



Porcupine Press



One Season Ends, Another Begins

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The Porcupine boys' basketball season came to a close at the Divisional Tournament in Sidney.

The Porcupines first match up was against the Culbertson Cowboys. Nashua won the game, 66-58. Leading scorers for the Porcupines were Brandon Hansard with 25, Willy Lauckner with 20, Anthony Bengochea with eight, Jordan Sibley with seven, and Sean Bengochea with six.

The Porcupines were then defeated by the Fairview Warriors in the semifinals, 48-56. Sean Bengochea lead the team with 14 points, and Anthony Bengochea had 12.

The Porcupines then played the Lustre Lions in a loser-out game, defeating them, 57-45. Leading scorers for the Porcupines were Hansard with 22, Lauckner with 13, Jordan Sibley with nine, and Sean Bengochea with seven.

Nashua's final game of the season resulted in a loss to the Froid/Medicine Lake Redhawks, 47-59, in the consolation game. Hansard raked in 14 points, Sean Bengochea netted 13, and Anthony Bengochea made nine.

Prom 2011

The most anticipated event of the year, according to some, took place on April 2nd. PROM! The juniors did a super, fantabulous job decorating the gym in the color splash theme. As the couples started piling in to take pictures around 7 p.m., the excitement grew. Around 8 p.m., everyone got lined up for grand march.

As soon as grand march was over, Mrs. Bengochea asked all of the seniors to return to the floor for the announcement of the 2011 Prom King and Queen. Anthony Bengochea was announced King, and Karlee Guttenberg was announced Queen. The father/daughter (or mother/son) dance was the first dance of the night and almost everyone went out to the floor. After that, it was time to boogie.

Tons of dancing filled the hours of prom, which ended about 11:30 p.m. There was a lot of fun group dances, including the John Wall, Teach Me How to Dougie, the Cha Cha Slide, the Cupid Shuffle, and the Macarena. Gauge Ackerman and T.J. Snare got down in a dance-off, which Paul Engstrom later joined. All in all, prom was lots of fun!

A Big Thank You to the Lion's Club!!

Mrs. Dostert's first grade class joined up with Mrs. Bunk and Mr. Guttenberg from the Lion's club. Each year the Lion's Club visits the first grade class and gives each student a flag of their own. The children usually receive the flags in February. The first graders have been studying about our flag and are very appreciative to the Lion's club.

Senior Spotlight

Name: Ryan

MySpace or Facebook: Facebook

FAVORITES

Color: Blue and Black

Subject in School: Enviornmental and History

Song: Crazy Tain- Ozzy Osbourne

Teacher: K-Daddy

T.V. Show: *Family Guy*

Movie: *Liar Liar, Con-Air*

Drink: Blended Coffee, Amp

Food: Steak and Shrimp

Animal: Wolf

Season: Spring/Summer

Quote: Cop- Do you know why I pulled you over?
You-Depends on how long you were following me.

Sport: Picking on Pillsbury

Person: My family, Alexa

Hobby: Motorcycles

PICK AND CHOOSE

College or NBA: Donkey

Glass or Mirrors: Glass

Hunting or Fishing: Motorcycles

Twilight or Harry Potter: X-Men

Timone or Pumba: Pumba

Cat or Griz: Souix

Swimming or a Movie: Swimming

Lake or Pool: Lake

Harley or Dirt Bike: Crotch Rocket

Swamp People or Monster Quest: Monster Quest

Flip Flops or Sandals: Sandals

Capris or Shorts: Shorts

Straightener or Curling Iron: Straightener Blow Dryer

Advice to Faculty: Visit the Glasgow Market Every
Saturday, July - October

Advice to Students: Just a little longer

If you were on a deserted island, who wouldn't you
want to be stuck with? The Nanny

Life Philosophy: Live Free, Die Hard

Plans for the Future: Go to college

Who do you idolize: My Family

What would you do if you couldn't do the thing you
loved? Find a way to do it.

Chili Winner

Brandon Hansard had the winning pot of chili. Hansard entered among nine other contestants in the race for the best taste. It was a close contest but Hansard came out on top.

The annual chili cook-off was on Monday, March 21st. The elementary spring concert was also held in the gym to fill out the festivities.

Nashua Students Math Out

On March 1, Nashua's high school students celebrated World Math Day, put on by their math teacher, Ms. Ouellette.

All of Ms. Ouellette's classes went to Ms. Mehl's library loft and competed against a bunch of other schools worldwide. There were a bunch of different levels that kids could complete and score high in. The levels that were tested ranged from adding, subtracting, multiplying, dividing, squaring numbers, and taking the square root of things.

Ms. Ouellette enticed the students with extra credit to those who scored high and completed the most levels. Every class had fun and enjoyed it very much.

