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Did You Know? - Great Things are Happening in the Palmyra-Eagle Area School District

School and District Report Cards

- The PEASD has consistently met and exceeded expectations as defined by the State of Wisconsin.
- Both elementary schools Significantly Exceeded Expectations for the 2016-2017 school year.
- The district continues to close achievement gaps for several student groups.

District Curriculum Initiatives

- New districtwide curriculum in these areas of study: Science, Social Studies, Mathematics, Health and Physical Education
- Eight (8) Advanced Placement course offerings at the high school level
- Expanded/Revised high school course offerings in Agriculture, Art, Technology Education, and Music
- Revised English Learner program supports
- Multiple foreign language offerings (French and Spanish) at the middle and high school levels
- Instrumental and Vocal performance opportunities: Band, Jazz Band, Pep Band, Choir, Acapella Choirs

Athletic and Co-Curricular Successes & New Opportunities

- Band - 26 students qualified for state solo/ensemble
- Baseball - Conference champs
- Boys Basketball - Conference champs
- Choir - 12 students qualified for state solo/ensemble
- Equestrian Team - 5th place at state
- Forensics - 2 perfect scores at state
- Girls Basketball - Conference champs
- Girls Cross Country - 5th place at state
- Girls Dance Team - 3rd place at state
- Golf - 2016 & 2017 Conference champs, 2018 sectional qualifiers
- Track & Field - 5 individuals qualify for state, 1 state medalist
- Boys Soccer -New Co-op opportunity with local district

High School Graduate Scholarships

- Class of 2018
 - All students who applied for local scholarships were awarded
 - \$835,200 in scholarships awarded
- Over the past 5 years more than \$2,000,000 was awarded to graduating seniors

Elementary Extra-Curricular Programming Opportunities

- Battle of the Books
- Drama Club
- Geography Bee
- Interpretive Reading
- Lego Robotics
- Makerspace
- Math 24 & Math Meet
- Southern Lakes Anthology
- Spelling Bee
- S.T.E.A.M. Night / Science Fair
- Student Council / S.T.A.R.S

College and University Acceptance Letters Received by the Class of 2018:

- Arizona State University
- Carroll University
- Case Western Reserve University
- Cornell University
- Drake University
- Dubuque University
- Edgewood College
- Iowa State University
- Lawrence University
- Loyola University
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- Western Technical College



Dear Parents, Community Members and Taxpayers,
Every school year seems to pass more quickly than the one before. This school year has been no exception. There have been many reasons to celebrate the accomplishments and highlights of the current school year and much optimism looking ahead to the next. As you take the time to read this issue of the district newsletter you will find many stories which serve to highlight all of the good happenings in the Palmyra-Eagle Area School District. There is much to be proud of, and it is my hope that you feel that pride as we share these stories with you.

This year's graduating senior high school class has reaped a record amount in local, state and college/university scholarships. Over \$800,000 in tuition support has been made available to those students choosing to join the military or to attend a two-year or four-year institution of higher learning. We believe these students are prepared for success as are those who are choosing to enter into the world of work and career exploration following graduation.

Various athletic teams, co-curricular student groups, and art and musical groups and individuals participated in state competitions this year. Students performed well and represented themselves and the school district with "Panther Pride." Our "Honor an Educator" program continues to serve witness to the many current and former staff members who have positively impacted students in the district.

Recent state accountability reports indicate that the district "Exceeds Expectations" with both elementary schools receiving a five-star rating which places them in the "Significantly Exceeds Expectations" category. These results are a direct reflection of the hard work provided daily by our educators and an intentional effort in recent years to provide high-quality learning experiences linked to established curricular standards in conjunction with a realistic, standards-based, system of reporting of student learning. While there is still work to be done in these areas it is clear that the results offer evidence of the dedicated efforts put forth by our staff members on behalf of the children and young adults entrusted to their care.

As a small district faced with declining enrollment creating and implementing a balanced budget offers many challenges. We are not alone in this regard in the State of Wisconsin as diminishing fiscal resources are made available to local public schools. Without the support of parents, community members and local area businesses many program offerings would be difficult to support. The school district is very fortunate to have parents, family members and active Booster Club and parent organizations supporting our schools. The financial support of school programs permits program advisors, coaches, teachers and staff members to extend learning opportunities that might not otherwise take place. I wish to share with such individuals and organizations our expression of deepest gratitude and appreciation for their support!

