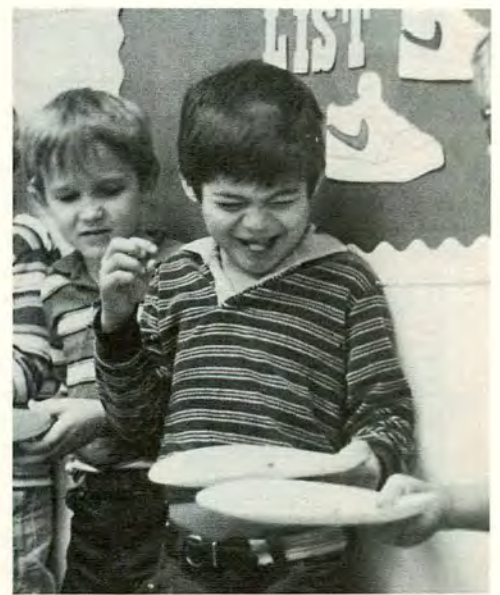
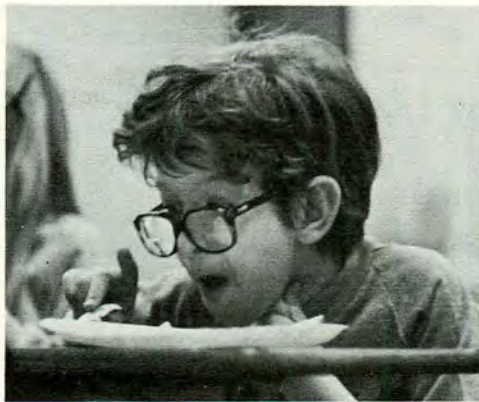


**A picture was worth a thousand words at the Briarglen Elementary first grade tasting party.**



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*From the Superintendent's Desk*

## Growth In Student Population Continues

**Dr. Wesley Jarman**

Union Public Schools are continuing their growth in student population. Our final count at the end of the 1981-82 school year was 6140.7 students in average daily attendance. At the end of the first semester of the 1982-83 school year the A.D.A. is 6586 or an increase of 445.44 students. This is a percentage raise of 7.25. Keep in mind these numbers are A.D.A. which means all the absences have been taken off. The enrollment is a much higher number and is in the 7000 student range.

We will be sending to you very soon a couple of questionnaires dealing with your opinions about (1) leveling of students in the elementary school and (2) poll of the Community Toward Education (PACE).

## Irvin Signs Letter of Intent



A dream came true recently for Union senior, Kyle Irvin. For several years he could visualize himself running down the ramp at an O.U. football game onto the field with thousands of on-lookers. Irvin has signed a national letter of intent to play football with the Oklahoma Sooners. In August he will move to Norman to join a slate of nationwide freshmen recruits at Owen Field.

Irvin is the only Union athlete who has achieved the status of a four year letterman in football and baseball since the school began competing at Class 4A and 5A levels. Union's winningest quarterback over a four year period and a member of the West All-State team has followed in the footsteps of his father, Don Irvin.

The elder Irvin, Director of Elementary Education at Union schools, was an All-State running back at Poteau High School in 1954. After graduation, he went directly to a Brooklyn Dodger minor league baseball team for two years before quitting to pursue a college education at Northeastern State University.

The decision was a tough one for Kyle. "I made my decision by looking at where I felt I could have the best job opportunities after school," he said. "My whole family lives in Oklahoma and they want me to stay here. I want to stay here so they can see me play."

***Not everything that is faced  
can be changed, but nothing  
can be changed until it is faced.***

The leveling issue will need to be addressed hopefully prior to the 1983-84 school year. Prior to last year, students were leveled according to academic ability by grade into 4-5 levels depending on the size of the class. Students in lower levels were placed in smaller classes and students in higher levels were in a larger class. Last year we changed the concept and divided the classes thusly: If a class had 100 students for instance, we took the top 50 and divided them equally into two classes of 25 each and the lower 50 were placed into two classes of 25 each.

