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## THEME REELEGTS SENIOR HHESTYGE:

Senions in Docualism 997 manted to chosee a theme that reflected their, experiences at Frederick \#igh Sehool. When they thought back on the memories and times that they had icr the halls of 7\#S they decided that. "On The Edge of 7omorrocu" most described those timee.
"Eyen thoigh the exteriar of the lool, is not green. i's what is inside of the look that cocurts. Although there were a few minar details about the book that we disagreed about. when the theive chas to be decided it was cunamimons, We wanted it to reflect the wail ave spent our time at 77S. and "On The Edge" was perfect." explained Share Elsen.

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Rustina Maddocks added. "When we thought about the time that we had spent in high school, we wavted to publish a yearbook that would hidp place we amoning 7715 Flumud, not.just as the Clase of 2008, but as a clase that mould be repmembered for the thinge they accomplshed years atser graduation.".

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$79 \%$ of students would give up $E$-mail while $21 \%$ would qive up their cell phones.
$37 \%$ of people chose stuffed animals. $63 \%$ of people chose a blankie.


OH THEEPDEEOF TOMORROW


# Facses OF 



tina Maddocks draws for the prizes of those who were "tough enough" on Breast Cancer Awareness Day at Frederick High School.

As the Class of 2008 began their last year at Frederick High School many concerns arose. One of the biggest concerns that seniors will face in the near future is the 2008 Presidential Election. All of the seniors at Frederick High School will be old enough to vote in the upcoming election.

Seniors were asked, "What do you think should be the primary concern of presidential candidates in the 2008 election?" Responses ranged from gas prices to the War on Terror.

The War on Terror was the major concern of the Class of 2008. Students thought that the presidential candidates should focus on a plan for the war in Iraq.
"I think the primary concern in this election is the war in Iraq. I think we need a president who will try to find the best way to deal with the war, not just the easiest," said Mikayla Barondeau.

Blain Mikkonen added, "I think an established plan for the war and its development, more importantly a strategic plan for our troops and their departure.'
"A plan for our troops and focus on gun control laws," explained Ethan Emery in regard to top concerns for the future leader. Building
Our Future:
Seniors help first
grade students while
they learn about
timelines for the
required curriculum.
(left) Tara Clark,
Shauntaye Kopecky
and Jamie Wallon
display their timeline.
(right) Raine
Bornneman aids
Brooklyn Podoll in
the making of her
life timeline.

## Strategizing:

 Jamie Walton develops a plan for the 2008 yearbook. Hours of browsing through layouts and analyzing unique details allowed students to create a book that captured the year's memories.

"I think the primary concern of the presidential candidates is to try and fix everything Bush messed up
~Ethan Emery

"Getting (the) cost of oil down and getting troops out of Iraq, because they are only costing us more money."
Lucas Stoddard

"I think the war is a major factor...there are probably more factors that l'm not sure about or don't know about that could affect me." -Renee Graves


## Sophomores <br> Freshmen

Juniors made the transition to the status of upper classmen, with major concerns being concessions and their future plans.
The challenge of concessions occupied them from their first day of school when they prepared orders right through basketball season, which ended in February. From organizing workers, to making popcorn and cleaning up, the class learned a lot about working together toward a common goal. Once the work of earning the money was behind them, the juniors began planning how to spend the money to host the prom. The class saved a percent of their money for

"We need a new President because we have too many people having to go to war and not knowing if they will return safely or not."
~ Caitlin Zinter senior year expenses.
Mixed in with the stress and fun of junior responsibilities, each member of the class was also faced with making decisions about their futures. Recruiters from colleges and the armed forces were regular visitors and juniors were provided with a variety of information to help them make decisions. Spring also brought standardized tests and the ACT, both of which offered insights into future plans. Juniors also participated in "shadowing", allowing them to spend a day with someone in an occupation that they were considering.

"I think that it all is unnecessary and just needs to end. I have way too many people over there and we've already lost too many people."
~ Allie Worthy

"I feel that some war is needed to keep trouble out of our world. If there were no wars, we would not be living in this great country freely."
$\sim$ Nathan Maur


When sophomores began seventh grade, a new presidential bill was put into effect that would impact their education. No Child Left Behind was signed in 2002 and was established to improve student performance.

One of the main influences of the act that affected the sophomore students and their schedules was additional classes. They had to take a manditory reading class and some of them were enrolled in Art II.

Although the majority of students in the class didn't have a clear explanation of the bill, many of them did notice a change in curriculum and testing.

An individual mentioned that he thought the school's scores influenced federal funding and that it enhanced students' learning. Another student's explanation was taking tests to evaluate individual learning levels and a school's ability to teach what students need to know. On the other side, one student thought the testing was a watse of time and that the extra time could be used for additional teaching instruction. It slows the class down if one individual doesn't understand the material, because the rest of the class cannot advance was the opinion of another more academically inclined student.


'No Child Left Behind is a program where students are tested to see if their test scores improve.' -Lee Brixey


My best explanation of the bill is no child can be left not knowing what to do. -Timothy Engelhart

"Personally I don't think No Child Left Behind has really influenced me, not that I am aware of anyway. -Jamie Parsons


# Faciss OF WOMORROW 

## Seniors <br> Juniors

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Front Row: John Edwards, Trevor Podoll, Kayla Haas, Levi Christianson, Keely Geffre, Brady Enge and Faith Wolter.

Row 2: Alex Conn, Alyxis Perry,
Terry Taylor, Tyneil Emery, Kelly Storm, Abby Sumption and Courtney Schlosser.