Finally, on behalf of our students and families, I would like to thank all PEASD employees for their hard work and efforts put forth this year. Our staff members go "above and beyond" in their service and this year has been no exception.

Please enjoy a wonderful summer break. We look forward to the 2018-2019 school year being even better than the year just completed!

Sincerely,
Dr. Steven M. Bloom, District Administrator
Palmyra-Eagle Area School District



The Class of 2018 stands for the National Anthem.

Palmyra-Eagle Class of 2018

The Palmyra-Eagle High School Class of 2018 commencement ceremony was held on Sunday, June 2nd. The Valedictorians of the class were: Antonia Bartolotta, Erin Dunn, Kendall Kau, Austin Kwiat, Maleny Neubauer, and Jackie Rosa. The Salutatorian was Emily Rush. Mr. Douglas Hasseler, retired Palmyra-Eagle teacher and administrator, delivered the keynote address. The graduating class was awarded over \$800,000 in scholarship money from local and outside donors, as well as from their schools of choice. All 24 students who applied for local scholarships received at least one award. The Palmyra-Eagle Area School District would like to congratulate the entire Class of 2018 and wish them the best in all their future endeavors!



Antonia Bartolotta and Erin Dunn lead the procession of the 2018 Class of Palmyra-Eagle Graduates.



2018 graduate Christopher Hinrichs sings the National Anthem

Honoring Our Educators

The Palmyra-Eagle Area School District's "Honor an Educator" program allows parents, students, colleagues and community members to recognize current and retired educators of the district who made a positive impact on a student, family, or group.

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Incubating Excitement

Second grade students at Eagle Elementary and kindergarten students at Palmyra Elementary recently incubated eggs as part of their science curriculum. The Eagle Elementary partnered with The Livestock



Conservancy to nurture a dozen Java chicken eggs. The conservancy is the leading nonprofit organization that works to save heritage breeds, historic breeds that have been around for decades or even hundreds of years, from extinction. The kindergarteners mothered 8 mixed breed, Pekin and Mallard, duck eggs from teacher Stacey Kreuziger's farm. Throughout the incubation process

the classes were responsible for turning the eggs and keeping them at the appropriate temperature. Several times throughout the experience, students were able to "candle" the eggs. This involves shining a flashlight on them

in a dark environment in order to see embryo growth. After hatching, the ducklings were transported back to Kreuziger's farm and the chicks were transferred to their permanent residence at Old World Wisconsin. Eagle Elementary second grade teacher Jill Blaedow commented, "This was a wonderful opportunity for the students to experience. The excitement in our classroom was amazing."



Ag Adventure Day

Over 30 middle & high school students visited Palmyra Elementary on May 23 to run an Agriculture Adventure program. There were 9 different stations for the elementary students to visit including: wildlife, agriculture

careers, chickens, goats, horses, byproducts, tractors, cows and trail mix making. The volunteers were either enrolled in an agriculture class or active members of the Palmyra-Eagle FFA. The Palmyra-Eagle FFA Alumni organizations supplied lunch for the volunteers. The engaging experience was very well received by the elementary students and staff members who hope this will become an annual event. Palmyra-Eagle Agriculture teacher Nicole Petrie stated, "I planned a similar event in my last district so I had an idea of how to make this run smoothly. I'm very pleased with how hard my students have worked."



Battle of the Books

Battle of the Books is a voluntary reading incentive program for students. Elementary students in grades 3rd-6th are eligible to participate in the activity. The purpose is simply to encourage students to read good books and have fun while competing with peers. Team members meet on a regular basis and are led by teachers and reading specialists. This year Eagle Elementary's team consisted solely of six 3rd graders. Palmyra Elementary's group included 12 students in grades 4th-6th. Participants are quizzed on a variety of topics pertaining to a predetermined list of 20-25 books that were read prior to the battle. The teams met at Palmyra Elementary on May 24th for their annual battle. The students had a great time getting together and learned a lot. There were contributions made by all team members and in the end Palmyra Elementary was victorious. Great job to all and keep up the reading over the summer!

Schoolyard Habitat

Eagle Elementary School and the Eagle Nature Trail have become part of the National Wildlife Federation's (NWF) Garden for Wildlife program. This is part of the NWF's continuing work with "schools to plant 500 monarch/pollinator school gardens from Minnesota to Texas!"

