member, Jane Orvik

ejorvik@frontiernet.net

Good Advice from a Veteran

On November 10, fifth grade students at Southland Elementary presented a Veteran's Day program. Honored guests included veterans from the community, members of American Legion Post 146 from Adams, Cub Scouts, parents, grandparents, friends, and Joe Klaehn, a former Southland student who recently returned from Iraq.

Joe talked frankly to the students about the importance of their school years. He told them to listen to their parents and teachers because they are trying to teach them lessons that they will use throughout their lives. He spoke of having good friends and how friends look out for

one another.

Joe told the children about Iraqi children and how some parts of life are the same for them but many things are different. He assured students that they should be grateful for the things and circumstances they have compared to other places in the world.

Fifth grade students sang several songs and read essays that they wrote about Veterans day. Mr. Dean Murphy spoke about some of the history of Veterans Day and Mr. Randy Juhl emceed the event. The program was directed by Mrs. Laura Freund.



Cub Scout Scott Sheely presents the flag as Joe Klaehn and Commander Dean Murphy show their respect.



Fifth grade students salute veterans at their mini-concert.

Community Education

What is Community Education?

Who decides what courses will be offered?

You do. From phone calls, evaluation forms, and surveys, you tell us what courses you want, and we listen. Then we do the work to find the appropriate personnel to bring you the information you want.

We are always looking for individuals who would like to share their hobbies, talents, and skills by teaching a Community Education Class. Most instructors are not professional teachers. They are community people like you, who enjoy being with people and sharing their talents. Instructors are paid.

Who takes Community Ed Classes?

People just like you. People who are in search of life enrichment and want to meet interesting people. People who are striving for personal and professional growth take Community Ed Classes. The classes are designed with the idea that learning is life-long and doesn't necessarily happen within four walls of a school. They are also a fun and a great way to meet new people.

Why are classes often in the schools?

The Community Ed program is the part of the school district designed to link the schools and community. Because the school buildings belong to you - the public- we like to give you every opportunity to get into the classrooms and do some learning yourself. With that in mind, we invite you to attend any of the Community Ed Classes that interest you. Sit back and read the schedule and call today for a class that interests you.

Course Offerings

Christmas Cookie Baking Day

Do you want a variety of Christmas cookies for the holidays, but don't have time to bake all of them yourself? Spend an afternoon and help bake a variety of cookies and goodies with others and then divide them so all take home several dozen. Debbie and Patti organize it all; you just come with empty containers for your cookies. You'll have a wonderful assortment of Christmas treats. Call a family member or friend to join you for this afternoon of fun!

When: Sunday, December 11

Where: Little Cedar Church, Adams, kitchen - enter north door

Time: 1 until about 4 p.m.

Cost: \$15.00 for supplies- any balance not used for supplies is donated to the Southland Food Shelf

Instructors: Patti Schammel and Debbie Retterath

Pre-register and send payment by Wednesday, Dec. 7

Bow Making

Have you always wanted to learn how to make beautiful bows to decorate packages, wreaths, or other craft items? You can learn this easy skill just in time for Christmas. Bring your own rolls of ribbon for Christmas wrapping or wired ribbon for wreaths and learn the quick and easy technique.

When: Monday, Dec. 12

Where: Family and Consumer Ed. Room

Time: 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Cost: \$3.00

Instructor: Jane Steinkamp

Pre-register and send payment by Wednesday, Dec. 7

3rd and 4th Grade Girls Basketball

Southland Community Education will be offering fundamental instruction in basketball for girls in grades 3 & 4. We are planning to play at half-time of a varsity basketball game. There will be more information to follow on the date.

Dates: Saturdays, Jan. 7,14, 21, 28, Feb. 4,11,18

Time: 10:30-12:00

Where: Elementary Gym, Rose Creek

Cost: \$15.00 - includes a T-shirt

Instructor: Dave Decker

Registration forms will be passed out in the classrooms of all 3rd and 4th grade girls. Please include the fee when registration is returned.

Senior Citizens 500

Senior citizens are invited to play 500 at 1:30 p.m. the second Monday of each month at the Fire Hall in Adams.

All community education classes/events are cancelled whenever school is cancelled because of inclement weather or other reasons.

