

# *Knight Writer*

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## Senior Spotlights

by Jacey Peters

Donovan Fogarty is the son of Michaela and Jonathon Carlin. He has two siblings. Donovan was born May 10, 2006. The reason Donovan likes being at Homer is how small the school and community is. His favorite subject is work release; Donovan doesn't have a favorite school lunch because he has college class during lunch time. He participated in golf all four years of high school and football junior year. Donovan's most memorable moment was when Dustin Jump ran his truck through the shop room door due to not having brakes. After graduation he plans to go to Northeast Community College for Agricultural Business.

Jocelyn Hightree is the daughter of Bret and Kristin Hightree. She was born March 16, 2006. Jocelyn likes that Homer is such a small school and how everyone knows everyone. Her favorite lunch is pasta. Jocelyn's favorite subject is math; her favorite teacher was Mrs. Pietz. Throughout high school she has participated in volleyball, basketball, track, dance, speech, one act, student council, band, and dance. Her most memorable moment during high school was during freshman year in P.E when Mateo punched Tru in the face. After high school Jocelyn will attend UNL to become a Physical Therapist.

Mauric Ford-Davis is the son of Dario and Angela Ford-Davis. He was born April 26, 2006. His favorite thing about Homer is that he has gone here since kindergarten and enjoys playing sports. Mauric's favorite school lunch is Mac n Cheese. His favorite teacher is Mr. Dziurawiec, while his most enjoyed subject is History of Rock n Roll with Mr. Hightree. During high school he participated in track, golf, and football. Mauric's favorite high school memory is when Mr. Hightree hit the gritty in the locker room after the boys beat Lawton-Bronson. After high school, Mauric plans to go to Northeast Community College for Golf Course Management.



## November Birthdays

by Liam Vavra

ViviElle Barclay 11/02/23  
Karson Bisson 11/02/23  
Waverly Barclay 11/02/23  
Tori Walker 11/02/23  
Branden Wentzel 11/02/23  
Brody Raff 11/03/23  
Evan Linscott 11/03/23  
Kyrle In The Woods 11/04/23  
Alayna Jensen 11/06/23  
Elizabeth Stroot 11/07/23  
Caylee Dismore 11/07/23  
Mason Carmen 11/08/23  
Josephine Doehoefer 11/08/23  
Jaden Painter 11/08/23  
Ryleese Kearnes 11/09/23  
Beckett Barclay 11/11/23  
Lillian Otterpohl 11/12/23  
Hunter Probst 11/12/23  
Zakaya Cutting 11/13/13  
Briella Thomas 11/14/23  
Wallace JR Earth 11/14/23  
Bernard Juarez 11/14/23  
Jermalin Dahker 11/16/23  
Waylon Barclay 11/18/23  
Takira Ickler 11/18/23  
Cruz Kearnes 11/20/23  
Julianne Bouquest 11/21/23  
Natali Cardasis 11/22/23  
Tayleigh Denker 11/22/23  
Lennon Driggers 11/23/23  
Taiah Bird 11/23/23  
Eimile Jessen 11/24/23  
Adelyn Gubbles 11/25/23  
Julianna Orozco 11/26/23  
Linus Smith 11/28/23

Ethan Roberts 11/29/23  
Brandon Sun 11/29/23



### *KnightWriter Staff*

# Wrestling Schedule

## High School

Dec 2, 2023, 9:30 AM – Girls & Boys @ Creighton Tournament

Dec 5, 2023, 6:00 PM – Girls & Boys vs. Wakefield

Dec 15, 2023, 4:00 PM – Girls @ Elgin Pope John Tourney

Dec 16, 2023, 9:00 AM – Boys @ Wisner-Pilger Tourney

Dec 18, 2023, 1:00 PM – Girls @ Summerland Tourney

Dec 28, 2023, 9:00 AM – Girls @ Winnebago Tourney

Jan 5, 2024, 10:00 AM – Boys at Winside Tourney

Jan 6, 2024, 10:00 AM – Girls at Winside Tourney

Jan 12, 2024, 4:00 PM – Boys @ Archbishop Bergan Tourney

Jan 15, 2024, 11:00 AM – Girls @ Battle Creek Tourney

Jan 18, 2024, TBD – Girls & Boys @ Lewis & Clark Conference Meet @ Tri Co NE

Jan 20, 2024, 9:00 AM – Girls & Boys @ Oakland-Craig Tourney

Jan 25, 2024, 5:00 PM – Girls & Boys vs. LDNE/Winnebago

Jan 26, 2024, 4:00 PM – Girls @ Raymond Central Tourney

Jan 27, 2024, 9:30 AM – Boys @ Plainview Tourney

Feb 9-10, 2024, TBD – Girls & Boys @ NSAA District Meet

Feb 15, 2024, TBD – Girls & Boys @ NSAA Wrestling Championships @ CHI Health Center Omaha Arena