Students in Ms. Mueller's 3rd grade class planted the native milkweed seed collection that was sent on May 22 at the trail. On the same day, the children also planted 40 native plants to enhance the butterfly garden. This garden, along with the 500 others across the US, "will help provide food and breeding areas for declining monarch populations along their central flyway migration," according to NWF.

The garden located at the school end of the Eagle Nature Trail has been designated a Certified Schoolyard Habitat by NWF. The entire school body also participated in the nature trail's annual Garlic Mustard Pull-a-Thon on June 1st. With the knowledge and assistance of local experts Mr. and Mrs. Weedman, the students identified and removed invasive species such as Garlic Mustard and Dame's Rocket along the trail. Due successful events such as this, the invasive species found along the trail have become much less prevalent and pervasive. "It is always good to see children having fun and helping our environment," commented Eagle Nature Trail Chair Jean Weedman.



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Spring Athletes Earn All-Conference

Congratulations to the following Panther athletes for earning All-Conference honors:
BASEBALL: Lonnie Garlock - 1st Team & **PLAYER OF THE YEAR** (not pictured), Austin Kwiat - 1st Team, Tyler Molloy - 1st Team, Tom Scheuller - 2nd Team, Derek Stefanczyk - 1st Team, Sawyer Weinreich - 1st Team (not pictured)
GOLF: Aidan Schroeder - 1st Team
SOCCER: Mikayla Peardon – Honorable Mention (not pictured) Brenna Schneidewent – Honorable Mention
SOFTBALL: Emma Hammond - 2nd Team, Gina Jroff - 1st Team, Lauren

Stefanczyk - 1st Team
TRACK & FIELD: Antonia Bartolotta - 1st Team (3200), 2nd Team (4x800 Relay), Ryan Brahm - 2nd Team (4x200 Relay), Ally Czeshinski - 2nd Team (4x800 Relay), Erin Dunn - 2nd Team (4x800 Relay), Guillermo Ibarra - 2nd Team (4x200 Relay), Patrick Jonas - 2nd Team (4x800 Relay) (not pictured), Michaela Jones - 2nd Team (4x800 Relay), Josh Krystosek - Honorable Mention/Bronze Medal (High Jump), Kirstin Novak - Honorable Mention/Bronze Medal (Pole Vault), Zeke Rodriguez - 2nd team (4x200 Relay) Jackie Rosa - 1st Team (1600), 2nd Team (800), Brenna Schneidewent - Honorable Mention/Bronze Medal (Triple Jump)

Summer Slide vs. Summer Surge

Summer Slide is the academic loss children experience during summer break from school. Children who don't read during the summer can lose up to three months of reading progress, which can have a long term negative effect. Although summer is a wonderful opportunity for families to relax and reconnect, making regular reading a priority is important. Reading with your child or ensuring that your child reads 20 minutes each day is critical. Encourage your child to login to an educational website or app like IXL, Xtra Math, Scholastic News, Keyboarding Without Tears and practice math, language arts, science and social studies. Visit your local library. The Powers Memorial Library in Palmyra and the Alice Baker Library in Eagle have wonderful summer reading programs. Stroll around town and look for some of the newly created Little Free Libraries. Take local history tours like those offered within our community at Old World Wisconsin or the Eagle or Palmyra Historical Societies. Read a new book at one of our local parks under a tree or with a flashlight under the stars. Play games with words. Commercial games such as Scrabble or Apples to Apples are fun and educational. Incorporating some of these strategies into your summer routine is easy and will help your child surge rather than slide into the new school year.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS
 (Second Tuesday of the Month at 7:00 pm in the PEHS/MS Community Center)
 JULY 10, 2018
 AUGUST 14, 2018
 SEPTEMBER 11, 2018
 OCTOBER 9, 2018
 OCTOBER 23 (Annual Meeting)
 NOVEMBER 13
 Access to meeting agendas, minutes, information and recordings:
<http://www.peasd.org/district/board-of-education.cfm>

Transition Evening

Ms. Jennifer Landherr, a special education teacher at Palmyra-Eagle High/Middle School, recently held the first annual Transition Family Engagement Night. This was an opportunity for parents of students with disabilities to learn from each other about all things transition. Transition generally refers to the movement from school-based to adult services. There was an awesome slideshow put together by Ms. Landherr's students to showcase all of the life skills activities and community outings they have accomplished over the past year.