We began a pilot program at Darnaby Elementary this year for the second and third grades. We placed these students in a heterogeneous group. Which means, that these students were randomly selected without regard to their academic ability. The purpose of the experiment was to see if this kind of approach was better for students. We have attempted to level students in reading and math and have encouraged intermingling of groups in Art, Music, P.E., etc.

We hope that we will be able to clarify the desires of parents, teachers, administrators and the board of education, and formulate a policy that will apply district wide.

It is difficult in a district our size to have more than one approach in our elementary program. A student should be able to move from one of our schools to another in our district and be able to continue in the same curriculum.

The other survey, PACE, will sample some of your opinions about the school district and its services to the community. These will be random selections from the computer list so it will be very important for each recipient to make an effort to answer the questions according to your persuasion and promptly return to the Administrative Center. We will make it convenient as possible for you.

It is the desire of The Union Board of Education and the Administrative Staff to make the schools as effective as is possible. Your input is invaluable in helping us make decisions that will accomplish this task.

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## Employees Recognized For Job Dedication

Educator of the Month is Tonya Rozell, third grade teacher at Grove Elementary.

Tonya has been employed with Union schools for 1½ years.

Her fellow teachers describe her as a true pro who is flexible, patient and always positive.

The beginning of the school year began with construction nearing completion on some classrooms at Grove Elementary. Ms. Rozell's room was one not finished. Instead of making this a negative situation, she created a learning experience for her students. Classes were held outside on a few sunny days, in the media center and on stage!

Ms. Rozell now has a classroom - but that hasn't hampered her zest for teaching or her students' desire to learn.

She's a real "trooper". Teachers like this are what make Union a special place.

Sally Reibert, nurse at Boevers Elementary, was selected Employee of the Month.

Mrs. Reibert has been employed with Union Schools for seven years. In that time, she has organized and taught special programs to students besides doing her regular duties.

One of Sally's major projects is the annual Monique Webb Blood Drive held at Boevers Elementary. Boevers was the first elementary school in the area to sponsor a blood drive. The event has been a tremendous success each year.

Mrs. Reibert always has a smile and a kind word to share with those around her. Her total dedication to her profession and students are perfect examples of Union Pride.



Pictured from left: Sally Reibert, Employee of the Month; and Tonya Rozell, Educator of the Month.

## Resource Center Helps Students Learn

A unique resource center for learning disabled adolescents has been developed at Union Junior High under the direction of teachers Donna Garrison and Debbi Wolin.

The idea for the center took root after Union schools participated in an inservice program provided by the Oklahoma Secondary Learning Disabilities Project located in Cushing, Oklahoma. Elaine Minson, Union Special Services Director, adopted the Cushing Project and received federal funds to help implement it. Through initial inservice and follow-up, the program provides teachers with proven methods for serving the secondary level learning disabled adolescent. Individual and group teaching techniques, special materials, and help in the areas of mainstreaming, grading, and effective education are a part of the Oklahoma LD Project.

The idea for the center was conceived by incorporating ideas used by the Cushing Project as well as developing many original ideas specifically designed for Union students.

The center, located in Mrs. Garrison's classroom, is equipped with learning stations for math, science, language arts and social studies. Most of the textbooks have been taped (tape-recorders and headphones abound), and the books have also been color-coded (a special technique of highlighting terms, definitions and concepts in textbooks).

The room is also equipped with a computer. Instructors Donna Garrison and Debbi Wolin have developed a file where special content area study guides have been developed and tests have been re-written at lower readability levels.

Special programs within Union Public Schools are continually seeking ways to expand and improve services to students with special needs. The new resource center is a beaming example of the dedication and interest Union teachers have for their students.





# Grandparents Get Special Day At School



They arrived at the school with smiles and eyes searching for the familiar grin of their grandchild. It was Grandparents Day at Peters Elementary. Over 200 grandmas and grandads came to school for special tours and lunch with their grandchildren. They praised schoolwork and met their grandchild's special friends who "come over to play".

Principal Joe Eidson was on hand to greet the grandparents. He said the goal of this special day was to share -share friends, share time and share that unique love of a child and a grandparent.

Needless to say the day was a tremendous success. The grandparents left the school exactly like they arrived with a smile and a warm halo of love and caring.