Row 3: Heather Underberg, Adam Dutenhoffer, Alex Bretsch, Anthony Reimer, Ty Hoffman and Mariah Gustafson.

Front Row: Jared Minard, Taryn Flinn Josie Waldo, Peyton Podoll, Megan Walworth, Amanda Daniels and Devon Linthorne.

Row 2: Brian Sumption, Dalton Kopecky, Joshua Severson, Wyatt Heine, Nathan Haar, Colin Engelhart, Wyatt Wolter and Matthew Achen.

## Clase of <br> 

Separation Anxiety: Folders provide privacy for Brady Enge and Adam Dutenhoffer as they are completing their history test. Just Call Him Mr. Harvard: Devin Lindthorn shows off his Harvard pose during science class.


## Sophomores

Elementary classes provided students with the foundation that would carry them through the rest of their lives. In the lower elementary classes students were introduced to basic concepts and also learned the social skills needed to function and progress as part of a group. Upper elementary students incorporated various learning styles and mastered the necessary skills to advance to the junior/senior high school level.
While most of their classes were held in the same room with the same teacher, elementary students experienced variety in their curriculum by attending art, physical education and computer class outside of their contained environment.



## Sophomores <br> Freshmen




ON THEEPEEOF TOMORROW



School kicks off at 8:25 a.m. every morning, long after the birds chirp and the sun rises. Students settle in their homeroom for a short meeting to collect attendence and catch up on school announcements.
Although many students aren't morning people the majority of the students said they would rather see a sunrise than hear birds.
Carson Ellwein was one of the few students that would rather hear the birds. "I would rather hear the birds, as long as it was some geese and ducks coming into our hunting spread," he said. Ashley Feser was a statistic in the higher percentage, saying she would rather see a sunrise because they are beautiful. "I'd watch it every morning if
I could! And I'd get super upset if birds woke me up in the morning," Ashley added. Matthew Forsting agreed, "I have shades and curtains, but I don't have ear plugs." His reply was hinting that the sun was easier to avoid if he didn't want to wake up. Shortly after the homeroom gathering students spread across the school to their first hour classes


## Would you rather...

...hear birds chirping in the morning?

Artistic options: Juniors Matt Jung and Sam Reimer complete a project during Art II, a new offering this year that allowed students to get their fine art credits without taking band/chorus. Consumer math or study hall were the other options for non-music students.
2H-ISTHOUR


Band: M Barondeau, A Goodall, C Podoll, C Zinter, M Huettl, B Sumption. Second Row: M
 Newcomb, C Ellwein, C Truebenbach, D Linthorne, A Bretsch, A Dutenhoffer, C Engelhardt, A Minard, C Campbell, R Maddocks, W Sumption, S Elsen, B Mikkonen. Third Row: A Gunther, W Wolter, A Perleberg, B Haas, D Barondeau, T Engelhardt, A Wolter, N Maunu, T Clark, K Maddocks. Fourth Row: C Melhaff, J Walton, T Podoll, A Perry, B Geffre, J Parsons, C Hertel, B Enge, L Christianson, T Sumption, W Heine, B Helland. Fifth Row: Instructor H Olson, T Flynn, P Podoll, M Walworth, A Daniels, A Gunther, K Groop, K Hart, J Hart, H Underberg, K Stoddard, C Crawford. Sixth Row: C Schlosser, S Sumption, C Zinter, T Emery, K Haas, M Gustafson, F Wolter, E Wolter, S Maunu, R Bornemann, R Ham, K Geffre, A Sumption


Chorus: T Christianson, W Sumption, B Mikkonen, M Huettl, E Emery. Second Row: M Newcomb, C Paulson, S Reimer, B Haas, T Sumption, C Campbell, A Menard, B Geffre, A Perleberg, B Sumption, M Achen, A Reimer. Third Row: T Clark, S Reimer, R Graves, M Gustafson, J Hart, R Bornemann, J Walworth, M Barondeau, C Podoll, J Parsons, A Haar, C Zinter, K Stoddard, C Hertel. Fourth Row: K Maddocks, S Elsen, E Wolter, S Sumption, R Hamm, A Perry, A Feser-Kassa, E Severson, C Zinter, A Worthy, K Hart, K Groop, A Gunther, B Helland, T Emery, H Underberg, P Podoll, A Daniels, M Walworth, T Flinn, F Wolter, K Geffre, C Schlosser, J Waldo.

## ACADEMICS

What a decision to have to make, talk with your teeth clenched or read with one eye. The majority of the kids chose read with one eye.

## Freshman Amanda

 Haar had a tough decision on her hands when deciding and she went with reading with one eye "because if you had your teeth clenched you would look angry or mad all the time it seems'

Matt Heine went with the choice of talking with his teeth clenched over reading with one eye. He says "talking with my - teeth clenched would be better because I don't read well with two eyes." The sophomore class had the majority of the classmates choosing that they would rather talk with their teeth clenched.
The junior class was lead by Allie Worthy when she said she would rather read with one eye. Allie said that reading with one eye would be better because "when I talk with my teeth clenched I tend to drool uncontrollably The survey showed that a majority of the students would rather read with one eye.

## Would you rather...

.talk with your teeth clenched?
Concentration is the Key: Sophomore Micah Christianson studies notes for an upcoming test. Below: Matt Huettl,
Rance Maddocks and Andrew Wolter absorb information during their second hour classes.


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Get 'er done: Sophomore Tim Engelhart works on finishing a tough assignment.

