

The Warrior Weekly

North Union High School

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SPOTLIGHT ON GRADUATES



AnnaMarie Norma Ingalls

AnnaMarie Norma Ingalls was born on April 12th, 1999 in Mason City to her proud parents of Art and Jacki Ingalls. She has three sisters, Autumn, Abby, and Allie.

Anna is involved in multiple school activities at NU: Supporting Players, Art Club, Softball, Volleyball, Marching Band, Show Choir, NHS, Student Council, School Musicals, and Spirit Squad. She is also taking many different classes like, Band, Chemistry, College Writing, Art, Human Relations, Spanish 4, Choir, and Government.

Anna's best high school memory was playing in the state tournament with her softball girls.

The song that always gets stuck in Anna's head is any song by Twenty One Pilots. Traveling is at the top of her bucket list. Anna's favorite quote is, "You are what you love, not who loves you."

After high school Anna plans on attending college and figuring her life out. Anna will miss playing sports, being in musicals, and of course homecoming week.

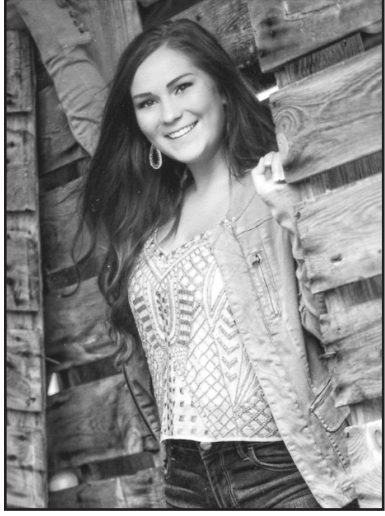
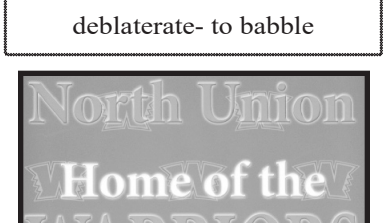
Her most embarrassing high school moment was asking all of the volleyball girls where her snacks went (that she thought she had lost) not knowing they ate them all after she left.

Anna's advice to underclassmen is whenever coach Scheevel says the bus will leave you if you're late- she's not kidding.

Anna's favorite food is BDubs. Her favorite color is blue. Her favorite teaches are Chizek and Wacht. Anna's favorite movie is Inception. Her most used phone app is snapchat. Anna's middle school crush was Jared Larson.

Word of the Week

deblaterate- to babble



Landra Catherine McClellan

Landra Catherine McClellan was born in Akron, Ohio on November 3rd, 1998 to her proud parents, Ken and Shelley McClellan. She has one sister Rory who is a sophomore at North Union.

Landra is currently taking a variety of classes: Ag, Human Relations, Calculous, Spanish 4, Choir, Government, College Writing, and Physics. She has been in numerous school activities as well. She has participated in FFA, National Honor Society, Volleyball, Choir, Dance Team, and the Play.

Landra's best memory throughout high school has been prom. Landra's favorite song is "Hymn for the Weekend" by Coldplay and Beyonce. Her favorite quote is "Be fearless in pursuit of what sets your soul on fire."

After high school, she is going to miss being able to see her friends everyday. Her most embarrassing high school moment was constantly tripping over herself in the halls.

She said this when asked to give advice to underclassmen: "Enjoy high school while you can because it goes by fast".

Landra has a lot of favorite things. Her favorite food is mac n' cheese. Her favorite color is blue, and her favorite day of the week is Friday. She enjoys watching *The Vampire Diaries*. Her favorite movie is *Me Before You*. Landra's favorite phone app is Snapchat. Her favorite teacher is Mrs. Colegrove. Her celebrity crush is Zac Efron and her favorite music artist is The Weeknd. Landra's middle school crush was Jared Larson.

Going to Bora Bora on vacation is on Landra's bucket list. She plans on attending South Dakota State University to major in pre-med.

Trivial Trivia

There are six time zones in Canada.

Baby beavers are called kittens.

Gumbo originated in Louisiana.