## Music Departments Prepare For Competition

By  
**Ed Tackett**  
*Director of Fine Arts*

During March, the music departments of our secondary schools will begin their contest schedule. These contests involve vocal and instrumental soloists, ensembles, and concert groups. For the past two months, our music departments have intensified their efforts to prepare for these pre-district, district and state contests.

On March 5, soloists and ensembles from the high school and junior high school along with the junior high school concert choir will compete in district contests at Sapulpa. On March 31, the high school concert groups will participate in state competition at Tulsa University.

March 11, concert bands from the Seventh Grade Center and the junior high school will be competing in the district solo and ensemble contest at Jenks High School.

Our high school concert band will compete in a state contest on April 5 in Stillwater.

All of our bands have planned for pre-district adjudication at either the Blue-White Festival or the Webster pre-district contest.

Last month, the high school concert band gave a concert featuring Irv Wagner of the University of Oklahoma. This concert was also the Band Queen coronation.

Janice Payne won second place in Women's Extemp and third place honors in Poetry at the Memorial High School Speech Tournament in February.

Five members of our outstanding high school competitive speech team have qualified to compete in regional speech competition on March 25 and 26. These students are: Janice Payne who qualified in Women's Extemp,

Poetry, and Debate, Nicci Simmons who qualified in Original Oratory, and Ken Dugan who qualified in Men's Extemp and Debate.

The Union Junior High School Speech Department will present "Prime Time Crime", their first production of the year on March 3 and 4 in the junior high school commons. Tickets will be available at the door at \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for students.

Briarglen Elementary School Vocal Music Department will present the musical "Wheels" on April 6 in the Briarglen gym. There is no charge for this production.

Art works from two schools will be displayed in the Union Schools Administrative Center reception area during the month of March. Art works from the Seventh Grade Center will be on display during the week of March 14-18, and art works from Briarglen Elementary School will be shown during the week of March 28 - April 1. You are invited to view these works between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. daily.

Children from the cast of the touring musical "Annie" visited Peters Elementary School February 9. This visit allowed our students a close up look at these child actors. Our students were allowed to ask questions of the cast members about the life of a traveling actor.

Award winners in the Young Talent in Oklahoma Competition include two Union High School students, Eric Snodgrass and Lisa Mason. Eric won a cash award for his work and Lisa received an alternate scholarship award for her works. Lisa was honored to have all of her works accepted for competition and adjudication.



## October 1, 1982 Membership Report Tulsa County Public Schools (K-12)

District	1968		1981		1982		Gain or Loss Since '68	% Change Since '68
	Memb.	% *	Memb.	% *	Memb.	% *		
Berryhill	798	0.8	657	0.7	659	0.7	- 139	- 17.4
Bixby	1,378	1.4	2,504	2.8	2,446	2.7	+ 1,068	77.5
Broken Arrow	3,633	3.7	11,197	12.3	11,728	12.8	+ 8,095	222.8
Collinsville	1,321	1.3	1,805	2.0	1,774	1.9	+ 453	34.3
Glenpool	270	0.3	831	0.9	1,045	1.1	+ 775	287.0
Jenks	1,528	1.6	6,188	6.8	6,412	7.0	+ 4,884	319.6
Keystone	147	0.1	343	0.4	358	0.4	+ 211	143.5
Leonard	75	0.1	74	0.1	75	0.1	0	0.0
Liberty	250	0.3	598	0.7	623	0.7	+ 373	149.2
Mingo	162	0.2	210	0.2	188	0.2	+ 26	16.0
Owasso	1,889	1.9	3,753	4.1	3,929	4.3	+ 2,040	108.0
Sand Springs	4,447	4.5	5,560	6.1	5,555	6.0	+ 1,108	24.9
Skiatook	990	1.0	1,400	1.5	1,510	1.6	+ 520	52.5
Sperry	636	0.6	927	1.0	938	1.0	+ 302	47.5
Tulsa	80,115	81.4	48,618	53.4	47,804	52.1	- 32,311	- 40.3
Union	738	0.8	6,373	7.0	6,799	7.4	+ 6,061	821.3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>98,377</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>91,038</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>91,843</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>- 6,534</b>	<b>- 6.6</b>

\*Represents percentage of total county membership in each district.

