Dates & Updates

May 1st 2020

ANSLEY DOG OWNERS – This is a reminder that the annual dog licenses were due May 1st. The fee is \$11.00 per dog and is payable online, by mail, or by leaving in the Village drop box. If you have an updated rabies vaccination certificate since last vear please include that and I can update the data record here and will return the certificate to you with the new license and tag. If your dog needs a vaccination you may have trouble getting a vet to vaccinate during this COVID-19 pandemic time. If you have to delay getting the rabies vaccination for your dog(s) you still need to pay the fee and can send the updated information later. Please remember having a license for your dog is NOT a license to let the dog run free around town. Dogs should be penned, on a leash when outside, or when you take it for a walk. Timely licensing will be appreciated.

Ansley American Legion Post #153

We are sorry to announce that we will NOT be having the Memorial Day Ceremonies this year at the Ansley or Westerville Cemeteries due to the Covid19 virus, however we will still be putting the flags on the graves. The coffee and rolls and the Memorial Day dinner at the Municipal Auditorium also have been cancelled. Karmela Shafer



"Somebody did a golden deed, proving himself a friend indeed."

Thank you to the person that picked up the tree limbs from my yard. I would sure like to thank you in person. Yvonne Ostrand

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School Board Meeting Notice

Ansley Board of Education Ansley Public School Board Room Monday, May 11, 2020 @ 7:30 PM 1124 Cameron St.

Ansley, NE 68814-0370

Gordon Goodman is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting. Topic: Ansley Board of Education May Meeting

Time: May 11, 2020 07:30 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting https://zoom.us/j/94200339642?pwd=NkRXT2JqNj RkUGtlejBnVmFuK2pyUT09

Meeting ID: 942 0033 9642

Password: 021084

The Agenda, which shall be kept continually current, shall be readily available for public inspection at the Superintendent's office during normal business hours. Help us celebrate Ansley's Class of 2020 by recording a message using the Flipgrid link below--you may record a message for particular class members and/or the entire class. These messages will be compiled into a video that will be shared on Saturday, May 9th (their original graduation date). Please post your message(s) by Friday. Please share! <u>https://flipgrid.com/bcb77243</u>



NATIONAL HAVE A COKE DAY Friday, May 8th



Each year on May 8th, millions of people across the country celebrate National Have a Coke Day. Coca-Cola, often referred to as Coke, is a carbonated soft drink produced by The Coca-Cola Company.

Coke is a registered trademark of the Coca-Cola Company in the United States since March 27, 1944. As of 2013, Coke distributes products in over 200 countries around the world as consumers down more than 1.8 million company beverage servings each day.

While the holiday focuses on the bubbly, carbonated beverage, the drink and its associated memorabilia inspires collectors across generations. From sign art to vintage soda fountain glassware, collectors love to replicate classic flavors with authentic style.

NATIONAL HAVE A COKE DAY HISTORY

In the late 19th century, John Pemberton invented <u>Coca-Cola</u>, at Pemberton's Eagle Drug and Chemical House in Columbus, Georgia. He intended to patent the beverage as medicine. However, Asa Griggs Candler bought out the business. Candler's marketing tactics led Coke to its dominance of the world soft-drink market throughout the 20th century.

Coco-Cola Timeline:

1891 – Bottling of Coco-Cola begins for the first time at the Biedenharn Candy Company in Vicksburg, Mississippi.

1894 – The first outdoor wall advertisement promoting the Coca-Cola drink was painted in Cartersville, Georgia

1914 – Atlanta's Fleeman's Pharmacy opens its doors.

The longest-running commercial Coca-Cola soda fountain anywhere became a historic landmark of Atlanta and Coca-Cola. The pharmacy closed its doors in 1995 after 81 years. 1944 – The Coca-Cola Company manufactures its one-billionth gallon of Coca-Cola syrup on July 12th.

1955 – The company produces its first cans of Coke.



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> 10 am- 8 pm Dining room closed

Frequently Asked Questions about Remote Learning Ansley Public Schools When is the last day of school?

We will follow our original school calendar for the rest of the year. The last day for Seniors will be May 5th, the last day for PK will be May 8th, and the last day for K-11 will be May 20th. These school days, however, will not all consist of 'remote learning'. Some of these days will be reserved for the collection of school work and the checking-in of school equipment, books, etc. We will keep you informed of the details as we get closer to the end of the school year.

