

# IMPORTANT DATES:

<i>FFA Meeting/7:30</i>	Feb. 2
<i>Parent Teachers Conference 3-7:30</i>	Feb. 7
<i>1:00 Dismissal</i>	Feb. 7
<i>District Wrest.</i>	Feb. 10,11
<i>Girls Sub Dist. BB</i>	Feb. 13-16
<i>State Wrestling</i>	Feb. 16-18
<i>NO SCHOOL Winter Break</i>	Feb. 17
<i>Speech @ Loup City</i>	Feb. 18
<i>Boys Sub Dist. BB</i>	Feb. 20-23
<i>National FFA Week</i>	Feb. 20-24
<i>Conference Speech @ Burwell</i>	Feb. 22
<i>Girls District Finals</i>	Feb. 24
<i>Talent Show</i>	Feb. 25
<i>Start of Spring Practice</i>	Feb. 27
<i>Boys District BB Finals</i>	Feb. 27

## BURWELL PUBLIC SCHOOLS FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

### Changes in Kindergarten Entrance Starting this Fall

Starting in 2012-2013 (the upcoming kindergarten class), a child must reach the age of five on or before July 31 of the calendar year in which the school year begins to enroll in kindergarten. The kindergarten entrance requirements prior to 2012-2013 stated that a student who turned five prior to October 15<sup>th</sup> was eligible for kindergarten. In 2010, the unicameral passed LB 1006, which requires all Nebraska schools adopt a new policy by January 1, 2012. **Exceptions:**

- The child attended kindergarten in another jurisdiction in the current school year.
- The family anticipates relocation to another jurisdiction that would allow admission with the current school year.
- The child's performance on the Development Indicators for the Assessment of Learning (DIAL-4) demonstrates that he/she is capable of carrying the work of kindergarten.

The intent of the law is for students who turn five after July 31 to wait to attend kindergarten. However, there are the exceptions outlined in the law and local policy if a child turns five after July 31 and before October 15. If your child turns five after July 31 and before October 15 and you want to request early entrance you will be required to fill out an application and your child will be required to complete an assessment to determine if he/she is capable and ready for kindergarten. The deadline for requesting Early Kindergarten Entrance is the July board meeting date of the respective school year. If you have questions please contact Mr. Gordy Goodman, elementary principal.

**IF YOUR CHILD TURNS FIVE AFTER JULY 31, APPLYING FOR THE CALAMUS KIDS PRESCHOOL IS ANOTHER OPTION.**



## BURWELL HORN WRESTLING YOUTH INVITE

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 2012

TIME: 5:00 pm

For more information or to download an entry form visit:

<http://www.burwellpublicschools.org/vnews/display.v.ART/4bc2a5a5lbleb>

## BURWELL PUBLIC SCHOOL 7-12 CLASS REGISTRATION FOR 2012-2013

In March Jr and Sr High School students will begin registering for classes for the 2012-2013 school year. Mrs. Senn and Mr. Owen will speak with each class and distribute registration material.

All students will be instructed on how to view a list of course descriptions that are posted on the Burwell High School web site and given a registration sheet for classes. Registration sheets list the required courses that students must take at each grade level. A student may choose the rest of hi/her class schedule from the list of elective courses.

Students and their parents should take time to look over and discuss the options students have for classes and select those courses that are most beneficial for the students. A parent should also sign the registration form before it is turned in at the counselor's office. Again, to assist the parents and students, the course descriptions can be found on the Burwell High School web page.



### Used Gym Lights For Sale

The District has 31 Lights and Ballasts that were taken out when we installed new lights in the high school gym. The lights would work great in a shop. Specifications: 400 watt, metal Halide bulbs, volts-120/4 amp, Lamp type M59, 17" diameter. We are selling each light for \$20. If you are interested contact Dan Bird or Jay Galvan (308)346-4150.