Paul McCloud, Associate Superintendent  
Instructional Support Services  
Tulsa Public Schools

February 8, 1983

## TV PARTICIPANT FORM

Please complete this form and return to your school's principal's office in order to participate in the TV Viewing Skills Workshop. The first meeting will be held on April 5, 1983 at 7:30 p.m. at the Administration Center Cafeteria. A follow-up meeting will be held same time, same place on April 11, 1983. Please make plans to attend both meetings.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

# of Family Members \_\_\_\_\_

Ages of Children \_\_\_\_\_

Average # of hours TV is turned on (daily) \_\_\_\_\_

Average # of hours spent viewing TV (daily) \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member #1 \_\_\_\_\_ #2 \_\_\_\_\_ #3 \_\_\_\_\_

#4 \_\_\_\_\_ #5 \_\_\_\_\_ #6 \_\_\_\_\_



## Biographies Come To Life



Bryan Wilkerson dressed the part of his biography report, Ben Franklin, for a class assignment.

Seated at the desks were such characters as Ben Franklin, Golda Meir, Winston Churchill, and Broadway Joe Namath. There was a nervous silence in this sixth grade classroom. Their project was to read a biography, dress the part and be prepared for an interview with their teacher, Patti Pitcock.

However, these Boevers Elementary students needed not sweat their "turn". They answered the questions with ease and a shakey confidence.

Everyone in the class benefited from the project. Interesting details about each character in the biographies were remembered. Ever wonder why Jesse James always wore gloves? Marc Becknell who read the biography proudly informed fellow students of the missing fingers the bandit possessed and covered with gloves in order to not be identified.

Bryan Wilkerson reported on Ben Franklin. Wilkerson took his role seriously dressed in knickers, knee socks, wire-rimmed glasses and tin foil buckles on his shoes. He knew the book well. Wilkerson told classmates Ben Franklin was an American ambassador devoting most of his life for the good of man.

Golda Meir "visited the class". Winston Churchill "dropped" in...any many more celebrities were scheduled to grace the classroom in the next few days.

The project was not only a literature assignment, but a step towards adulthood, and what it's like to speak to a group.

## Board Elects Officers

The annual reorganization of the Union Board of Education took place at the February school board meeting.

Vaughn Brower was elected board president. He has served as board clerk for the past two years.

Harold Reed was elected vice-president. Reed was elected to the school board last year.

Board clerk is Alison Moore. Mrs. Moore has held the offices of president, vice-president and clerk in previous years.

The board unanimously approved rehiring all administrative directors, principals, assistant principals, associate superintendents and assistant superintendents. This is a routine procedure done at the first board meeting after the January election.

## Spelling Bee Set

The Union District-wide Spelling Bee is scheduled for 3:45 p.m. March 30 at Roy Clark Elementary.

Over 5500 students in grades 1-8 within the Union district are eligible to participate in the competition.

Eight finalists will participate in the District-wide event. (One from each school) The winner of this competition will represent Union at the Northeast Spelling Bee held at the Assembly Center. All finalists from Tulsa County will compete for the Northeast championship. The NE winner will win an all expense paid trip to Washington D.C. representing Oklahoma at the National Spelling Bee.

Two years ago, Union Junior High student Joyce Thom won the Oklahoma championship representing our state at the national competition.

**Boys and girls of six and sixteen  
are always alert. At six they know  
all the questions. At sixteen they  
know all the answers.**

**Do you know a handicapped child in your neighborhood who may not be receiving special services?  
Call 252-3561  
Elaine Minson, Director, Special Services**

## Seventh Grade Orientation for Parents

The transition from sixth grade to seventh grade is a change students and parents can and should prepare for. A special orientation is designed to brief parents of sixth grade students about seventh grade expectations. Understanding curriculum, class schedules, electives and other relevant topics will be the subject of the orientation.

The presentation will be given by Seventh Grade Center principal, Art Naylor and the head of each department.