On March 14, Ms. Ouellette brought the joy of Pie Day to Nashua. All of her math classes had the choice to bring in pie for their math classes to celebrate the national pie day. But before they got to feed their mouths with yummy pie, each classmate had to come up with the diameter and radius which led to a number close to pie. Ms. Ouellette also told all her math classes if they memorize pie (π) they get one extra credit for every number after 10 digits of the first numbers.

Lacy Fortin had the most numbers out of the whole high school. She memorized 71 and got 69 extra credit points in her Algebra 2 class. She led all the students to excitement.

On March 21, Nashua went to the MCTM math contest held at the Glasgow school gymnasium. Ms. Ouellette took some students after school to Glasgow to compete. Nashua's students took three individual tests, then they got with their class and took a group test.

Snow, Snow Go Away!

This winter has been exciting to everyone around this area, good and bad. Every day has been a new adventure with so much snow that has come down. We are well over 100 hundred inches of snow, which is nearly 80 inches over our average.

This is the first time where we have recorded the century mark in inches of snow. Due to this onslaught of winter weather, flood warnings have become nothing less than common.

Nashua School has had to use all of the snow days allowed for a school year. There have been many students and families snowed in for days at a time. But the little kids don't seem to have a problem with all this snow; they are outside for hours, making all sorts of different things they can with the. But, on the other hand, some teenagers aren't so delighted by all this snow. They want summer to come back and fast! Not only do some students want summers to come, teachers do, too!

It's no surprise that we are tired of getting our cars stuck or having to shovel the driveway every day. Let's hope next year's winter won't be as bad as this year, and summer will come soon!



Nashua Golf & Track Begin with a Blizzard

Monday, March 14 was the start of the 2011 track season. But with all the snow that is still on the ground, it has delayed the tracksters from practicing outside on the track. So they are stuck with conditioning inside for awhile.

Golf also started on March 14 as well, but the team is hoping for a chance to swing the clubs outside. So, both track and golf are patiently waiting for the opportunity to truly begin the season. But everybody is excited to get the seasons started!

-Mahaila Glasoe

Robbi K and the Kumalo Band

On March 29, a traveling band came to play for Nashua School. They played for grades K-12. They were here traveling all throughout Montana, going to all the schools along Highway 2. The band was called Robbi K and the Kumalo Band. They are from New York, and dabble into all kinds of music, but mostly play jazz that is influenced by reggae. They're traveling to bring some diversity and culture into all these schools, and also because they love to play music for the younger generations. It was an awesome learning experience.

Pictured Below Robbie K & the Kumalo Band



State FCCLA Earns a Gold

Some FCCLA members headed to the State Convention held in Billings. The members headed out early on Thursday, March 17th. The students were accompanied by advisor Jamie Hanson and chaperone Pattie Scanlan. The students went to many awareness sessions and listened to Russ Peak, the speaker for this year's convention. Each member competed in an event, and the awards were given out in the ceremony held on Saturday the 19th. Karlee Guttenberg was given a Certificate of Participation in Recycle Redesign. Sean Bengochea received a bronze in Job Application. Jessica Scanlan received a bronze in Fashion Construction. Cami Rosencrans took home a silver in Interior Design. The only team from Nashua and also the only gold medalists was made up of Ryan Dahl, Jennifer Ramsbacher, and Madison Sibley in Chapter Showcase Manual. Nashua FCCLA arrived back in town on Saturday night.

By Jennifer Ramsbacher

Basketball Honors in 2011

Five Nashua Porcupines were honored for their play during the 2010-11 basketball season.

Brandon Hansard and Anthony Bengochea were each named to the All-Conference Team, and Sean Bengochea made the All-Defensive Team.

On the girl's side, Madison Sibley's dominant play in post earned her a spot on the All-Conference Team. McKenzie Clampitt's tough defense earned her a spot on the All-Defensive Team.

April 2011

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | | | | | French Toast 1 | 2 |
| | | | | | Goulash | |
| 3 | Multi-Grain Pancakes 4 | Yogurt Parfait 5 | Waffles 6 | Multi-Grain Cereal 7 | Biscuits & Gravy 8 | 9 |
| | Sloppy Joes | Pork Roast | Chicken Burgers | Hamburger Gravy | Nachos | |
| 10 | Cheese Omelet 11 | Yogurt Parfait 12 | Multi-Grain Pancakes 13 | Multi-Grain Cereal 14 | Waffles 15 | 16 |
| | Chili | Hamburgers | Spaghetti | Chicken Strips | Hot Ham & Cheese | |
| 17 | Egg & Cheese Muffin 18 | Biscuits & Gravy 19 | Yogurt Parfait 20 | Multi-Grain Cereal 21 | No School-Spring Break 22 | 23 |
| | Turkey Hoagie | Ham Dinner | Chicken ala King | Tater Tot Casserole | | |
| 24 | No School-Spring Break 25 | Multi-Grain Cereal 26 | Waffles 27 | Cheese Omelet 28 | French Toast 29 | 30 |
| | | Tacos | Chicken Fried Rice | Potato Soup | Sub Sandwich | |