

HOMECOMING

The Dance

by Hailey Shepherd

It can be difficult to get excited about coming back to school after summer break. One of the things that most high schoolers look forward to is homecoming and all of the festivities that come along with it; especially the dance.

The dance is a source of great excitement for Freshman, as it's their first chance to participate. When asked about her favorite part, Freshman Ruby Clark responded saying, "It was my first year at homecoming, and I enjoyed just being there in the atmosphere."

During this year's dance I watched almost everyone join in the line dances. They created several rows of students dancing, laughing, and enjoying their time with their friends. However, while she enjoyed the dance overall, Ruby did mention, "We would have liked more songs like the cupid shuffle, more songs that we could dance to." When asked his thoughts on the music that was played, Senior Porter Brown stated he would have preferred, "more slow songs." It was disappointing for many couples that only two slow songs were played.

Many people agreed that the decorations were a major



highlight. Ruby said, "The decorations were really pretty and went well with the overall theme of the dance," Junior Gordon Yu said, "They were cool especially since I helped a bit." There were a lot of opportunities to take beautiful pictures with the decorations. Those who put everything together and planned out the theme did a wonderful job.

Overall, public opinion seems to be that this year's dance was a success! Students enjoyed the experience, spending time and dancing with their friends. Sophomore Amelia Campbell said, "My favorite part was probably the line dances and just being able to hang out with friends." I would like to thank Mrs. Miller, the Student Council, and all those who helped plan and put it together.

The Game

Contributions by Ethan Thornton

The football team earned another victory in Thursday's homecoming game against rival team Catholic Central! The final score was 38-13 and the game was featured on Thursday Night Lights so click on over to dayton247now.com if you missed it. The crowd seemed heavily invested in the game which went on as Mr. Weem's had announced at the pep rally, "Rain or Shine." A member of the color guard, Courtney Haschke, remarked, "It was fun but we didnt get to play our Halftime show." Band member Avery Bear had this to say about the game, "Despite the rain, the energy was still good and we made some very energizing sounds."



The Court

Each year, High School Students around the country vote for individuals that embody the character traits their communities hold dear and ask that they be equal to the task of acting as role models for their fellow students.

Congratulations to Queen, Tara Feehan, and King, Michael Lipscomb who were crowned at Thursday night's game. And congratulations to the rest of the Homecoming court and class representatives. After the votes were tallied, these students were found to be Knights with VALOR!

Apple Butter Festival

by Ethan Thornton

With the Apple Butter Festival on the horizon it's important to understand the history behind the event. The first Enon Apple Butter Festival started 43 years ago back in 1980, as a fundraiser (believe it or not) for the Enon Historical Society. Which then turned into a fundraiser for the non-profit organizations in Enon.

The Event will be held on the 14-15th of October, and admission is free. Parking is also free (but good luck finding a space). "The Historical Society makes apple butter the old-fashioned way in five, 50-gallon copper kettles, cooked over open wood-burning fires" (Enon Community Historical Society). The Apple butter is stirred until the afternoon where you can then buy it. But if you can't buy Apple Butter at the moment and/or don't want to stand in line, don't worry! You can buy it from the Enon Historical Society in jars.

Other food such as pulled pork will be available. There will also be lots of stands with authentically homemade crafts because manufactured goods are not allowed to be sold at the event.

The Greenon Marching Band and Choir are performing on opening day around 10:00 am. Make sure you show up to see them perform! So come support a good cause and enjoy delicious Apple Butter!



The Pep Rally

Contributions by Ethan Thornton

Before the big game, Greenon Knight's held their annual Pep Rally in the school gym. We got to see performances from the band, cheerleaders, and even some of our favorite teachers. There were many highlights including seeing respected adults get a pie to the face and a very competitive game of musical chairs. Band member Kylie Drayer said, "Pep rallies are fun and a good way to bring everybody together. I think the music and the games are really fun and a good way to get people excited for football games or anything going on." It's a good way to take a break from academics." Indeed, most of the students seemed eager for the break from studying and a chance to show their school spirit. Josh Haught said, "They are pretty cool. It's a good way to bring attention to sports or certain activities to school or bring awareness to certain things." Overall, a good time was had by all and it was better than being in class.



Sports Update

According to Mr. Weems, "In Boys Golf, Griffin Turner scored #1 overall at Sectionals. The Volleyball team has 8 wins which is the most since 2019! In Girls Soccer, Sarah Riley is 2nd in conference with 21 goals. In Boys Soccer, Kalebe Goodbar is 6th in conference with 8 goals. In Girls Golf, Lily Patrick is 5th and Kaity Fields is 8th in highest point totals in OHC. In XC, Ruby Clark won Clark County Championship and set the new meet record. In Tennis: Tara Feehan and Lanie Stratton, are 1st team All-Conference."

Newspaper Club

by Gordon Yu

This is the first issue of the Knight's Newspaper to be published by the newly formed Newspaper Club. We have a lot of plans for the 2023-24 school year! Join the Newspaper Club to improve writing skills, get involved in school, have fun, and enhance your college resume. There are many ways members can contribute to the newspaper. We meet every Monday after school in room 1225 and plan to publish every other week. Contact the Staff Advisor Rachel Riley for more information on joining. Hope to see you there!

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