Sessions have been scheduled for each elementary school as follows:

March 1 —	Peters Elementary 7:00 p.m.
March 3 —	Briarglen Elementary 7:00 p.m.
March 8 —	Clark Elementary 7:00 p.m.
March 10 —	Darnaby Elementary 7:00 p.m.
March 14 —	Grove Elementary 7:00 p.m.
March 15 —	Boevers Elementary 7:00 p.m.

Rumors effect our daily lives and complicate work production. If you hear a rumor and want to check its truth, call Rumor Control 252-3561. It's Working!





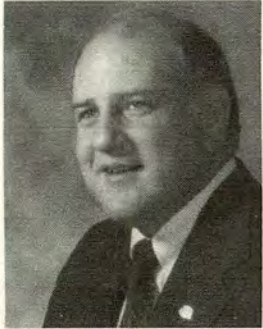
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Sun.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat.
		<b>1</b> Grove-Operation Aware Parents Meeting 7:00pm <b>Briarglen</b> -Career Week PTA/Skateworld 4-6:00pm <b>Boevers</b> -Gymnastics Program 10:15am <b>Peters</b> -Operation Aware 6th Grade 8:40-9:40am (every Tuesday & Thursday in March) / Operation Aware 5th Grade 9:40-10:10am (every Tuesday & Thursday in March) / Operation Aware field trip to Hillcrest 9:00-11:00am / 7th grade orientation for 6th grade parents 7:00pm <b>Elementary Basketball Tournament</b> -High School & Jr. High <b>High School</b> -Math Contest <b>High School</b> -VICA District Leadership Contest	<b>2</b> Admn. Center-PTA Executive Board/ Council Meeting 9:30am <b>Boevers</b> -Science Fair projects to school <b>Jr. High</b> -"Prime Time Crime" Play 1:00pm <b>High School</b> -Jazz & Chorolettes Downtown Rotary Club 12:00pm	<b>3</b> <b>Boevers</b> -Science Fair projects to school <b>Damaby</b> -Operation Aware Parents Meeting 7:30pm <b>Peters</b> -Operation Aware Parents Meeting 7:00pm / Operation Aware Field Trip to Hillcrest 9:00-11:00am <b>Clark</b> -PTA Board Meeting 1:30pm - Conference Room <b>Briarglen</b> -7th grade orientation for 6th grade parents 7:00pm <b>Grove</b> -CPR Class 6:00-9:00pm <b>Jr. High</b> -"Prime Time Crime" Play 7:30pm <b>High School</b> -Big Family Rock-A-Thon 4:00-12:00pm / PTSA Executive Board Meeting 7:30-8:30pm - Media Center	<b>4</b> <b>No School</b> Staff Development <b>Jr. High</b> -"Prime Time Crime" Play 7:30pm <b>High School</b> -FBLA-PBL State Leadership Conference <b>High School</b> -Debate-Ponca City High School	<b>5</b> Grove-School Carnival at Jr. High 5:00-9:00pm <b>Jr. High</b> -Concert Choir contest at Sapulpa <b>High School</b> -FBLA-PBL Leadership Conference <i>Continued Below</i>
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Admn. Center-Board Meeting 7:00pm <b>Clark</b> -Faculty Meeting 3:25pm <b>Boevers</b> -Judging of Science Fair <b>Briarglen</b> -Vocal Music Department Production "Wheels" <b>Jr. High</b> -PTA Seminar 7:00-9:30pm <b>Baseball</b> -Union vs Edison here 3:30pm Union Jr. Varsity vs Edison there 3:30pm	<b>8</b> <b>Briarglen</b> -Operation Aware Parents Meeting 7:30pm / Operation Aware Field Trip to St. Francis 8:45am <b>Boevers</b> -PTA Meeting - Awards presented for Science Fair at 7:30pm <b>Clark</b> -7th grade orientation for 6th grade parents 7:00pm <b>Baseball</b> -Union vs Rogers here 3:30pm Union Jr. Varsity vs Rogers there 3:30pm	<b>9</b> PTA day at the legislature <b>Admn. Center</b> -Frontier Conference Meeting <b>High School</b> -Chorolettes-NE Campus TJC 12:00pm <b>High School</b> -Youth Alive 11:00am & 12:00pm <b>Head Coach Staff Meeting</b> -High School 7:30pm <b>Tennis</b> -Union vs Sapulpa here 3:00pm <b>Golf</b> -Union, Owasso, Bixby, Okmulgee -Mohawk #2	<b>10</b> <b>Peters</b> -PTA Skating Party at Roller City 3:30-5:30pm <b>Grove</b> -PTA Board Meeting at 1:00pm <b>CPR</b> Class 6:00-9:00pm <b>Damaby</b> -7th grade orientation for 6th grade parents 7:00pm <b>High School</b> -Senior Assembly at 10:25am <b>Golf</b> -Union, Bixby, Catoosa - Page Belcher 3:00pm <b>Volleyball</b> -Union vs Broken Arrow there 5:00pm <b>Baseball</b> -Union vs Hale here 3:30pm Jr. Varsity vs Hale there 3:30pm <b>Tennis</b> -Union, Cascia Hall, Monte Casino here 3:00pm	<b>11</b> <b>Briarglen</b> -PTA Meeting - Chili Supper & Bingo 6:30pm <b>Clark</b> -PTA Popcorn Sales <b>Jr. High</b> -Concert Band Contest at Jenks <b>High School</b> -Senior all school dance 8:00pm <b>Track</b> -Union at Central <b>Baseball</b> -Union at Jenks 2:00pm	<b>12</b> <b>Boevers</b> -PTA Carnival 5:30-8:30pm; Chili Supper 5:00-7:00pm <b>Jr. High</b> -Solo, Ensemble Contest at Jenks <b>High School</b> -PTSA Arts & Crafts 10:00am-4:00pm <b>Gymnastics</b> -USGF Class II- State-OK School of Gymnastics (all day)