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Dates: Saturday, January 14,21,28, Feb. 4,18,25

Time: 12:30-2:00

Where: Elementary Gym, Rose Creek

Cost: \$15.00 - includes T-shirt

Instructor: Mike Tapp

Registration forms will be passed out in the classrooms of all 3rd and 4th grade girls. Please include the fee when registration is returned.

Ripp'in Stitches Quilters

The quilting group will hold their December gathering at Marjie Bartholmey's on Tuesday, Dec. 13. The group will not be quilting that night, but will have a pot luck supper. Please bring a dish to pass and if you desire a \$5.00 gift relating to quilting to exchange. The evening begins at 5:30. Any questions call Marjie Bartholmey at 582-3614.

If you would like to teach a class or suggest a class you would like to participate in, contact Jan Weness by phone at 582-3197 or e-mail at rjweness@clear.lakes.com

It is requested that the fee for a class/event is included with the registration. You will not be officially registered for a class/event until the fee is paid.

Community Education Advisory Committee

Dawn Gilles	Rose Creek	437-6451
Don Larson	Adams	582-3610
Georgia Jech	Elkton	584-6753
Julie Hendrikson	Rose Creek	433-3604
Barb Kloeckner	Adams	582-7818
Linda Howton	Rose Creek	437-3066
Lea Ann Gilbert	Dexter	584-6463

Early Childhood/Family Education

Nancy Dvergsten	Adams	582-1328
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School Board Representative

Carol Matheis	Adams	582-3380
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Community Education Coordinator

Jan Weness	Adams	582-3197
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Middle & High School Christmas Concert

Come and join in the festivities of Southland's Christmas Concert! On the night of December 5th, the middle school and high school musical arts students will be performing their annual Christmas concert. It will be in the big gym starting at 7:30 PM, with the snow date set as the following Monday, December 12th.

There is no charge for this joint band and choir performance. Come and enjoy some of your favorite Christmas songs!

Community Education Registration Form

(Use separate form for each course)

Name _____ Address _____

Home Telephone _____ Work Telephone _____

Course Title _____ Section or 1st Meeting _____

Make check payable to: Southland District 500
 If you have questions, call Carol or Barb @ 582-3568
 Mail to: Jan Weness, Community Education, Southland High School, PO Box 351, Adams, MN 55909

December 2005 Events Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
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Elementary School Menus

December		ELEMENTARY BREAKFAST MENU				
<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
1				1	2	8
				muffin yogurt fruit milk	breakfast bagel omelet fruit milk	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	cereal toast fruit milk	pancakes egg sausage juice milk	cereal bagel /cream cheese fruit milk	breakfast pizza fruit milk	cereal or oatmeal toast juice milk	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	omelet sausage toast fruit milk	cereal toast juice milk	ham slice scrambled eggs toast juice milk	cereal toast fruit milk	breakfast bites egg fruit milk	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	cereal toast fruit milk	break fast burrito sausage fruit milk	cereal or oatmeal muffin juice milk	French toast sticks Sausage Fruit milk	no school Merry Christmas	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

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December		ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU				
<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
1				1	2	3
				hot dog/ bun baked beans corn chips peaches & pears cookie	tater tot hotdish corn apple slices pudding	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	chicken nuggets cheddar mashed potatoes corn applesauce bar	hamburger / bun French fries Orange slices Cookie	chicken burrito green beans mixed fruit jello / topping	spaghetti hotdish garlic bread lettuce salad pineapple/orange rocky road dessert	fish wedge cole slaw apple salad peanutbutter sandwich cake	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	pork patty / bun broccoli or corn peaches & pears bar	Salisbury steak Mashed potatoes Cooked carrots Pears parfait	mini corn dogs scalloped potatoes applesauce cookie	ham or tuna sandwich cheese slice tater tots banana pudding	beef stew cheese sandwich carrot sticks peaches bar	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	egg-n-biscuit sandwich green beans fruit salad bar	chicken strips cole slaw applesauce jelly sandwich cookie	pizza lettuce salad peaches cottage cheese cake	baked ham peas cornbread/honey pears treat	no school Merry Christmas	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

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Middle School and High School Menus