April Fools' Day

Taylor Cafranza

April Fools' Day (also known as All Fools' Day) is on Saturday. This day has been known around the world as the day to pull pranks on your friends, family, or coworkers. Even though it's always been known as a 'holiday', it is not a public holiday by any country.

Many different countries have their own April Fools' Day traditions dating back to the 1500's. Some people choose to play it safe and do mild pranks, like putting a whoopee cushion under someone's chair, or popping out from behind a door. Others have been known to go to the extreme. Last year, a famous YouTuber and his friend pretended to kidnap one of their mutual friends. They even went to the extreme as to pretend to kill one of the friends.

If you're wanting to play a small prank on someone, here's some ideas:

- Change the language on someone's phone
- Replace the Oreo filling with toothpaste and offer it to someone
- Swap the men's and ladies' bathroom signs around
- Put food coloring in the soap dispenser

Whether you decide to use one of your ideas, or one of mine, please remember to be safe! Don't do anything illegal or something that could seriously injure someone. Have fun pranking!

Pick-Up Lines:

Are you a campfire? Cause you're hot and I want s'more

I know hello in 6 different languages, which one do you want me to tell you tomorrow?

Are you Stacey's mom? Cause, you've got it going on

Lost Warriors Advice Column

Walter & Wanda

Dear Walter and Wanda, Help! It's getting closer to the end of the year and I'm procrastinating so bad!!! I have no motivation left! What do I do?! I want to finish off the school year strong but all I can seem to focus on is getting out of here! How can I stop this from happening? What do you think I should do??

Sincerely,
Senioritis is Real

Dear Senioritis is Real, It's okay to be feeling this way! I'm sure every senior has a moment of senioritis every once in awhile. Making a To Do List is a good way to help you manage your time and the things you need to do. You're so close to being done you can do this! Try to focus on setting goals you want to get done to help keep yourself busy so you don't procrastinate as much. Taking breaks and going out with friends once in awhile will help as well. Don't overload yourself with things to do so you're not as stressed when the time comes to do them. The more you keep yourself busy with the things that you need to get done the faster it will go and you won't even notice that you are finished!

Yours always,
Walter and Wanda

NU Supporting Players

Eythan Blair

On Thursday, March 23, 2017, the North Union Supporting players held a training day at the Nazareth Lutheran Church in Armstrong, Iowa. The training began at 8:30 in the morning and concluded around 12:45. During this training the group of students reviewed current skits and came up with a few new ones. The Supporting Players perform at Warrior of the Month assemblies held at the high school.

The Supporting Players are planning on going to the elementary in Sentral to perform two skits about respect and bullying. The Supporting Players believe respect and bullying are two of the biggest things that need to be addressed not only in the elementary but in the middle and high school as well.

There are currently 25 members on this year's Supporting Players team. The team is made up of 13 seniors, 9 juniors, and 3 sophomores.

The 13 seniors will perform their own skit Fine Arts nights to honor their last performance. Next year, there are new applications so anyone in the High School can apply and try to become apart of this awesome team. I encourage underclassmen to apply. This has been a great experience and would not trade it for anything in the world.

Fun Holidays

March 29th: Smoke and Mirrors Day

March 30th: Take a Walk in the Park Day

March 31st: Bunsen Burner Day

April 1st: Fun at Work Day

April 2nd: National Peanut Butter and Jelly Day

April 3rd: World Party Day

April 4th: Tell a Lie Day

April 5th: Read a Road Map Day

Beauty and the Beast

Sarah Ingalls

On March 17, 2017, the animated movie, *Beauty and the Beast*, was brought to life for all age groups to enjoy. The movie theater seats began to fill up fast on opening night, and so far the rest of the week has been selling well too. Families and children were impatiently waiting to see how the childhood movie would be played by the cast, as well as what the producers and directors would change.

For the most part, people were pleasantly surprised to see how the childhood movie had been portrayed by the cast, as well as the changes that had been made. Emma Watson, Dan Stevens, and Luke Evans played the main characters Belle, the Beast as well as the Prince, and Gaston. The three main characters, as well as the rest of the cast, shared some uncanny resemblances to the characters in the original animation of the film.