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- May 12 Shannon Beaumont John Ryan Sara Garniss Stevie Cowell Mark Pearson Jamie Plambeck Jane Brinckerhoff
- May 13 Burt Willis Ann Holland Scott

May 14 Dale Dobesh Gaylene Williams Caelin Vas May 15 Colton Smith Jerry Barnes Rod Bromwich Jayla Holland Miles Miller May 16 Steve Zayaz Patty Reed

Eric Holdt Verna Thompson Adeigh Vas



Frequently Asked Questions about Remote Learning Ansley Public Schools

Has Prom been cancelled?

Prom has been postponed. We intend to have Prom this summer once health restrictions are lessened. If, however, health restrictions make it impossible to have a prom this summer, we will discuss other alternatives with the prom sponsors and the junior class.

How will Graduation be handled?

Graduation has been postponed until June 27th at 11:00. If allowed, we will have a traditional graduation ceremony on that day. If not, we will have a socially distanced "drive-in" style graduation. If that type of gathering is not allowed, we will have a virtual ceremony for our Seniors.

Have end-of-the-year award ceremonies been canceled?

No. Because we still want to recognize our students for their successes, we will be having virtual awards ceremonies. We will have a 7-12th grade ceremony (which will include 8th Grade Promotion), and an Elementary ceremony (which will include 6th Grade Promotion). We will keep you informed of the details.

How will Quarter 4 grades be handled?

School districts have been given several options for handling grades during this time of remote learning. After much consideration, we have come up with a grading plan that we think best suits our students and teachers. We understand that the sudden shift to remote learning has (and will continue to have) a significant impact on the way our teachers teach and the way our students learn. In order to account for this, grades for Quarter 4 will be handled in the following ways:

- All teachers will exercise flexible lesson planning and grading practices.
- PK-K teachers will continue to assess students using standards-based grading.

. Grade 1-12 teachers will continue assessing student work using points or percentages. To account for the sudden change in teaching and learning, each student's quarter grade will be increased by a certain percentage at the end of the quarter (adjusted student grades will go no higher than 100%). This new Quarter 4 grade will be averaged with the Quarter 3 grade to determine a Semester 2 grade

Why can't we just end the school year now?

Our school district is following the directive of the Commissioner of Education that all schools must educate their students remotely for the rest of the school year. While there is no doubt that this shift in education has been difficult for students, teachers, and parents, our ultimate goal is that our students keep learning and keep moving forward as much as possible

How will students get "caught up" to where they need to be next year?

Obviously, this will be a challenge for our students and our teachers. It is important to remember, however, that our school is not alone in this; schools nationwide will be facing the same dilemma. Unfortunately, this is not something that will be "fixed" quickly but rather will take time to make up for the lost hours in the classroom. With that being said, these are some of our plans for getting our students back on track:

 Elementary teachers will assess students at the beginning of the year using MAP and Acadience testing—the data from these assessments will be helpful in determining students' areas of strength and weakness. Grade-level teachers will also collaborate with each other to determine which standards have been met and which ones still need to be taught. Teachers will make adjustments to the curriculum as needed.

At the high school level, we are fortunate that several of our core teachers teach the same students for several years in a row. With data from MAP testing and other assessments, teachers will be able to determine what concepts and standards need to be taught and/or re-taught. Teachers will make adjustments to the curriculum as needed.

Will the $11 {\rm th}\,graders$ still get a chance to take the ACT?

The NDE and ACT are working together to come up with some options for 11th grade students who want to take the ACT but were unable to due to school closure. Once the details are worked out, we will inform 11th grade students and parents.

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MOBILE PANTRY HELPING MEET YOUR FAMILY'S NEEDS

DATE: THURSDAY MAY 21ST

TIME: 4-6PM*** NEW TIME

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Class of 2020 Melizza Hollander *

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What are your plans after graduation?

I will attend CCC in Kearney. Then, I plan to transfer to a four-year college and major in Elementary Education. ⋇

What will you miss about high school?

I will miss seeing my friends everyday. I will also miss the amazing staff and supportive community members.

What was the best sport or activity that you participated in?

I really can't choose. I had so much fun in all of them.

What advice would you give to underclassmen?

Don't procrastinate. Also, be nice to the teachers and paras. They want the best for you.

What are your hopes and dreams for the future?

My hopes are to graduate from college, find a job close to home, and have a place of my own.

Class of 2020 Taccy Shafer

Photo Credit: Kuszak Photography

What are your plans after graduation?