Just in Time: Eighth grader Trevor Podoll finishes up a timed typing test.

Point It Out: Seventh grader Taryn Flinn points out her art work t the rest of her seventh grade classmates.



28-3R D HOUR.


## Acadmemics

History classes have always been a part of students' lives at FHS. Part of the curriculum includes learning about the past and predicting future events.

Freshman Breanna Helland decided that she would rather go back to change the past than control the future Breanna commented; "I could change both my future and my past, which would be great!"

Samuel Reimer answered instead that he would rather see and control the future. The majority of the junior class agreed with Sam's decision. "The past is the past. If you change it, anything good you have in the present could be lost," he said. However, one student was determined that she would neither want to go back and change the past or control the future. Senior Kristina Maddocks answered with a "neither" response. Kristina explained, "Everything that happened in the past has shaped the person I've become, and while knowing what will happen in the future might be a good idea, a world in which we know everything would lose all interest!"



Flying Solo: Senior Kristina Maddocks works on a physics experiment dealing with centrifugal force. Kristina was the only Frederick student in the DDN class from Northern State University. H
class ran from 11:30 a.m. to 12:20 p.m. over the TV system.

1st Hour or


Show me the Sign! As part of her Senior Project curriculum, Jamie Walton reviews signs with the third grade class. Jamie was in the classroom with the third graders for a total of five days.

Deadlines are Here: Wyatt Sumption and Chris Paulson, juniors, work to complete their designated pages of the newsletter that went out every month.



## ACADFMICS



High school students are no strangers to strese and the required math classes can certainly add to the stress levels. So, students were asked whether they would rather add or subtract from their life.
Tyler Sumption pondered and finally decided he would like to add..."a hot girlfriend and like 10 trillion dollars." Tyler, a freshman, experiences the stressful situations of Algebra I.


Another student at FHS, Mikayla Barondeau, agreed with Tyler and would rather add something
to her life. The reasoning behind her answer was "because subtracting anything from your life will make it incomplete.
Tyler and Mikayla joined the majority with their answers to this year's survey.
Although most FHS students would rather add to their life, there were a few students that disagreed with the rest. One, sophomore Cole Truebenbach, endures the complex world of United States history. When asked if he would rather add something to his life or subtract something from it, Cole responded, "I would subtract school."


## Would you rather...

## ...add something to your life


...subtract samething from your life?

34-5TH HOUR
Afternoon Blues: Tara Clark struggles to stay awake after a morning full of classes and activities.
Relieveing Some Stress: Carson Ellwien enjoys his free period. Brandon Haas finally discovers the answer during Algebra I . Mikayla Barondeau and Kristina Maddocks take some time off after completing their yearbook pages.


## ACADAMIES


"Tele-" is defined as a combining form meaning "distant". According to the high school students, teleporting is way better than having telekinetic powers. Junior Wyatt Sumption would rather be able to teleport himself to different places. Why? "Sol can follow the geese where ever they go...and maybe stop by to say hi to Jessica Biel!" However, telekinetic power, or the power to move objects with your

mind, also seemed like a good thing to many students - for various reasons. "I would telekinetically move toilet paper, so I can pull jokes on people. AROPOSTALE




## Acadmemics

Physical education allows students to learn healthy living tactics and become stronger...it could even make them "invincible" When given the choice between being invisible or being invincible, Michael Newcomb said he would rather be invicible. His reasoning was that "because then I could play Frogger in real life with oncoming traffic,
 rather than on a video game". Frogger is a game where players try to cross the street without


> getting hit by oncoming traffic. Lee Brixey, a sophomore, would rather be invincible than invisible. His reasoning was that, "I wouldn't be able to get any girls if they can't see me, right"? Kelli Hart, a junior,

Let's work together: Wyatt Wolter and Colin Engelhart take a break while completing a challenging math problem. Mrs. Hertel allowed the student to split up into groups to discuss each others strategies of how to solve the problem.
would, on the other hand, prefer to have the power of being invisible, rather than
invincible. Kelli stated,
"Being invisible would be great! Then you could hide from people that annoy you or from your parents when they are bugging you. Being invincible comes with so many responsibilities"

## Would you rather...

...be invisible?

38-7TH HOUR



ON THEEDEEOF TOMORROW


# TOPAY＇S VICTORY． TOMORROWS litstory 

After a rough 0－4 start the Titans won three of their next four games to end their season with a mark of $3-5$ ，just missing the playoffs．
［Prime Time］The Titans had two big wins this season over the Doland－Conde Chargers （ranked third in Class 9B）and the Eureka－ Bowdle Patriots．Leola had not beaten Eureka in 15 years and Leola－Frederick had not beaten the Patriots in six years．The reason for the Titans big wins were a result of good practices． ［Practices］＂Although many fans，along with a few of the players，didn＇t believe that we were going to have a very good season this year，we finished the season with a strong team and in stride for a good program in the future years． Practices this year may have seemed like they contained less conditioning than in the past，but overall practices got us ready for the game on Friday nights，＂said Matt Huettl．

Open Drive：Titans line
 up for the opening drive of the game． Teamwork：The Titans team effort was good for the gang tackle．

Strategy：Coach Morlock and Coach Schwan discuss the strategy for the next play．


Senior Status：Senior captain Matt Huettl stands at mid－field，awaiting the referee＇s coin toss to get the Titans Homecoming game vs． Faulkton underway．Matt recieved an Honorable Mention on the Lake Region All－Conference Team．