However, there were a few changes made to the new adaption of the film including: backstories for the two main characters, Belle and the Beast, actions made by some of the characters, and a few other changes. The changes made in the new adaption of *Beauty in the Beast* were well done, however, and seemed to make the movie even better.

Just Joking

What did the buffalo say to his son when he left?
Bison

What do you call a camel with no humps?
Humphrey

What's a tree's favorite drink?
Rootbeer

How did the butcher introduce his wife?
Meet Patty

What do a baker and a millionaire have in common?
They are both rolling in dough.

This or That

Here are this week's topics for This or That—all of them are movie based. Watch a movie at home or movie theater, no butter or butter popcorn, scary movie or action movie, Skittles or M & M's, and lastly, pop or a Slurpee.

Here are the results. Between watching a movie at home and going to a movie theater, movie theater won win a score of 7-6.

Butter popcorn is highly preferable than no butter popcorn as butter won with a final score of 12-1.

Action movies won over scary movies with a score of 7-6.

Between M&M's and Skittles, M&M's won with a score of 8-5.

Lastly, pop beat Slurpee with a final score of 8-5. Thanks for reading! Be sure to read again next week.

NCAA Brackets

Nathan Eaton

March Madness is a lot of basketball fans favorite time of year March Madness started out with only 8 teams when it first started in 1939. The field started to expand more and reached 16 teams by 1952 and then expanded to 32 teams in 1975 and eventually to 64 teams in 1985 and the last expansion added 4 more teams to the bracket in 2011.

Through all these years there has never been a perfect bracket. This isn't much of a surprise because the chances of you having a perfect bracket is 1 in 9,223,372,036,854,775,808. Even if you were to fill out a bracket every second it would take you 32 billion years just to fill out all the possibilities. To narrow down all of the different possibilities here are a couple things you can count on happening. All four 1 seeds have never lost to a 16 seed and the 2 seed has only lost to a 15 seed 8 times. You can also usually bank on a 11 seed beating a 6 seed in the first round. Don't get too crazy picking double digit teams to making it to the second weekend only 20 even seeds to make it to the sweet sixteen.

Another thing you can do to help eliminate all of the possibilities is all the 1 seeds have only made the final four one time, but 3 of the 4 number one seeds have made the final four several times. At the end of the day if you find yourself not being able to choose between two teams you might as well just flip a coin.

Trending Tweets:

- #PrayForLondon
- #Lolla
- #TipsForDatingMyEx
- #DeathNote
- #WeAreNotAfraid
- #CaptainUnderpants
- #LoveActually

Warrior Events

Thurs. March 30
COED Varsity Track
Meet @ Algona
High School 4:30

Sat. April 1
April Fools Day

Wed. April 5
2:00 Dismissal
Teacher Inservice

Special Olympics Results

Sam Hagedorn

On March 10th, an assembly took place to send off the Warrior Special Olympics team as they went to state. Coach Mary Gelhaus gave a speech about how hard her students worked to be able to compete at the state level. To send the students off in style, a tunnel was created that the Special Olympics team could run through. They were all smiles as they went through it.

The students that participated on March 11th in Iowa City were Sami Marte and Derrick Hagedorn. The two students traveled to Iowa City along with their coach and para, Hayley Walstead. They stayed overnight in a hotel as the competition was early the next morning.

On Saturday, the athletes competed and did very well. Sami Marte placed 3rd and Derrick Hagedorn placed 2nd. Both of the students had a lot of people competing in their divisions.

Track and Field is right around the corner. The athletes will be competing in the following events: running, standing and running long jump, softball throw. There is a possibility that they will be throwing shot put as well. Districts will be held on April 6th in Spirit Lake. In order to compete at state, the Warrior individuals will have to place 1st.

Good Luck Warriors!

The Artist's Corner

Cody Geerdes Advanced Art 4 student works on his wood burning project with Advaced Artisit Katie Ortman giving advice.