I plan to continue raising horses and cattle. I want to increase my cow herd to over 100.

What are your hopes and dreams for the future?

I hope to be a really nice and successful person who raises nice club calves and ranch horses.

What was the best sport or activity that you participated in? FFA.

What advice would you give to underclassmen?

Continue to try even when things get hard.

If you could go back and change one thing about your high

school years, what would it be?

Nothing. The things that we do make us who we are, and I am happy with the person I am.



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Frequently Asked Questions about Remote Learning Ansley Public Schools Will school resume in the fall?

It is our hope that school will get back to normal next fall. The Commissioner of Education, however, has indicated that schools should have contingency plans in place in case we are unable to have a "normal" start to the school year. With that being said, we will plan for the worst and hope for the best.

If you have any other questions or concerns, please contact the school at 308-935-1121.



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MAY SCHEDULE ANSLEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MAY 4-8

May 4th - Schoolwork pick-up & drop-off (9-2)
May 4th or 5th - Senior check-out (turn in computers, books, equipment, etc.) from 9-12

Last week of assignments for PK-11

May 11th - Schoolwork drop-off from 9-2

 K-11 teachers will wrap up the year with students in various ways throughout the week (Zoom meetings, etc.)

MAY 11-15

 May 14th or 15th - K-6 check-out (turn in books, materials, etc.) from 9-12 on 14th or 12-3 on 15th)

MAY 18-21

Students may still submit any missing work

 May 18th - Last day for students to submit missing work

- May 18th 11th grade check-out from 9-12
- May 19th 9th & 10th grade check-out from 9-12
- May 20th 7th & 8th grade check-out from 9-12
- May 21st Teacher work day

Baked Cinnamon Rolls

Mandy Tanner

Prep Time: 1 Hours Cook Time: 20 Minutes Serves: 8 - 12 people

Ingredients

1/2 Ounce (2 Packets) Active Dry Yeast 1/3 Cup Plus 1 Tsp Cane Sugar, Divided 1 Cup Warm Water (110°-115°F) 5 Cup All-Purpose Flour, Plus More as Needed 2 Teaspoon Salt 1 Cup Warm Milk (110°-115°F) 1 Large Eggs 1/2 Cup Butter, Softened 1 Cup Brown Sugar 2 Tablespoon Cinnamon 4 Ounce Cream Cheese, Room Temperature 1/2 Cup Butter, Room Temperature 2 Cup Powdered Sugar 1/2 Teaspoon Vanilla 1 Teaspoon Milk Pinch Salt 4UDDY

Steps

 Place the yeast, 1 tsp of sugar, and the warm water in a mixing bowl or the base of a stand mixer. Stir to combine. Allow the yeast to proof for 5 minutes, it should start to bubble a bit, showing that the yeast is indeed alive.

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- Sprinkle the flour, salt and remaining 1/3 cup sugar over the yeast mixture. Using a dough hook or wooden spoon, stir for 30 seconds. Pour in the warm milk and egg.
- 3. Knead again on the medium-low setting, or on a floured work surface by hand until the dough is very soft, adding up to one more cup of flour so the dough is soft and smooth and has lost its sticky quality.
- 4. Coat the bowl with a small film of oil and place the dough in the bowl, turning to coat the dough evenly with oil. Cover the bowl with a clean cloth, place in a warm spot in the kitchen and allow to proof, about 45 minutes. The dough will have almost doubled in size.
- 5. In a small bowl combine the softened butter, sugar, and cinnamon.

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- 6. Punch down the dough and roll out into a rectangle on a floured work surface.
- 7. Spread the cinnamon butter mixture over the top of the dough and roll up into a log.
- 8. Cut the dough into rolls about 2" thick. Transfer rolls to a buttered baking dish or cast iron and lightly cover with a kitchen towel. Let the rolls rise again until doubled in size.
- 9. When ready to cook, set the temperature to 325°F and preheat, lid closed for 15 minutes.
- 10. Place the baking dish or cast iron directly on the grill grate and bake the rolls until lightly browned, about 20 minutes.
- 11. For the lcing: place cream cheese and butter in the bowl of a stand mixer fitted with a paddle attachment. Mix together on medium speed until combined. Reduce the speed to low and add in the powdered sugar slowly. Add vanilla, a pinch of salt and milk and mix to combine.
- 12. Remove the rolls from the grill and spread icing on top while the rolls are still warm. Enjoy!



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