Guest speakers Mr. and Mrs. Lucht spoke about their positive experience with YIPPE (Youth in Partnership with Parents for Empowerment), parents enjoyed an Italian meal prepared by the students, and there were laughs during the challenge activities. Additionally, Maria, a graduating special education major from UW-Whitewater presented on the new LIFE (Learning is for Everyone) program there for students with intellectual disabilities.



Alumni Spotlight



Desiree Stormont (Toldt)

Class of 2005
Journey after High School: University of Wisconsin-Madison – continued running career in Cross Country and Track, graduate in 2009 with a Bachelor of Arts in History and focused studies in Spanish; KEVA Sports Center- Event and Project Manager; William Mitchell School of Law in St. Paul, Minnesota – graduated with honors in 2014; Project manager for a mobile app called SAFE MN which was developed for law enforcement and the general public to stop abuse and financial exploitation of vulnerable adults; Law clerk for Attorney General, Lori Swanson; Certified student attorney for St. Croix County District Attorney's Office; Passed the Wisconsin Bar Exam in July of 2014; Assistant District Attorney at Marathon County District Attorney's Office
Current profession/occupation: Deputy County Attorney with the Douglas County; Attorney's Office in Omaha, Nebraska
How did Palmyra-Eagle positively impact your future?
 The experience I gained while at Palmyra Eagle led me to become a Division I Student Athlete. I had so much support from faculty and staff who helped push me to continue to pursue my running career. Also, my experience in my last year of high school, attending college courses at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, allowed me to ease into my first year and to have a better understanding of what the experience would entail. Without the experience as a student athlete at PEHS and the educational support I received, I would not have been prepared to take on the daunting task of attending college full time and training twice a day while at Madison. Those experiences in college led me to pursue my future career in both project management as well as the legal profession. PEHS provided the strong base that was necessary to allow me to build on each experience, which ultimately led me to my current profession, one that I truly love.

ALUMNI REUNION - The Palmyra-Eagle all-class Alumni Reunion will be held on Saturday, July 28th, 2018 at the 841 Brewhouse in Whitewater. Registration begins at 10:30 am with lunch served at 12:30 pm. Please return reservations and payment by Friday, July 13th. Questions, please contact Martha Parker at 262-495-2610 or Diana Thomas at 262-495-2655, email watdat@centurytel.net

DNR Quiz Boxes

After being contacted by Amanda Kutka of the Wisconsin DNR - Kettle Moraine State Forest, middle school science teacher Mrs. Barbara Stachowski coordinated a special project for Earth Day. She had her Palmyra-Eagle Middle School 8th grade students create interactive quiz



boxes tailored to environmental awareness. The boxes worked by completing a simple circuit. Participants choose one wire and touch a brass fastener closest to the chosen answer. If the answer is correct the light

will illuminate. The boxes were on display in the forest headquarters for several weeks. Stachowski stated, "The students worked in small groups and did a lot of research within the realm of environmental awareness. My goal was for people to have fun using the scientific project and be challenged to think environmentally."

Expert Advice

7th and 8th grade Palmyra-Eagle Middle School students enrolled in agriculture classes and some of those enrolled in the high school's GEDO2 program, an alternative diploma opportunity available in the district, were guided along the district's Jim Demler Nature Trail Wednesday, May 9th by two very knowledgeable individuals. Nate Gingerich of Applied Ecological Services and Mike Krupke of Insight FS volunteered to share their environmental expertise in regards to the current maintenance plan along the unique trail. District Buildings and Grounds Director, Rich Wagner, arranged the visit. Gingerich is an invasive species expert who stated that from a young age he was intrigued with identifying plant species. He scouted the property and shared his thoughts on prioritizing efforts. Krupke has been contracted by the district many times in the past to work on lawn and grounds needs and is thus familiar with the property. Students and staff are excited to continue on the path of restoring the natural area. Middle and high school students have already cleaned up the entryway and have plans for further trail enhancements, the Palmyra Public Safety has committed to a prescribed/controlled burn in the near future, and Ms. Dampier's GEDO2 students are "adopting" the trail as part of the program's community service needs.

Social Language Group

This year, Palmyra-Eagle speech and language pathologist, Mrs. Jeanne Stroh, had 3 seniors (Brittany Neuman, Javier Dixon, and Gina Jroff pictured above with Brindley Martin) volunteer to participate in a weekly social language group with students who receive special education services.