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# TOPAY'S VICTORY, TOMORROWS litsTORY 

Retaining only one of last year's starting players, the Titans built up a team that became strong contenders in both the conference and district according to head coach Jaime Neuendorf.
[Prime Time] A fresh team found themselves in a familiar position. The Titans faced off with Groton for the third consecutive year, but came up short in their hunt for a district championship.
[Practices] Early mornings, though rare, were not unheard of for the team. Although the practices weren't a favorite, senior Mikayla Barondeau said the doughnuts made early mornings worth it.
[Injuries] A knee injury to middle hitter Madison Gill opened the position up to sophomore Chelsy Podoll. Minor injuries included a sprained ankle to freshman setter Caylee Hertel and a sprained elbow to senior right hitter Renee Graves.
 opposing team in a home game. Despite suffering an elbow injury, she remained a strong front and back row player, and proved herself to be a versatile player when she took over setter Caylee Hertel's position for a short time due to an ankle injury.

## SCOREBOART

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Eureka Bowdle
Faulkton
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Sisseton


Senior Leadership: Seniors Madison Gill, Mikayla Barondeau, Jessica Walworth, Renee Graves and Shari Elsen led the Titans.
"It was a challenge, but I liked the 3 (outside slider) because when we got it doune. it was explasicue."
Shari Elsen. Seniar

"O (high left outside) because you ean hit as hard as you can and it won't go out of bounds...most of the time!"
Chelsy Padall. Saphomare

Hot Tip: Mikayla Barondeau tips the ball over the net in a home game against Groton. She was one of the team's leading hitters throughout the season. I'm Ready: Shari Elsen awaits a serve from the opposing team. She contributed heavily, playing both front and back row positions. Team Spirit: Head coach Jaime Neuendorf, Caylee Hertel, Chelsy Podoll, Mikayla Barondeau, Megan Hoffman, assistant coach Lyndse Ruenz, Renee Graves, Jessica Walworth, Madison Gill, Brooke Feickert, Sydney Gill, Katie Tschappat and Shari Elsen.


"No one said it would be easy, they just said it would be worth it." This was the motto for the boys and girls cross country teams this year.
[Prime Time] The girls team won five meets, highlighted by their sixth consecutive Bob-Salmi victory and sent a full team to state after the school's first Class A Region Championship. Members included Mikayla Barondeau, Shari Elsen, Sam Jung, Steph Jung, Angela Goodall and Breanna Helland. Alternates were Mariah Gustafson and Courtney Schlosser. The boys team sent one runner, Wyatt Sumption, to the state meet. [Practice] To accommodate athletes with jobs or participating in two sports, Coach Janelle Barondeau established morning and after-school practices. Because of large numbers, both practices were well attended.
[Injuries] Runners reported few injuries, which Coach Barondeau attributed largely to the stretching and leg drills incorporated into each practice session.


In a Pack: Breanna Helland, freshman, leads a group of runners during the Faulkton Invite before pulling away at the finish.


Let's Talk: The varsity girls team strategizes with head coach Janelle Barondeau. On the Line: Chris Paulson, Brady Enge, Casson Campbell, Austin Minard, Ty Sumption, Derek Barondeau, Nate Maunu and Tyler West line up for a race.

Seniors Shari Elsen and Mikayla Barondeau display team hardware accumulated in their six years of cross country. They have been a part of six LRC titles, six region finishes including two 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishes, five Bob Salmi wins, two YTC titles, two Faulkton Inv. titles, a 1st place finish at the Hoven Inv. and Roncalli Invite, and a 2nd and 3rd place finish at Milbank Invite.


Worth It: Varsity and junior varsity girls cross-country runners sitting include Rachel Davis, Sam Jung, Mikayla Barondeau, Shari Elsen and Steph Jung. Standing are Mariah Gustafson, Josie Waldo, Aly Perry, Breanna Helland, Angela Goodall, Taryn Flynn and Courtney Schlosser. Kneeling are Head Coach Janelle Barondeau and Assistant Coach Sally Davis Stride for Stride: 8th graders Mariah Gustafson and Courtney Schlosser battle together against the weather. The two faced temps in the lower 40 s and winds up to 30 mph at some meets.
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Run Hard: Wyatt Sumption, junior, powers towards the finish line. Wyatt was the leading runner for the boys team.
Run Strong: Senior Mikayla Barondeau presses on against the state's top runners. She would go on to win this race and four others, including victories over the eventual Class A and B state champions, Kelsey Barrett and Hilary Krein. Run Together: Boys runners for varsity and junior varsity (sitting) include Brian Sumption, Tyler West, Austin Minard, Reid Erdmann, Chris Paulson and Brady Enge. Standing are Josh Waltman, Casson Campbell, Nathan Maunu, Wyatt Sumption, Ty Sumption, Derek Barondeau and Head Coach Janelle Barondeau.
"Lee Park (Aberdeen) is one of uny fausetes because at seems bairly flat. Fi's not a very billy counse and the route is easy to remember." Augeta Goodall. Freshman


## TOPAY'S VICTORY. TOMORROWS NIISTORY



Leola-Frederick's boys basketball team wrapped up their season with a record of 8-13. The boys had a tough schedule this season and pulled through it, but not with their highest expectations.
[Prime Time] Junior guard, Wyatt Sumption, summed up the season by saying, "Despite our record, we were probably one of the better A teams around." Sumption added that the highlight of the season was beating Campbell-County, because they finished seventh in State B's.