SOUTHLAND MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL BREAKFAST MENU		December 2005			
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
NOTICE: Menu items are subject to change without notice.			1	2	
			cereal donut juice milk	breakfast bite syrup juice milk	
5	6	7	8	9	
breakfast pizza juice milk	cold cereal toast juice milk	egg patty sausage link juice milk	long john donut juice milk	breakfast burrito sausage link juice milk	
12	13	14	15	16	
french toast sausage juice milk	cold cereal toast juice milk	scrambled egg sausage link juice milk	cold cereal toast juice milk	pancake /syrup sausage link juice milk	
19	20	21	22	23	
breakfast bite sausage link juice milk	cold cereal muffin juice milk	english muffin egg patty sausage patty juice milk	cold cereal toast juice milk	no school MERRY CHRISTMAS	
26	27	28	29	30	
NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	

SOUTHLAND MIDDLE-HIGHSCHOOL LUNCH		December 2005			
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
NOTICE: Menu items are subject to change without notice.			1	2	
			Chicken patty-bun peas applesauce baby carrots/dip	Pizza lettuce pears	
5	6	7	8	9	
Chili dogs potato wedges peaches	Turkey/ham subs potato salad lettuce/cheese applesauce	Sloppy Joe baked beans pineapple/mandarin oranges	Chicken Alfredo over noodles green beans pears	Fish/bun corn sliced oranges baby carrots/dip	
12	13	14	15	16	
Walking tacos lettuce pineapple garlic toast	Hamburger/bun green beans pears pudding	Chickenoodle soup grill cheese cooked carrots mixed fruit	Pizza corn cottage cheese peachesf	Scalloped Potatoes and ham peas apple sauce	
19	20	21	22	23	
Corn Dogs potatoe wedges baked beans pears	Pizza burger/bun green beans mixed fruit cake	dunkers lettuce peaches corn	COOKS CHOICE	NO SCHOOL MERRY CHRISTMAS!!	
26	27	28	29	30	
NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	

Early Childhood & Family Education

312 West Main Street, Adams MN 55909

eccenter@isd500.k12.mn.us

507-582-3405

What is ECFE?

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) is for all Southland #500 parents of children between birth and kindergarten. Whether you are a single parent, a teen parent, a stay-at-home mom or dad, or an employed parent, ECFE is for you!

We offer weekly parent/child classes, special events, and other services. ECFE is "Time Together" . . . You spend quality time with your child, learning more about their interests and abilities. ECFE is "Time Apart" . . . While children are with a children's teacher, you and other parents meet with a parent educator to discuss timely concerns.

The support, encouragement, and new ideas you receive from the group make being a parent more rewarding.

To Register for any Early Childhood Event or Class
Call 582-3405 or email us at eccenter@isd500.k12.mn.us

We need child's name & age, parents name and phone number and the class you wish to sign up for.

The Early Childhood Center is located on Main Street next to Schmitz Electric

Immunization Records

Minnesota law requires that all children attending Early Childhood Family Education programs have their immunization records or a notarized statement for exemption from immunization on file. We will keep a file copy and you may update it as necessary. **Please bring your immunization records 1st class.**

ECFE Parent/Child Classes

Gingerbread Houses

Mon. Dec. 6th 6:15 – 7:45 p.m. or

Wed. 8th 6:15 – 7:45 p.m. or

Fri. 9th 10:00 a.m.

Families will put together and decorate a small Gingerbread House. These houses have become a Christmas tradition at the Early Childhood Center. Please bring a half bag of candy for use in decorating the houses. The candies will be pooled for all to get an assortment of items to decorate a house. We will provide all other materials. Southland Early Childhood Center – Adams

FEE: Single class fee will be charged for those **not** enrolled in ECFE. Call to register 582-3405

or email eccenter@isd500.k12.mn.us by Dec. 1st.

Beat the winter blues and join us at ECFE!

ECFE Parent/Child Winter Classes

Classes run one and one half hours. The first 45 minutes parents and children play together and have a group circle activity. Toys and a variety of activities are set out from which the family can select learning experiences. The last 45 minutes, parents and children divide.

The children will spend time with their peers and Early Childhood teacher in activities that encourage cognitive development, sociability, sharing and developing independence. The parents will meet together for informal discussion and presentations on relevant topics for their needs.

