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To: USD 289 BOE

From: Brad Burkdoll/AD

Wellsville HS has tremendous success in our activities programs since Spring Break. I truly believe both our activities and athletics teams have students and sponsors that strive for success! Now that we are beginning to prepare for graduation, our staff and sponsors should feel proud of the incredible accomplishments of our 2017 graduating class!

- 1) Wellsville FBLA was named Kansas Chapter of the Year for the second consecutive year. This award was based on state contest points, as well as activities participated in throughout the year. Wellsville will be sending 17 students to FBLA Nationals in Anaheim this summer! Twenty-four students placed in the Top Ten in their respective contests. Finally, Taylor Cunningham submitted the winning pin design for the Kansas FBLA trading pins at nationals this summer.
- 2) Wellsville is taking 54 students to the State Music at Southeast Saline HS on April 29th! Both the band and choir students received a 1 rating at State Large Groups in Louisburg on April 12th.
- 3) WHS has three students that have qualified for State Speech and Drama. Allison Farquhar, Julia Lindsey, and Kaitlin King will represent WHS on May 6th in Kansas City.
- 4) HS and MS cheer tryouts were April 10th and 12th. We have 10 middle school cheerleaders and 9 girls representing the high school for the 2017-2018 school year.
- 5) We host the 33rd Annual Red Bud Relays on Friday, May 5th. WHS also hosts the Pioneer League meet on Thursday, May 11th. The MS league meet is May 4th at Prairie View.
- 6) Graduation is scheduled for May 13th at 2:00 pm. The Wall of Fame induction will follow at 4:00 pm. Wellsville Middle School Awards Night is Wednesday, May 17th at 6:30 pm.
- 7) Regional Baseball is May 15th and 17th at Central Heights. Regional Softball will be played May 15th and 16th in Wathena. Regional Track will be held on Friday, May 19th in Fredonia at 3:00 pm. Finally, Regional Golf is May 15th in Erie.