# February 2012 Breakfast & Lunch

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Scrambled Eggs, Juice, Milk	2 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	3 Biscuits/Gravy, Juice, Milk	4
		Cavatini, Lettuce/ Dressing, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Chicken Nuggets, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	BBQ Rib Sand., Veggie, Fruits, Milk	
6 Breakfast Wrap, Juice, Milk	7 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	8 Biscuits/Gravy, Juice, Milk	9 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	10 Egg Omelet, Juice, Milk	11
Soft Shell Taco, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Chic. Macaroni Casserole, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Mini Corndogs, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Pork Choppettee, Mashed Tators, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Chic. Patty Sand., Veggie, Fruits, Milk	
13 Biscuits/Gravy, Juice, Milk	14 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	15 Scrambled Eggs, Juice, Milk	16 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	17 NO SCHOOL	18
Hamb/Bun, Fries, Veg- gie, Fruits, Milk	Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Lettuce/ Dressing, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Macaroni/Cheese, Ham Patty, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Chicken Fajitas, Veggie, Fruits, Milk		
20 Pancakes, Ham Patty, Juice, Milk	21 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	22 NO SCHOOL	23 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	24 Biscuits/Gravy, Juice, Milk	25
Ht Dog/Polish Dog, Veg- gie, Fruits, Milk	Tator Tot Casse- role, Veggie, Fruits, Milk		Turkey, Mashed Tators, Veggie, Fruits, Milk	Cheese Pizza, Let- tuce/Dressing, Veg- gie, Fruits, Milk	
27 Egg Wrap, Juice, Milk	28 Cereal, Roll, Juice, Milk	29 French Toast Sticks, Juice, Milk			
Popcorn Chicken, Veg- gie, Fruits, Milk	Chili Soup, Peanut Butter Sand., Veg- gie, Fruits, Milk	Br. Beef Patty, Mashed Tators, Veggie, Fruits, Milk			

# FEBRUARY 2012 ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<b>1</b> State Degree Applications Due	<b>2</b> FFA Meeting 7:30pm	<b>3</b> Res/Var B&G BB Home vs Spalding/Spalding Academy 6:00/7:30 (Jv's TBA) Boys first  Loup Valley Conference Wrestling @ Ansley	<b>4</b> Speech @ West Holt  Res/Var B&G BB @ NE Christian 6:00/7:30 (JV's TBA)
<b>6</b> JH Boys BB Home Vs Ord 6:15pm	<b>7</b> Parent Teachers Conferences 3-7:30pm  1:00 pm Dismissal	<b>8</b> District Proficiency Review @ Stuart 9:00 AM	<b>9</b> Res/Var Girls BB vs. CWC @ Bartlett 6:00/7:30pm	<b>10</b> District Wrestling  Res/Var B&G BB @ Heartland Lutheran 6:00/7:30pm (JV's TBA)	<b>11</b> District Wrestling  JH Boys BB @ Palmer Tournament 9:00AM  Speech @ Burwell
<b>13</b> Girls Sub Districts @ O'Neill  JH Boys BB @ Ainsworth 6:00PM  District AG ED CDE's @ Grand Island 9:30AM	<b>14</b> Girls Sub Districts @ O'Neill	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Girls Sub District Finals @ O'Neill  Elementary Parent Teachers Conferences  No School K-6  State Wrestling	<b>17</b>  NO SCHOOL WINTER BREAK  Res/Var Boys BB Home vs CWC 6:00/7:30PM  State Wrestling	<b>18</b> State Wrestling  Speech @ Loup City
<b>20</b> Boys Sub Districts @ O'Neill  National FFA Week	<b>21</b> Boys Sub @ O'Neill  National FFA Week	<b>22</b> NO SCHOOL  Conference Speech @ Burwell  National FFA Week	<b>23</b> Boys Sub District Finals @ O'Neill  National FFA Week	<b>24</b> Girls BB District Finals  MFE/ALD Leadership Conference @ Kearney  National FFA Week	<b>25</b> Talent Show  National FFA Week  MFE/ALD Leadership Conference @ Kearney  State Proficiency Review @ Kearney
<b>27</b> Start of Spring Practice  Boys BB District Finals	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> District Career Development Event @ Norfolk 9:00AM			