***Monday evening** 6:15 - 7:45 p.m.

Ages 1 – 3 yrs.

Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 27,

***Wed. Evening** 6:15 – 7:45 p.m.

Ages 3 – 5 yrs

Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, Mar. 1,

***Friday morning** 10:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Mixed ages birth – 5 yrs.

Jan. 6, 13, 20, 27, Feb. 3, 10, 17 Mar. 3,

FEES FOR CLASSES

\$40.00 – 8 classes one child

\$20.00 for each additional child

Lap babies no fee

Fees for any ECFE class may be waived upon request

Open Play

For FAMILIES & DAYCARES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN
Friday Dec. 16th 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.

No FEE. Parents or an adult **MUST** supervise the children in the playrooms. We ask that you pick up before you leave. Families may use any of the toys & games along with a variety of art supplies. Early Childhood Center – Downtown Adams

Play and Learn (3 – 4 year old) Preschool (Jan – Feb - Mar)

The Southland School Dist. offers a preschool opportunity for children 3 – 4 years old or 3 by Mar. 1st. This child only class meets once a week on either Tuesday or Thursday from 12:30 – 3:00 p.m. The class focuses on encouraging sociability, sharing and developing independence. **An additional component of the class is that families attend weekly ECFE parent/child classes.**

Tuesdays: Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Feb 7, 14, 28,
Or

Thursdays: Jan 5, 12, 19, 26, Feb 2, 9, 16, Mar. 2,

Fee: \$90.00 per child, which includes 8 weeks of Play & Learn and 8 weeks of ECFE family classes

Fees due the first day of class

REGISTER BY CALLING 582-3405

In selecting an ECFE Parent/child class you have flexibility in deciding which day and time works best for your family.

ECFE – Class day & time options

Monday 6:15 – 7:45 p.m. or

Wednesday 6:15 – 7:45 p.m. or

Friday 10:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Santa Visit & Light Tour

Friday Evening Dec. 2nd

5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Santa will be at the Early Childhood Center to listen to the children's wish lists. Each child will receive a gift bag from the Adams Booster Club. There will be games, frosting cookies, apple cider and hot chocolate in the gym organized by area High School students.

Bring your camera to take pictures with



Santa.

Bus tours of the Adams Community Christmas lights will leave the center periodically. The 1st tour will leave the Center at 6:00 p.m. This event is for the entire family.

NO FEE

Cookie Sale – Everyone Welcome

Friday December 2nd – 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Early Childhood Center –

312 W Main Adams (next to Schmitz Electric)

The families attending the Early Childhood center classes will provide a great variety of freshly baked cookies. Walk around tables and choose the cookies you'd like. Boxes will be provided to fill with your cookie selections.

Come early, the sale will continue until the cookies are gone or 7:30

Cost: \$3.50 per pound

Cookie sales will be contributed to the Early Childhood Scholarship fund.



December 2005

Southland Early Childhood Center 312 W Main Adams
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
SR = School Readiness Pre School	ECSE = Early Childhood Special Ed.	ECFE = Early Childhood Family Ed.	P & L = Play & Learn	1 SR & ECSE 8:15 - 11:00 P & Learn 12:30 - 3:00	2 ECFE 10:00 Santa Visit & Cookie Sale 5:30 - 7:30	
4	5 SR & ECSE 8:15 - 11:00 SR 12:15 - 3:00 ECFE 6:15 Gingerbread Houses Pre register @ 582-3405	6 SR & ECSE 8:15 - 11:00 P & Learn 12:30 - 3:00	7 SR & ECSE 8:15 - 11:00 SR 12:15 - 3:00 ECFE 6:15 Gingerbread Houses Pre register @ 582-3405	8 SR & ECSE 8:15 - 11:00 P & Learn 12:30 - 3:00	9 ECFE 10:00 Gingerbread Houses Pre register @ 582-3405	10
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 Christmas	26	27	28	29	30	31

From the Counselor.....Mrs. Schmit

SENIORS

Now is the time seniors need to be getting in those college applications. Remember that schools like Winona, U of MN and Wisconsin Universities have early deadlines. Don't procrastinate!!

