



One Graduates From MCHS

One senior graduated at the 102nd graduation exercises of McPherson County High School in Tryon, during commencement exercises held Saturday, May 7, in the high school gymnasium.

The red and white class colors were carried out in the decorations and white roses were used as Camron Lee White marched in to "Pomp and Circumstance."

He gave the opening remarks and valedictory address. His diploma was presented by Superintendent Tim Vanderheiden and Lana Watson, board president.

Guidance counselor, Renee Connell, awarded Camron the Helen Trumbull Memorial and Leu Foundation scholarships.

The class motto was "Everything happens for a reason,"

and the class song was, "We Are the Champions," by Queen.

Faculty at MCHS is Tim Vanderheiden, superintendent; Kami Florea, principal; Ragan Anderson, Evey Choat, Luke Connell, Renee Connell, April Gaedke, Christine Dawn Hermoso, Tara Medigovich, Meka Melvin, Jason Phelps, Ken Simmons, and Lisa Vasa.

Board of education members are Lana Watson, president; Trent Neal, vice president; Toni Powers, secretary; Christina Schultis, treasurer; and Josh Streiff and Chad Fisher, members.

Renee Connell was class sponsor.

Pictured at right, Camron Lee White leaves the stage with his diploma as the lone MCHS Class of 2022 member.



COURTESY

Before and after



MARCIA HORA - THE STAPLETON ENTERPRISE

Village maintenance person, Mark Frey, rips into the trailer house owned by Bonnie James on C Street. The village assisted in the clean-up at the request of the owner.



The lot after the trailer house was removed.

Improvement continues on C Street

Community clean-up day was a great success in the Village of Stapleton and it was reported 14 ton was removed from town, as the Stapleton Area Chamber of Commerce coordinated the event on Wednesday, April 27. Stapleton Public Schools assisted and in addition to what was already listed in the newspaper, fourth and fifth graders cleaned

up corn shucks at the home of Connie Santo.

Bonnie James, owner of the trailer house on C Street, requested help from the village in the removal process. Bonnie said dirt will be hauled in and leveled and grass planted.

"Thank you to the Village of Stapleton for helping me with this project," she added.

Round-up time at SPS



SYD RUNDBACK

Little Bronco Preschool held their pre-Kindergarten round-up Thursday, May 11, at Stapleton Public Schools. Ten students attended with their families. Five pre-schoolers will return next school year in the 4-year-old class and Syd Rundback, teacher, said they are expecting to have 14 students for the 2022-23 school year.

Voter turnout better than expected

Voter turnout was much better than expected for the May 10 Primary Election. McPherson County Clerk, Kathy Hoberg said there were no contested local races, but she had 167 out of 344 registered voters casting ballots in person or early voting.

"It was very good to see 49% of McPherson County voters casting their ballots," Clerk Hoberg said. "Everything went smoothly."

Logan County saw 207 going to the polls and 17 voting early out of the 546 registered voters. This constituted a 41% turnout at the election that did not have any contested local races.

Unofficial returns in the 42nd District race that includes Logan and McPherson counties, showed Chris Bruns with a lead leading over Mike Jacobson. The two will square off in the November general election to see who will represent District 42 for the next four years.

Jim Pillen won Nebraska's Republican primary for governor by defeating eight challengers, including Charles Herbst and Brett Lindstrom. Pillen should prove to be a strong favorite in the general election over democrat Carol Blood.



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Stapleton resident Dick Pipal registers to vote at the Logan County Courthouse. Election workers pictured are l-r: Karen Main, Sharon Dailey, Pam Schaeffer, and Janet Barnum. Also working was Janice Buker.

State Board of Education District 7 was also on the ballot. Elizabeth Tegtmeyer won over Pat Moore and Robin

Stevens. Adrian Smith comfortably won over Mike Calhoun in the Representative in

Congress Third District contest.

A look at the Logan and McPherson County returns. All numbers are unofficial until canvassing is completed.

Logan County
Republican Ticket
For Representative in Congress
Third District

Adrian Smith155
Mike Calhoun46

For Governor

Michael Connolly3
Brett Lindstrom18
Donna Nicole Carpenter1
Lela McNinch0
Theresa Thibodeau15
Jim Pillen85
Troy Wentz0
Charles W. Herbst77
Brelan Ridenour9

For Secretary of State

Bob Evnen74
Robert J. Borer59

Rex Schroder44
For State Treasurer

John Murante102

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Event Calendar

May 20 - Poker Night, 7:00 p.m., Vet's Club
May 21 - Armed Forces Day
May 23 - Poker Night, 7:00 p.m., Vet's Club
May 24 - Stapleton Area Chamber of Commerce meeting, noon, Stapleton Community Center
May 26 - Herbie's Speakeasy tasting, 4-9 p.m. Creative Printers
May 27 - Poker Night, 7:00 p.m., Vet's Club
Sr. Friendship Club, 1:30 p.m., Community Center

Chemigation Permits

Before an irrigator can begin chemigation, state law requires a permit be obtained on an annual basis. Permit fees through the ULNRD are as follows: Renewal - \$30; New - \$60; Special - \$60; and Emergency - \$250. Renewal permits and fees are due to the NRD office no later than 4:00 p.m. CT on June 1. For any producers needing to attend a chemigation class a training opportunity will be held at the NRD office in Thedford on May 26 at 1:00 p.m. CT. There will be more opportunities through UNL Extension.

Weather

DATE	HI	LOW	MT.
7	80	43	0
8	76	49	.72
9	76	49	0
10	74	45	0
11	47	46	0
12	58	54	0
13	58	41	0

Fog was observed on May 7 and May 11. Thunder was recorded on May 7. A wind gust of 71 MPH was recorded at 4:19 p.m. on May 12

Stapleton
Junior Rodeo
Saturday, July 9
9:00 a.m.

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