The students would play card or board games together which offered a wonderful opportunity to foster social language skills such as:

verbal turn taking, responding to peer comments/questions, waiting turns, allowing partners to choose a game, waiting for peer's responses before answering, staying on topic, greetings and walking with peer. This group was able to build awareness and understanding of what some students who receive additional supports are capable of doing, as well as fostering friendships that may not have occurred frequently in the natural course of the school day. These three seniors went out of their way to provide an opportunity for their peer to grow and feel successful within the school community. The hope is to continue to build this social peer group to foster acceptance and friendships in the years to come.



Formal Dedication - The Jim Demler Nature Trail was formally dedicated on May 17, 2018. Mr. Demler was greeted by a nice crowd who listened attentively to his address. Tours along the trail were given and a celebratory cook out was enjoyed by staff and attendees. Informational brochures and detailed signage is now available at the trail head. To get involved in the ongoing trail maintenance, please contact the district office at 262-495-7101 ext. 2600.



Panther Prom

Palmyra-Eagle High School held their 2018 Prom on Saturday, May 5th at the Clausing Barn on the Old World Wisconsin grounds. The theme for the event was "A Night in Paris". Members of the Prom Court were: Brian Navarro Gaytan, Owen Butenhoff, Joseph Lutze, Morgan Carpenter, Revin Schneider, Joshua Krystosek (Master of Ceremonies), Jacobey Koutsky, Jacob Tomfohrde, Blair Webber, Haley Hatzinger, Samantha Ramlow, Morgan Landess, Rachel Mason, Hailey Richardson (Mistress of Ceremonies), Brianna Holcomb and Mikayla Peardon. Joseph Lutze and Rachel Mason were crowned King and Queen.

Forensics Members Success at State

Three Palmyra-Eagle High School students performed at the State Speech Festival at UW-Madison on April 20-21. Emily Rush received a perfect score of 25 for the second consecutive year with her Charles Manson inspired piece in the 4-Minute category. Ella Jonas also garnered her second perfect score and gold medal with a performance about the kidnapping of the Charles Lindbergh baby in the Moments in History category. Freshman Chelsea Abel reached the state competition in only her first year of forensics and earned a bronze medal for her Poetry piece regarding mental illness. Coach Kelly Dunn was extremely pleased with the experience and performances of all three young ladies.



Panther Track 2018 Teams Running Strong



Art Exhibits

District artwork from students in kindergarten – 12th grades was displayed this spring in multiple venues. During March, Youth Art Month, the Alice Baker and Powers Memorial Libraries housed a varied collection of pieces. The Palmyra Historical Society welcomed the artwork throughout the month of May and also hosted a Palmyra-Eagle Art Gallery night on May 16th. Three high school artists (Gavin Nava, Jillian Brown and Brenna Schneidewent) were honored at UW-Whitewater's Touch of Red awards and art show.

State Solo & Ensemble Festival

Palmyra-Eagle High School band and choir students excelled at the Wisconsin State Solo Ensemble Festival held on Saturday, April 28th at UW-Whitewater. The following students received either a Gold (1) or Silver (2) score.

BAND RESULTS:

- Flute Choir:** RECEIVED A SCORE OF A 1 - Erin Cavanaugh, Haley Czerniejewski, Kenzie Emery, Haley Hatzinger, Morgan Keske, Kierra Nehls, Abby Richardson, Ella Schlueter, Ashly Surdyk, Abby Vick
- Clarinet Choir:** RECEIVED A SCORE OF A 2 - Alli Behselich, Owen Butenhoff, Kaleb Doss, Josie Kysely, Morgan Olson, Nova Rutkowski, Fischer Schneider
- Percussion Ensemble:** RECEIVED A SCORE OF A 1 - Romeo Aranda, Jake Cowsert, Adyn Guadarrama, Emma Hammond, Matt Hoh, Owen Isaacsen, Jason Slaybaugh, Casey Webber
- Flute Trio:** RECEIVED A SCORE OF A 2 - Erin Cavanaugh, Haley Hatzinger, Morgan Keske
- Flute/Clarinet Trio:** RECEIVED A SCORE OF A 1 - Owen Butenhoff, Haley Hatzinger, Morgan Olson
- Alto Sax Solo:** RECEIVED A SCORE OF A 2 - Gabby Wirt

CHOIR RESULTS:

- Silver (2):** Gabby Wirt & Stacey Kelley-Tenant's duet
#Harmony vocal jazz
- Gold (1):** Stacey Kelley-Tenant's solo
Gabby Wirt's solo
#Harmony contemporary a cappella.