Check out the scholarship binders in the media center. Students can look over the scholarships and decide which ones they are eligible for. They can then fill out the scholarship request form indicating the scholarship(s) for which they would like to apply and turn it in to Mrs. Schmit. Please allow yourself at least two weeks to complete the application, essay, and obtain any letters of recommendation, if necessary.

SOPHOMORES

40 Sophomores took the PLAN test. Mrs. Schmit will review the results with the students when they come in. Sophomore year can be a tough one for students. There is little room for electives because of the requirements. Hang in there! If students pass all of their classes - most of which are required classes - there will have room for more electives next year. If they don't pass, then they repeat the required classes and have fewer electives.

December Dates to Remember:

- 2 Scholarship Deadline: Principal's Leadership Award
- Scholarship Deadline: Toyota Community Scholars
- 6 Riverland Community College Rep, 9:00 am
- 10 ACT Test
- 15 Scholarship Deadline: AXA Achievement Scholarship
- 16 Scholarship Deadline: Daughters of the American Revolution
- 31 Scholarship Deadline: Veterans Tribute Scholarship

Thank you from the Southland Elementary PTO

The Southland Elementary Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) would like to thank all the teachers and parents who helped to make the Dad's Belgian Waffle Breakfast a great success. We would also like to thank the community who came out to support us again.

JUNIORS

Right now it is important for juniors to concentrate on two things: their grades and volunteer opportunities. The end of the semester will be here soon. Juniors are reminded that the cumulative GPA and class rank they have at the end of 11th grade is that which will be printed on the transcripts they send with their college applications next fall. The other task is for students to look for opportunities to volunteer! Many times the determining factor for scholarship recipients comes down to "What are they giving back to the community?" Volunteering to be a mentor for the Mower County Mentoring Program would be a great place to start!

FRESHMAN

The first quarter report cards were mailed out early November. Students and parents please remember that the final semester grade in January is what will go on their final academic transcript. If students don't pass a required class they will need to repeat the class next year or at Austin's summer school ALC program. Please make sure that students are attending class, putting forth their best effort and turning in assignments on time. If students are struggling with a class, let the teacher know. Help is available before and after school.

Coming up in January.....

- 1 Scholarship Deadline: U of M, Waseca Alumni Association
- 6 Registration Deadline for February 11 ACT Test
- 13 Scholarship Deadline: Elks National Foundation: Most Valuable Student
- 20 End of 1st semester
- Scholarship Deadline: Wal-Mart / Sam Walton Community Scholarship
- 31 BST/MCA of Written Composition, Gr. 10 until passed (February 1 - BST/MCA of Written Composition make-up)
- TBD Financial Aid Night for Parents & Students, 7:00 pm, H.S. Media Center

National Fire Prevention Week

During National Fire Prevention Week the Rose Creek Fire Department shared fire prevention and fire safety skills with the students at Southland Elementary School. Fireman Jim Stratton and Assistant Fire Chief Al Mullenbach visited the kindergarten

and first grade classrooms. They showed the students the gear that firemen use, and what a fireman looks like when they enter your home during a fire. They also discussed fire safety and the importance of fire prevention.



Assistant Fire Chief, Al Mullenbach, shows Southland Elementary Students some of the equipment that fire-

Grades 2-5 walked to the fire station and discussed and reviewed fire safety and fire prevention. In addition;

Grade 2 discussed volunteerism and the fact that some firemen leave their different occupations to answer a fire call, how firemen communicate using different pagers and radios, how they communicate with the Law Enforcement Centers, and the different duties that the firemen are responsible

• Grade 3 was shown all of the different equipment that is stored at the fire

house and in the fire trucks, and how that different equipment is used

• Grade 4 explored the fire trucks, and discussed their many functions

• Grade 5 discussed how water is brought to the fires, and took turns spraying the different sized hoses

The students at Southland Elementary School would like to thank the Rose Creek Fire Department and firemen for their volunteerism, and all that you do to help keep our communities safe. You are our heroes!



3rd Grade Students performed songs at their Halloween mini-concert.

Quilt Raffle for Jan Miller

Tickets for a quilt raffle for Jan Miller can be purchased for a \$1.00 donation from members of the quilting group or any FCCLA member. The drawing will be held at the Middle School & High School Christmas Concert on December 5, 2005.