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <b>Grove</b> -PTA Meeting / Career Education week / 7th grade orientation for 6th grade parents 7:00pm <b>Boevers</b> -PTA Skating Party 6:00-8:00pm <b>Golf</b> -Union, Jenks, Bixby, Owasso - Page Belcher 3:00pm <b>Baseball</b> -Union at Bixby here 3:30pm Jr. Varsity at Halkey <b>Tennis</b> -Union vs Okmulgee there 2:30pm	<b>15</b> <b>Clark</b> -5th grade Musical 7:00pm <b>Damaby</b> -5th & 6th grade Musical 7:00pm <b>Briarglen</b> -Spelling Bee <b>Boevers</b> -7th grade orientation for 6th grade parents 7:00pm <b>Track</b> -Union at Rogers <b>Volleyball</b> -Union vs East Central here 6:00pm <b>Baseball</b> -Union vs Holland Hall here 4:00pm <b>Tennis</b> -Union vs Collinsville here 3:00pm	<b>16</b> Admn. Center-PTA Council Meeting 9:30am <b>Clark</b> -PTA Skating Party 6:00-8:00pm <b>Briarglen</b> -PTA Council tour of schools <b>High School</b> -Youth Alive at 11:00am & 12:00pm <b>Baseball</b> -Union vs East Central here 3:30pm Jr. Varsity vs East Central there 3:30pm <b>Volleyball</b> -Union vs Kelly here 4:00pm <b>Tennis</b> -Union vs Owasso here	<b>17</b> <b>Clark</b> -6th grade Musical 7:00pm <b>High School</b> -Vocational Employers Banquet-Hilton-11:30am Band Concert - Commons - 7:30pm <b>Golf</b> -Union, Owasso, Bixby - Mohawk #2 3:00pm <i>St. Patrick's Day</i>	<b>18</b> <i>End of Third Quarter</i> <b>Clark</b> -Staff Luncheon <b>Peters</b> -All School Film, "Where the Red Fern Grows" <b>Baseball</b> -Union vs McAlester there 5:00pm Jr. Varsity vs McAlester there 3:00pm	<b>19</b> <b>Baseball</b> -Union vs McAlester there McAlester O'Brien Jr. Varsity vs McAlester O'Brien 1:00pm <b>Track</b> -Jr. High Union Invitational
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> <b>High School</b> -Regional Speech & Debate Tournament	<b>26</b> <b>High School</b> -Regional Speech & Debate Tournament
<div>← Spring Break →</div>						
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <i>Start of Fourth Quarter</i> <b>Grove</b> -PTA Meeting 7:00pm Election of Officers, Program on "Television" <b>Jr. High</b> -Practice "Bye Bye Birdie" 3:00-7:30pm <b>Baseball</b> -Jr. Varsity vs Sand Springs there 3:30pm <b>Tennis</b> -Union vs Collinsville here 3:00pm	<b>29</b> <b>Elementary</b> -Grade Cards Issued <b>Clark</b> -District Spelling Bee - Gym 3:45pm <b>Briarglen</b> -4th grade dental health <b>High School</b> -Youth Alive at 11:00am & 12:00pm <b>Golf</b> -Union, Kelly, Jenks, Edison - Page Belcher 3:00pm <b>Volleyball</b> -Union vs Broken Arrow here 6:00pm	<b>30</b> <b>Damaby</b> -PTA Meeting and Science Fair 7:30pm <b>Boevers</b> -PTA 4th grade Smoking Program 12:00-3:00pm <b>High School</b> -State Concert Choir Contest Chorolettes at Fairgrounds 6:30pm <b>Golf</b> -Metro Tournament - Mohawk #1 <b>Tennis</b> -Holland Hall JV there	<b>31</b> <b>Volleyball</b> -Union at Hale 6:00pm <b>Track</b> -Jr. High vs Sand Springs there		<b>5th Continued</b> <b>High School</b> -Debate-Ponca City High School <b>Jr. &amp; Sr. High</b> -Solo and Ensemble Competition at Sapulpa High School all day <b>Gymnastics</b> -USGF Class III- State-Gym Queens (all day) <b>Track</b> Meet at Jenks
	<div>← Metro Tennis Tournament at Memorial →</div>			<div>← Union Baseball Tournament →</div>		