Lady Panthers Softball

The 2018 Lady Panthers softball season actually began in the summer of 2017 with fundraising and planning for a much anticipated March 2018 Varsity and JV teams trip to Cocoa Beach Florida to play multiple non-conference games. The Varsity and JV played 10 games in 4 days to kick off the 2018 season. The 16 Lady Panther teammates got to meet and bond with other softball players from West Virginia, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Florida. The valuable lessons learned on this trip made us better teammates and better people.

The Lady Panthers brought their talents home to continue their winning ways into the regular season as the Varsity went 11-5 in conference and 14-8 overall with an additional 4 games cancelled due to weather.

The Lady Panthers entered post season as a 7th seed and won the regional opener against the #2 seed Columbus. The Varsity lost a tough regional final against host Marshall to complete their 2018 season.

The Panther Softball program was led by 6 seniors, 5 juniors, 5 sophomores and 3 freshmen. Two seniors signed commitment letters to play softball in college and 3 seniors were named to the All-Conference team.

Exciting changes are happening for 2019 and the future is brighter than ever for Panther Softball!

Palmyra-Eagle Baseball

The Palmyra-Eagle baseball team recorded its third straight winning season by going 16-3 and capturing the Trailways-South Conference title with an undefeated record. Coach Tom Davey began his third season at the helm of Panther baseball counting on an experienced senior class. Seven seniors finished their P-E careers with an outstanding season. Lonnie Garlock, AJ Kwiat, Tyler Molloy, Sean Orgas, Tom Schueller, Ryan Timmerman and Sawyer Weinreich all provided great leadership in their final season in Panther uniforms. By going undefeated in conference play, the Panthers claimed their first conference title since 1997. The team was represented on the 1st Team All-Conference by Garlock-INF, Molloy-INF, Kwiat-P, Weinreich-OF and Derek Stefanczyk-C. Tom Schueller received 2nd Team Utility Player. Lonnie Garlock was also named Conference Most Valuable Player. Coach Davey garnered his 400th career high school coaching victory when the Panthers defeated Williams Bay on Monday

PEHS Soccer

The beginning of the soccer season was a little trying due to the uncharacteristic snow in April and getting the new members orientated with the team, but the group worked hard each week and improved each game. The team finished 5-11 on the season and fought to get a home game for regionals. The girls pulled off an amazing come from behind victory over Columbus in overtime during that game. During the regional finals game, the team also played very well against #1 seeded Hustiford/Dodgeland but fell just short in a 2-1 loss. The ladies will be back and ready to win that championship next season with our new senior



Panther Golf

The Palmyra-Eagle Panther golf team came into the 2018 season after winning back to back conference championships with some major hurdles to overcome. The Panthers came into the season with four sophomores and one junior on the varsity, as well as having to play seven new unfamiliar courses for their



conferences matches. The new Trailways South Conference also proved to be extremely competitive with the conference champion school, ALCS/MCD, winning both the regional and sectional meets before moving on to state. The goal the Panthers set for themselves this season was to get better each week and to try to become the second team in school history to reach the sectionals as a team - which they accomplished. Sophomore Aidan Schroeder jumped into the number one spot after limited varsity experience last season and earned first team All-Conference honors. Junior Owen Butenhoff solidified his spot as the number two golfer. He was the most improved golfer last year and continued to show steady improvement this year as he was the low scorer for the Panthers at both Regionals and Sectionals. Sophomore Brandon Wilde chose dual participation in both baseball and golf, which limited his availability, but managed to finish the season with the lowest scoring average on the team despite playing two sports. Sophomores Luke Hausser and Isaac Schlueter moved up from last year's JV team to fill the four and five spots. In his first full year on varsity Luke posted 8 rounds in the 40's. The young team has great potential and with some extra work in the off season is poised to find more success in the future.



5/14. The JV team was monumentally hampered by postponements caused by weather but had a successful season nonetheless. Coach Dylan Hoskins had the team playing its best baseball at season's end, as the team was riding a 3 game winning streak. It is a season to celebrate for Palmyra-Eagle baseball and the future looks very bright for upcoming seasons!

leadership from Mikayla Peardon and Monica Curtin. This year's seniors Brenna Schneidewent, Maleny Neubauer, Kendall Kau, and Ana Soto have been a wonderful group to coach. Best of luck to all of them in their future goals!