Southland third grade class takes a field trip to the Minnesota History Museum



By Ashley - 3rd Grade

The first thing I saw was a movie theater about homes. And, we got to see the Minnesota Court, and after that we had to find stuff in the Museum but it felt like we were on a secret mountain and after that we went to the Museum's library and we looked about are ancestors and we got find out what it might be like corn or wheat through a elevator. And we got to see what it would be like in a tornado and they showed the tornadoes in Minnesota. The people also showed us on of the biggest hail stones. we also pretended to get married and wore dresses.

The field trip was lots of fun and I would like to thank Mrs. Klingerman for taking us.



By Abby Jean Rossow - 3rd Grade

On October 28, 2005 we went to the Minnesota History Museum in St. Paul. I went with Ms. Stratton and Mrs. Klingerman's 3rd grade classes. At the museum I saw a tornado movie. I was scary.

We went in a rocket ship. We also went in a box car. We also saw a pretend grain elevator. we were able to go in the grain elevator and pretend to be corn, beans and wheat. We went down the elevator. We could see the State Capital Building through binoculars. There was a fox in the bushes next to the Capital. The 3rd Grade classes enjoyed a fun trip to the museum.

Elementary Winter Concert

Elementary students are preparing their Winter Concert to be presented December 8, 2005 at the Rose Creek gym.

The program will be given in two parts; at 6:45, Kindergarten and Grades 1 and 2 will have their portion of the concert. At that point, after slight re-arrangement, Grades 3, 4 and 5 will continue at 7:15, beginning with 5th grade band.

The upper grades will perform a holiday musical called "Santa Claus," a story about a computer classroom and their communications with the North Pole.

All are invited and welcome to come. There will be a dress rehearsal given during the day beginning at 1:30 on December 8.



This mysterious man was seen at the Halloween mini-concert and parade on October 31.

Southland Middle School and High School Honor Roll 1st Quarter

MIDDLE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL 1st Quarter

(Note: Students who have an incomplete (I) in any class on the grade report are not eligible for Honor Roll recognition and therefore are not listed.)

All Academic Honors (straight A+, A only)

7th Grade

Schammel, Brandi
Smith, Lindsey

A Honor Roll (3.67-4.0 GPA)

6th Grade

Bergstrom, Molly
Bottema, Lindsey
Hamilton, Hannah
Hanson, Cassandra
Heimer, Jordan
Huntley, Micayla
Landherr, Kelvin
Maas, Brittany
Morrisette, Emily
Nordeng, Brenna
Oswald, Elizabeth
Oudekirk, Kayla
Poshusta, Kelsey
Vogel, Breanne
Yunker, Celina

7th Grade

Bendtsen, Brock
Breitbarth, Mathew
Churchill, Michael
Hegge, Grant
Holdgrafer, Melissa
Holst, Chelsea
Mullenbach, Renae
Richardson, Emily
Sorenson, Ethan
Stoltenberg, Nikki
Vlasaty, Logan

8th Grade

Barthel, Kathryn
Ehret, Ashley
Eischens, Jill
Gilles, Carly
Hanson, Jacob
Howton, Emily
Janssen, Haley
Kinney, Brooke
Landherr, Cameron
Lewison, Jordan
Meany, Lizabeth
Oudekirk, Krista
Vogel, Christopher

B Honor Roll (2.67-3.66 GPA)

A grade below a C- on the grade report automatically disqualifies a student from consideration for honor roll status.

6th Grade

Andrews, Marissa
Apenhorst, Paul

6th Grade (Continued)

Beert, Christopher
Felten, Michael
Hammermeister, Travis
Hanson, Kristina
Howton, Jacob
Klingerman, Adam
Klingfus, Baillie
Laack, Samantha
Larson, Shyenne
Lonergan, Cole
Mandt, Marcus
Shawback, Kellie
Shulze, Cody
Vogt, Brandon
Yunker, Brooke

7th Grade

Bamrick, Whitney
Bergene, Tyler
Bourdeau, Mickael
Erie, Cody
Felten, Danielle
Gobin, Amanda
Hanson, Aaron
Hinderaker, Lisa
Hurd, Camden
Kiefer, Adam
Kirchhoff, Conrad (C.J.)
Landherr, Joshua
Meany, Rebecca
Merten, Mikaela
Nelson, Sarah
Reinartz, Brianna
VanBuskirk, Thomas
Webber, Shane