**Redskin Talk**

# Spring Sports Begin



**Gil Cloud**  
**Director of Athletics**

The spring season is in full swing and all the athletes are preparing for their respective seasons.

Baseball season will open March 7 with the Redskins hosting Edison. On the 8th we will host Rogers and the 10th we will host Hale. The Union Tournament beginning March 28th will be the highlight of the season and continue to April 2nd at the Union diamond.

The golf season begins on March 9 as the Redskins will play Owasso and Bixby at Mohawk #2. The golfer's home course is LaFortune, but during the season they will play at Mohawk, LaFortune, Indian Springs and Page Belcher. The Redskins will point to two tournaments this year as they will play in the Metro Tournament on March 30th at Mohawk and the Frontier Conference at LaFortune on April 20th.

The tennis team opens their season on March 9th with Sapulpa. The team will play their home matches at Haikey Creek Park. The conference tournament will be held at Ponca City on April 15th. The 10 matches scheduled will conclude on April 23rd in preparation for the Regional Tournament on April 25th here in Tulsa.

The Redskins girls volleyball team will open their season at Broken Arrow on March 10th. Their 10 match schedule will additionally include the Metro Tournament at Memorial on April 11th. The Frontier Conference tournament will be April

12th at Jenks.

Track, which will field the most participants, will begin on March 5th at Jenks. The conference meet will be held at Sand Springs on April 30th with the regional meet to follow on May 7th in Tulsa.

The Junior High Track season will include three dual meets as well as five invitationals to conclude on April 23rd with the Arkansas Valley Conference Meet at Sapulpa.

The Seventh Annual Elementary Track Meet will be held on May 10th at the high school stadium and track. This annual meet is the spring event for the elementary physical education classes in grades 4-6. Over 700 elementary students participate each year for the coveted Superintendent's Cup and individual grade level 1st place trophies.

## COMMENT

The spring sports season is always subject to change because of the rains and cold weather in the spring. If you have questions relative to cancellation or rescheduling of events, please call our office at 252-3561 so that we can answer your questions.

Support the spring sports program as the students who participate are just as intense in the competition as any of the others we have in a sports program.



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