Senior Matt Huettl shared similar sentiments: "We were unpredictable...It'was there, but we rarely were able to put it all together at the same time."
[Practice] Many new drills were added to the practice regimen. Senior Blain Mikkonen commented, 'We learned a lot of new drills, to prepare for a variety of game situations." [Injuries] There were no serious injuries for the



In Your Face: Matt Huettl prepares to release a shot over a Sisseton defender. As the team's leading scorer and rebounder this season, Matt frequently drew large crowds in the paint as teams tried to find an answer for the $6^{\prime \prime} 4^{\prime \prime}$ center. Matt was the lone Titan boys basketball player selected to the Lake Region All-Conference Team.

## SCORFBOARD

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Groton Area
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Redfield Classic
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Game Plan: Cole Truebenbach, Matt Huettl and Blain Mikkonen listen as Coach Troy Knecht explains a strategy during a time out.

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YOUR FAVORITE?

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New View: Coach Knecht watches from his knees with hopeful hands while the bench looks on behind him.
Good Directions: Senior forward Blain
Mikkonen directs traffic to set up a play while junior Wyatt Sumption gets ready to execute the plan of attack.
Titans Team: Tyson Meyer, Tyler Sumption, Jack Daly, Matt Huettl, Matt Waltman, Ethan Emery, Blain Mikkonen, Cole Truebenbach, Wyatt Sumption, Matt Haas, Coach Waltman and Coach Knecht line up underneath the Titans logo and banners.



# TOPAYS VICTORY, TOMORROWS NISTORY 



An inexperienced girls basketball team proved themselves capable of rising above expectations as they advanced to the Region 1A Tournament for the first time in six years. [Prime Time] The Titans gained valuable experience playing in several holiday classics. Coach Randy Barondeau felt that the experiences playing in larger gyms like the Webster Gym and the Mitchell Corn Palace benefited the team during tournament time. [Practice] Coach Barondeau utilized drills that he felt would give his players repetitions and touches with the ball. He also wanted to keep them active to fine-tune the team's run-and-gun skills. Free throw shooting was also stressed. [Injuries] The Titans were fortunate to avoid any season ending injuries. However, $77 \%$ sported some type of brace and $45 \%$ used athletic tape. The girls also used athletic prewrap for headbands, which caused confusion over the wording of the SDHSAA dress code ruling.


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| Sisseton | $51-41$ |
| Faulkton | $51-48$ |
| Ipswich | $53-35$ |
| Campbell County | $42-50$ |
| Langford | $41-22$ |
| Eureka/Bowdle | $41-31$ |
| Districts |  |
| $\quad$ Groton | $43-21$ |
| $\quad$ Ipswich | $50-25$ |
| Regions | $50-27$ |
| $\quad$ Sisseton | $30-41$ |

Us-Them 63-29 45-48 51-41 51-48 53-35 42-50 41-31 43-21

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Starting Five: Mikayla Barondeua, Jamie Hart, Shari Elsen, Renee Graves and Sara Mack prepare to run out for the region game.

AT WHICH VENUE DID YOU MOST ENJOY PLAYING?

Webster, because it was coal playing in a bigger gym.

"? laved playing in the Conn CK
Palace, because the atmosphere was indescribable."
Mikayla Baroudeau. Seniar and it was fun coming back from behind to win the game. Augela Goodall. Ireshonan

"It was amazing playing at the Carn Palace in Mitchell for the Fansan Classic: D" Damie Hart. Seniar

Make A Move: Shari Elsen pivots through Sisseton defenders during the region game as Renee Graves sets a screen. Going Postal: Chelsy Podoll posts up and looks for the ball against Webster.
District Champs: The team poses with their hardware. Kneeling are Kelsey Robinson, Angela Goodall, Amanda Haar, Sam Jung, Megan Hoffman and Caylee Hertel. Standing are Assistant Coach Dan Vander Wal, Steph Jung, Sara Mack, Mikayla Barondeau, Chelsy Podoll, Chelsey Zinter, Shari Elsen, Renee Graves, Jamie Hart and Head Coach Randy Barondeau.


## TOPAY'S VICTORY, TOMORROWS IIISTORY

## FMCR ANP FIELD

Sporting smaller than usual numbers, the track team was a blend mainly of young newcomers with a dash of senior experience. [Prime Time] Although the weather shortened the season, five athletes qualified for the state meet. Mikayla Barondeau qualified in the 800 m run, 1600 m run and mile relay and Breanna Helland qualified in the 400 m dash and mile relay. Other members of the relay included Caylee Hertel, Sara Mack and alternate Kayla Haas, who was substituted at the state meet.
[Practice] Because Frederick doesn't have a track, workouts were usually done around a block west of the school, down at the football field, or on gravel roads outside of town. Relay members occasionally traveled to Leola to work on handoffs on the asphalt track.
[Injuries] Caylee Hertel strained a hamstring early in the season, but that didn't stop her from setting a Titan Record in the shotput. Breanna Helland battled shin splints late in the season, yet still qualified for the state meet.
and Over: Angela Goodall, the team's lone pole vaulter, pulls herself over the bar.
ut It Up: Jessica
Walworth and Kayla Haas work together to raise the team tent. 'Put' It Up: Caylee Hertel prepares to unleash a throw in the shot put.


Three-Peat: Senior Mikayla Barondeau stands atop the podium after successfully defending her Class A State Title in the 800 m run for the third straight year. Barondeau also capped her season and career with a first place finish in the 1600 m run, a race she had finished second in the previous year in Class A and fourth in at the Howard Wood Dakota Relays against all three classes.