8th Grade

Anderson, Jonathan
Antiporek, Jesse
Bergene, Clinton
Cherney, Kristen
Dion, Kelsey
Felten, Elizabeth
Fenske, Robert
Freund, Jessica
Hall, Karlie
Hanna, Brittany
Holst, Zachary
Janssen, Shelby
Meyer, Tracey
Mork, Brandee
Oswald, Samantha
Poshusta, Nicholas
Reiten, Brittany
Schlichter, Jeffrey
Schmidt, Christina
Smith, Calli
Spurlock, Singer
Walters, Emily

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL 1st Quarter

(Note: Students who have an incomplete (I) in any class on the grade report are not eligible for Honor Roll recognition and therefore are not listed. Students who are enrolled in PSEO will be eligible for 2nd and 4th quarter Honor Roll upon receipt of grades from their PSEO institution.)

All Academic Honors (straight A+, A only)

9th Grade

White, Nancy

10th Grade

Hegge, Jonathan

12th Grade

Howe, Candice
May, Ashton

A Honor Roll (3.67-4.0 GPA)

9th Grade

Coffman, Teryn
Irvin, Danielle
Johnson, Hilary
O'Connell, Amber
Reuter, Bryten
Stadheim, Hattie
Yunker, Whitney

10th Grade

Chapek, Jacob
Churchill, Andrew
Enright, Samantha
Felten, Zachary
Hoff, Katie
Holdgrafer, Ashley
Schmitz, Andrew
Sheely, Heather

11th Grade

Barnes, Cody
Boe, Andrew
Gilbert, Curtis
Irvin, Samantha
Maiers, Andrew
May, Maggie
Schmidt, Emily
Schroeder, Mitchell
Taranenko, Anastasiya

12th Grade

Learmont, Robert
Nelson, Brock
Warnke, Sarah

B Honor Roll (2.67-3.66 GPA)

A grade below a C- on the grade report automatically disqualifies a student from consideration for honor roll status.

9th Grade

Bamrick, Joshua
Bergstrom, Olivia
Churchill, Alexander
Decker, Scott
Engesser, Tracey
Felten, Ashley
Haarstad, Eric
Hamilton, Brooke
Hamilton, Michaela
Hanson, Jameson
Hill, Jessica
Hinderaker, Michelle
Holst, Lacey
Leverington, Stephanie
Mandt, Samantha
Mullenbach, Megan
Noterman, Ella
Noterman, Isaac

9th Grade (Continued)

Schneider, Daniel
Schroeder, Matthew
Walk, Matthew
Warnke, Scott

10th Grade

Anderson, Kari
Classon, Justin
Coffman, Brian
DeHoogh, Ruth
Felten, Katie
Hanson, Tyler
Heimer, Emily
Kilgore, Kacey
Kinney, Brandon
Miller, Chelsea
Retterath, Kody
Roser, Casey
Rossow, Lynda
Sheely, Michael
Smith, Ashley
Smith, Winston
Specht, Savannah
Sprung, Benjamin
Thompson, Ryan
Van Minsel, Matthew
Vogel, Blaire
Voigt, Brian
Waller, Ashlee
White, Mark
Zillgitt, Ben

11th Grade

Bain, Addison
Bakker, Aaron
Bergstrom, Jed
Boe, Sandra
Dietrich, Ashley
Emanuel, Jared
Felten, Joshua
Fenske, Kelly
Haarstad, Jacob
Hammermeister, Rose
Hanson, Jordan
Helgeson, Scott
Howe, Courtney
Jech, Lacey
Johnson, Andy
Kellogg, Ross
Kiefer, Craig
Kirkpatrick, Cody
Mees, Whitney
Nelson, Adam
Neuvirth, Donna
Oxley, Nathan
Perthel, Kalli
Shawback, Stacie
Stoltenberg, John
Thome, Trena
Walerak, Joseph
Wilberding, Jessica

12th Grade

Boe, Marie
Fasbender, Hilary
Hanson, Christine
Jax, Nicole
Kiefer, Bradley
Klingfus, Daniel
Krauss, Torben
Landherr, Michelle
Mork Priscilla
Mullenbach, Emily
Schmitz, Joni
Stephenson, Kate
Vogt, Kevin
Wilson, Heather

Yearbook baby ads for sale

Parents of Seniors:
Please support the Southland Yearbook as well as your graduating senior by placing a baby ad in the 2005-2006 yearbook. Cost is \$30, to cover the cost of ad space. These ads will include a baby picture of your senior, as well as a congratulatory message from you (see example). Please submit your student's baby picture as well as payment (checks can be made out to Southland) by March 1st, 2006, to ensure placement in the yearbook. Thank you for your support!