Boys in Blue: Coach Janelle Barondeau, Mike Newcomb, Austin Gunther, Coach Marty Morlock, Derek Barondeau, Wyatt Sumption, Coach Dan Vander Wal, Wyatt Heine, Brandon Haas, Adam Dutenhoffer, Mitch Waltman, Matt Haas. In the Clear: Wyatt Sumption strides over a hurdle and prepares to sprint to the next one during the 300 m hurdles at the region track meet.


WHICH EVENTIS YOUR FAVORITE?

" 300 m hurdles. It was my first time trying them, and they're pretty weat." Kayla Faas, 8th Grade


Mid-distance races. like the 800 m and 1600 m nums. Theq're challenging, but not toa long." Mikayla Barondeau. Seniar

Higher or Lower?: Breanna Helland, Caylee Hertel, Mikayla Barondeau, Sara Mack and Kayla Haas kill some time playing Indian Poker while waiting for food at the state track meet in Sioux Falls. Finding His Stride: Derek Barondeau presses on during the 3200 m run at the Region 1A Meet.
Running Titans: Coach M. Morlock, J. Walworth, K. Brockel, S. Jung, Coach J. Barondeau, M. Barondeau, S. Mack, C. Hertel, Coach D. VanderWal, A. Goodall, B. Helland, R. Davis, E. Wolter, A. Weig, K. Haas, W. Heupel, A. Alvirez, S. Davis, A. Feikert, B. Melland, M. Walworth, A. Daniels, P. Podoll.


## TOPAYS VICTORY. TOMORROws NIISTORY

Golf and rodeo may not attract as many athletes as other sports, but the members of this year's teams were just as dedicated as other sports' athletes.
[Prime Time] Kristina Maddocks was named the SDHSRA Queen for the second straight year, and placed sixth overall at the national finals. Golfers Casson Campbell and Abby Sumption qualified for the State Golf Meet.
[Practice] Golfers met daily with coaches Jackie Brokaw and Terri Pleinis to improve their skills at the Leola and Ellendale golf courses. Rodeo team members practiced on their own time. [Injuries] Due to a specially designed helmet, Rance Maddocks did not suffer any head or face trauma when he was pinned against a fence by a bull. He did, however, break the tip of his finger off when it got between his titanium face mask and the rail of the fence. It was quickly stitched back together at the emergency room in Pierre and he immediately returned to riding.

Girl Power: Although

I Wonder...: Casson Campbell guesses where his ball will end up. Focus: Matt Heine concentrates on his swing.
 Dakota High School Rodeo Association 20Xtreme Showcase Rodeo during the Black Hills Stock Show. The 20Xtreme Showcase is an invitational event, open to the top three contestants in each event from each of the three regions. Photo courtesy of Cowboy Images.

Cowboy and Cowgirls: Rodeo team members include Kelli Hart, Kristina Maddocks, Jamie Hart and Rance Maddocks. Stay In the Center: Rance Maddocks uses his free hand to stay centered on a bull at an NPRA bull riding in Aberdeen. Since the high school rodeo season begins in May and ends in June, all four of the rodeo team members compete in other rodeos across the state throughout the rest of the year.

WHATCHEVENT DO YOU PREFER COMPETIUG IN?

## TOPAY'S VICTORY. TOMORROWS NIISTORY  WaR $-\frac{m}{7}$ Hfen

Junior high and junior varsity players alike faced new challenges as they entered the gateway between elementary and varsity sports.
[Prime Time] Athletes found the competition level to increase at both the junior varsity and junior high levels.
Seventh grader Brian Sumption noticed this as well as longer trips to games.
[Practice] One of the changes for the athletes was alternating practice sites between Frederick and Leola.
"The biggest change was probably practicing almost everyday," explained eighth grader Mariah Gustafson.
[Injuries] Because of the higher levels of competition and more intense practices, some athletes found themselves experiencing injuries for the first time. Rolled ankles and shin splints were common ailments.

Play: Tyler West drives around a defender and looks in to feed the post during a junior varsity game.

Pause: Allison Worthy and Chelsy Zinter wait for the serve during the JV match. Fast Forward: A JV meet provides Austin Minard with valuable cross country experience.


MAN-CHILD: Adam Dutenhoffer heaves the shot put. He received many first place finishes in the $100 \mathrm{~m}, 200 \mathrm{~m}$ and 400 m dashes and in the shot put and discus at junior high meets. He also competed well in varsity meets, earning several places. As an 8th grader, Adam also set a new Titan record by throwing the shot put 42 feet 11 inches.



ON THEEDPEEOF TOMORROW

HOMECOMING

It's the best time of the school year, Homecoming! It allows students to act and look the way they want! The dress up days began Tuesday, September 4, with Nerd Day and continued with Almost Famous Day on Wednesday. Thursday was Hairspray Day and Friday finished off the week with Spirit Day! Big hair, thick-rimmed glasses and hiked-up trousers were a hit.

Coronation was held Friday afternoon, where Matthew Huettl and Shari Elsen were crowned Homecoming King and Queen. Other members of the court were Renee Graves, Kristina Maddocks, Ethan Emery and Jesse Daniels.
The annual Friday parade began at 12:30 p.m. Featuring a Hawaiian theme, the seventh graders float won first with their float, which was a sand-filled flat bed, representing a luau.

On the sports side, the volleyball team defeated the Lang-ford-Roslyn Cougars Tuesday night, while the football team fell to the Cougars Friday evening. The cross-country team won the AI Sahli invitational Friday afternoon.


1. Smile.. Queen Shari and King Matthew pose for a quick picture. 2. Are we done yet.. Lauren Newcomb and Hayden Podoll, crown bearers, wait patiently during coronation. 3. Look at this.. Chelsy Podoll is amazed by a little fuzzy. 4. Wow... Kristina Maddocks used two cans of hairspray to mohawk her hair. 5. Pheww.. Tara Clark takes a quick break to think while decorating for coronation.




Drama activities took a front row seat as Oral interpers advanced to state competition and the production of "Hoodwinked \& Hoodooed" on the night of March 18 was a hit!

The Oral Interp team started their season off by taking six students to district competition in Aberdeen. Those students were seniors Mikayla Barondeau, Shari Elsen, Jamie Hart, Kristina Maddocks and Jamie Walton and freshman Breanna Helland. They won the district and all six advanced to region and state competition. The readers theater team received a superior at state; however Breanna did not compete in oratory at state because an early snow storm prevented the trip to Huron.

Nine practices and a dress rehearsal were all it took for the play cast to put together a production of "Hoodwinked and Hoodooed". The two act comedy featured a talented cast, outlandish costumes and amazing characterization.


1. Hiroshima! Jamie Hart practices her Reader's Theatre part, which included many actions.
2. A Quick Break: Prompters which included many actions.
3. A Quick Break: Prompters Caylee Hertel and Krista Stoddard relax between acts. 3. Sell it on
eBay! Ashley Gunther argues over relax between acts. 3. Sell it on
eBay! Ashley Gunther argues over which items to steal from Miss which items to steal from Miss
LaGroux. 4. Say What? Calli Crawford is apparently irritated by Bertha's stupidity.



It's a Hollywood Affair! The Junior Class raised money for the 2008 prom by working concession stands during the football, volleyball and basketball seasons. Everyone took turns working, allowing the class to earn money for prom and senior expenses. The evening of prom began at 5 p.m. with a social hour, which included couple pictures. Then the students were served a romantic dinner banquet at 6:30 p.m. Grand March began at $8 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Following this, the Rollin' DJ provided music for the dance, which lasted until 12:30 a.m. The students were then allowed a half hour of free time to give the junior parents a little bit of time to set up for post prom 2008. Post prom included prizes, casino games, a Wii tournament and a game of Let's Make a Deal. "It was a lot of hard work, but it all paid off in the end! Everybody had tons of fun. It was an interesting experience for our class to come together and put on a big hit!" noted Allie Worthy, a junior.


1. Take Two: Moms gather 'round to take hundreds of pictures 2. How Cute: Sam and Shantel Reimer are showing the sibling love! 3. Dance, Dance: Jessica Walworth and Raine Borneman boogy down during the dance! 4. Say Cheese: Jesse Daniels and Kylie Albano pose for pictures. 5. No Pictures Please: Ron Maddocks shies away from the camera as he prepares the students prime rib for the
dinner banquet.



## COMMUNITTT

When it comes to community, the folks in Frederick are always ready to lend a hand. This generous, helpful attitude extends to events held at the school and events that affect students and staff.
One of the most prominent community-sponsored events that is held at the school is the Snow Queen contest. This event is organized by the Booster Club and parents of the contestants usually help with decorating and clean up. Horizons activities also continued with cooperation between the community group and the school.
Another prominent community event that affected the school was the Relay for Life team. One of the groups most exciting fundraisers involved staff members wearing jeans on the last four Wednesdays of the school year. Each person paid \$1 per Wednesday, netting a nice amount for the relay team. The relay was held in Aberdeen the first weekend in June.


1. Warm Up: Kids snuggle in blankets to stay warm at the Horizons movie. 2. About Done: Blain Mikkonen sets up the projector. 3. Young Walker: Laura Sumption is ready to walk at "Relay for Life" in her "Pink Lady" shirt. 4. Freezing! Caitlin Zinter attempts to "thaw" her shirt for the frozen t -shirt contest. 5.Frustration:Issac Morlock stresses during the Earth Day clean-up.



## GRAPUATIION

Based on tradition and enhanced with originality, Graduation 2008 became a cherished memory after the Sunday, May 11, ceremony.
The 15 graduates marched in to the strains of Pomp and Circumstance, but were serenaded with an original selection, "Fly With Faith," for their special music. Written by Rosalie Wylie, she teamed up with her sister Krysti Mikkonen, for the song, which moved many to tears.
Speeches by the valedictorian, Mikayla Barondeau, and salutatorian, Matt Huettl, offered advice and recalled memories.
There was the traditional slide show, but this years version, "I Wont Cry", included video clips of the seniors taking a final walk through the front doors of FHS, which added both humor and emotion to the presentation.
Tradition took the forefront as the Class of 2008 received their diplomas, transitioned their tassels and formed a receiving line outside the school.


1. Yippy: Jamie Hart gallops with joy after receiving her diploma. 2. We are here today: Matthew Huettl delivers his speech about the times the Class of 2008 had at FHS. 3. Still waiting: Lucas Stoddard enjoys the day as he awaits the ceremony. 4.
Congratulations! Shari Elsen and Jamie Hart share a little joy after graduating. 5 We're done: Jamie Walton and Raine Bornemann wait for the receiving line to end.



1 e accomplished our goal of creating a book that will help the times we had at Frederich High School be romembered by all for years.
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# Front Page Headlines 

- As the war in Iraq passes the four-year mark tours of duty are lengthened and recruitment standards are relaxed.