*Jen,
Watching you grow and learn
and mature into the beautiful
person you are has been the
most rewarding experience
parents could have. Thanks for
the memories past and those to
come.
CONGRATULATIONS!
All our love,
Dad, Mom and the Fliptops*

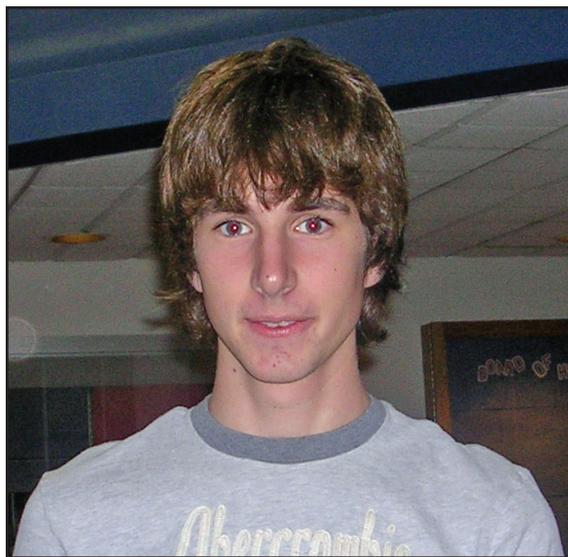
Baby ad example

Exchange students at Southland

By Ashley Dietrich



Anastasiya Taranenko is in 11th grade and from Konstantinovka, Ukraine, in the Donesk region. She is staying with Rick and Tracey Smith, who live on a farm outside of Adams. Some of Anastasiya's interests are ballroom dancing, listening to music, and reading. She will be at Southland for the remainder of the school year.



Torben Krauss is from Witten, Germany which is near Dortmund, Germany. Torben is staying with Dale and Sandy Bissen. He is in 12th grade and some of his interests are football, soccer, Judo, computers, electric guitar, and he likes to hang out with friends. Torben is only staying at Southland for half a year.



Sebastian Reineke is from Garbsen, Germany, which is located by Hannover. He is currently staying with Russ and Cheryl Linett, who live in Austin. Sebastian is in 11th grade and likes to play video games, basketball, guitar and drums. Sebastian is only staying at Southland for half a year.

Three Rivers Honor Band and Choir

Southland music students performed Thursday, November 17 at the Three Rivers Honors Festival in Harmony. Band students included Kari Anderson, Samantha Irvin, Priscilla Mork and Eric Vogel. Members of the choir included Marie Boe, Hilary Fasbender, Bryten Reuter and Jenna Wolterman.

Next year's Honor Festival will be held at Southland.

Saint Mary's University cohort at Southland Elementary

By Kris Tapp

Saint Mary's University is offering a Master of Arts in Education program at the Southland Elementary School. The courses offered in this program focus on providing the scholar with skills and knowledge to become better educators as well as leaders in their buildings.

The Master of Arts in Education program consists of 12 classes which total 32 semester credits.

The Southland cohort program started in September of 2005, and will end in May of 2007. There are 10 teachers from our area who are enrolled in this master's program; Katie McIntyre, Jen Theilen, Jenny Brumm, Tisha Simonson, Paula Mortenson, Lisa Lamp, Paula Schmitz, Kristin Tapp, Casey McIntyre, and Kerri Koenigs.

The class has been meeting on Tuesday evenings from 5-10, as well as some Thursday evenings, and some Saturdays. The Master's class has completed a course titled Student Management taught by Mr. Greg Spath, and is now in the middle of the course Ethics in Teaching which is being taught by Dr. Kit Hawkins.

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