Vo ease the mortgage crisis, the U.S. Senate passes legislation allowing homeowners with delinquent sub-prime mortgages to refinance into federally insured loans.


Several cities in the southeaster U.S. are mere months away from running out of water as drought conditions persist in the region.

REUTERS/Erik de Castrol_Landov

- Schools across the nation are thoroughly disinfected-and some are even shut downto quell outbreaks of staph infections, including antibiotic resistant strains.



A In late October, Governor Arnoid Schwarzenegger declares a state of emergensy due to wildfires that bum more than half a million acres in southem California.

V Dozens of tomadoes tear across Tennessee, Arkansas Mississippi, Kentucky and Alabama on February 5, 2008, killing nearly 60 people.

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A. American consumers lose their confidence in China's manufacturers when children's toys tainted with lead trigger widespread recalls

4 The Nintendo "Wii-nomenon" sweeps the nation as the game console outplays the competition with sales of more than 13 million units.


A Writers hit the picket lines and television production is halted for months when the Writers Guild of America goes on strike to protest compensation policies for new media such as iTunes downloads.

- In Littleton, Colorado, construction is completed on the $\$ 1.5$ million Columbine Memorial to the 13 victims of the 1999 shooting at Columbine High School.


A On August 1, a six-lane $1-35 \mathrm{~W}$ bridge stretching across the Mississippi River in Minneapolis collapses into the river during the height of the afternoon rush hour.


V U.S. astronaut Peggy Whitson is the first female commander at the International Space Station.



A Black bears make headlines in Utah, Wyoming and New Mexico as park rangers and wilderness homeowners report raids on backpacks, tents, trash cans and even kitchens.


4 The digital smiley face celebrates its 25 th birthday. Its inventor, Carnegie Mellon professor Scott E. Fahiman, first used the icon on an electronic bulletin board in 1982.

Crops are threatened when honeybee colonies in the U.S. and Europe suffer from Colony Collapse Disorder, losing up to 70 percent of their bees due to unknown causes.

- In a medical experiment, salmonella germs take a ride on the space shuttle. When they return to Earth, the germs are far more lethal than their earthbound counterparts.

4 Using mice, biologists develop a method to reprogram ordinary skin cells into all-purpose stem cells. This discovery is likely to have a positive impact on treatments for a number of diseases.

- Social networking websites continue to surge in popularity. MySpace and Facebook remain dominant as the sites of choice for young people and inspire a host of innovative imitators.
- Concerns about overweight dogs and cats hit the headlines. Veterinarians prescribe a regimen of fewer treats, more walks around the neighborhood and no people food.

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4 The healthy growth trend for vitamin waters and other nutrient-boosted consumables continues with the introduction of specialized formulas for immunity, focus and more.

4. Higher prices for coftee beans do not lessen the nation's craving for coffeehouses. Independents and chains alike continue to be popular with younger consumers.

# Entertainment 

- The music video game Guitar Hero III: Legends of Rock is released with a soundtrack of 71 playable songs Slash and other real-life guitarists appear as in-game characters.
- The music video game Rock Band is released for Xbox 360 and PlayStation 3. Players perform together in virtual bands, using peripherals to hit notes as they scroll onscreen.




Shia LaBeouf portrays a teenager who is plunged into a high-tech battle between good and evil alien robots in Transformers, a live action adaptation of the 1980s cartoon series.


- Disney's National Treasure: Book of Secrets nets the third-highest box-office total ever for a Christmas weekend release


4 Atonement receives seven Golden Globe nominations, including lead acting nods for Keira Knightley and James McAvoy.

SIMPSONS.


- The Great Debaters, based on the real-life victories of a black debate team in the 1930s, receives eight NAACP Image Award nominations.



A Joel and Ethan Coen write and direct No Country for Old Men a film adaptation of Cormac McCarthy's bleak, moody modern western novel. The film receives eight Oscar nominations.

V In I Am Legend, Will Smith is the last man alive in New York, after a man-made virus wipes out most of the world's population and turns the survivors into dangerous mutants.


4. Matt Damon reprises his role as amnesiac CIA assassin Jason Bourne for The Boume Ultimatum, the third film in the Bourne trilogy based on Robert Ludlum's novels.

- Starring Zac Efron, Amanda Bynes and newcomer Nikki Blonsky, Haisspray is a zany musical based on the Broadway smash hit.



# Best Picture Oscar Nominations Atonement <br> Juno <br> <br> Michael Clayton 

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No Country for Old Men
There Will Be Blood






## Faces

- Entertainment Weekly names J.K. Rowling-author of the seven-volume, 4,100-page Harry Potter series of best-selling children's books-as its Entertainer of the Year.


4. Hearthrob Zac Etron, who came to fame with his performance in the first High School Musical, becomes an even bigger teen star with the release of High School Musical 2.

- The Best of Both Worlds tour, starring Miley Cyrus as Hannah Montana, sells out in every city, prompting ticket lotteries, heartbroken fans and scalping scandals.



## Election '08 Candidates

After Super Tuesday primaries on February 5, 2008, the presidential race heats up among frontrunners Hillary Clinton, Mike Huckabee, John McCain and Barack Obama.


John McCain


Mike Huckabee


Barack Obama



A As Izzie Stevens on ABC's Grey's Anatomy, Katherine Heigl is a small-screen star. As Anne Fletcher in the comedy 27 Dresses, she conquers the big screen as well.

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