## Junior High

Nov 9, 2023, 4:00 PM - Girls & Boys @ Ponca Tourney

Nov 10, 2023, 2:00 PM - Girls & Boys @ Winside Tourney

Nov 10, 2023, 4:00 PM - Girls & Boys @ Randolph Tourney

# Girls Basketball Schedule

by Chance Holverson

## VARSITY/JUNIOR VARSITY

11/27/23- Jamboree 5:00PM @ SSC HS

11/30/23- 4:45PM @ Winnebago

12/02/23- 1:00PM Vs. Lyons-Decatur

12/05/23- 4:00PM @LCC

12/09/23- 1:00PM @ River Valley

12/12/23- 4:45PM Vs. Wynot

12/15/23- 11:30AM @ Tyson Event Center (Sioux City, IA)

12/16/23- 1:00PM @Lutheran High

12/21/23- 4:00PM @Bancroft-Rosalie

12/28/23- TBD @Bancroft-Rosalie

12/29/23- TBD @Bancroft-Rosalie

01/05/24- 4:45PM Vs. Archbishop Bergan

01/09/24- 4:45PM Vs. Pender

01/12/24- 4:00PM @Hartington-Newcastle

01/16/24- 4:00PM @Allen

01/18/24- 4:45PM Vs. Walthill

01/19/24- 4:45PM @ Omaha Nation

01/22/24- 4:45PM Vs. Wakefield

01/23/24- 4:45PM Vs. Siouxland Christian

01/27/24- 6:00PM @TBD (LEWIS AND CLARK CONFERENCE)

01/30/24- 6:00PM @TBD (CONFERENCE TOURNY SEMI FINAL)

02/02/24- 6:00PM @TBD (CONFERENCE TOURNY FINAL)

02/05/24- 6:00PM @ Wayne State (TOURNAMENT FINAL)

02/09/24- 4:45PM @Ponca HS

02/12/24- TBA @TBA (SUB DISTRICTS)

02/13/24- TBA @ TBA (SUB DISTRICTS)

02/15/24- TBA @ TBA (SUB DISTRICTS)

02/23/24- TBA @ TBA (DISTRICT FINAL)

02/28/24- TBA @ TBA (STATE CHAMP.)

JUNIOR HIGH

12/07/23- 4:00PM @ Siouxland Christian

01/08/24- 3:00PM VS. Pender

01/15/24- 3:00PM VS. Winnebago

01/16/24- 3:00PM VS. Laurel-Concord-Coleridge

01/20/24- 9:00AM @ Ponca

01/22/24- 3:00PM @ Bancroft-Rosalie

01/27/24- 8:30AM @ Ponca

02/03/24- 9:00AM @ Pender

02/05/24- 3:00PM VS. Wakefield

02/13/24- 3:00PM VS. Lyons-Decatur




# Boys' Basketball Schedule 2023-2024

by Cole Kirby

## Varsity/JV

V/JV Mon, 11/27, 6:45pm, Away @ SSC, vs multiple schools   

V/JV Thu, 11/30, 7:00pm, Away vs Winnebago 

V/JV Sat, 12/2, 1:00pm, Home vs Lyon Decatur Northeast 

V/JV Tue, 12/5, 7:45pm, Away vs Laurel Concord Coleridge 

V/JV Sat, 12/9, 4:00pm, Away vs River Valley

V/JV Tue, 12/12, 4:45pm, Home vs Wynot 

V/JV Fri, 12/15, 1:00pm, Away vs Lawton-Bronson @Tyson Events Center, Sioux City

V/JV Sat, 12/16, 4:00pm, Away vs Lutheran Northeast 


V/JV Thu, 12/21, 7:30pm, Away vs Bancroft-Rosalie


V/JV Thu, 12/27, TBD, Away vs Multiple schools @Bancroft-Rosalie

V/JV Fri, 12/28, TBD, Away vs Multiple schools @Bancroft Rosalie

V/JV Fri, 1/5, 4:45pm, Home vs Archbishop Bergan/Fremont

V/JV Tue, 1/9, 4:45pm, Home vs Pender 

V/JV Fri, 1/12, 7:00pm, Away vs Hartington-Newcastle 

V/JV Tue, 1/16, 7:30pm Away vs Tri County Northeast 

V/JV Thu, 1/18, 4:45pm Home vs Walthill 

V/JV Fri, 1/19, 7:30pm Away vs Omaha Nation 

V/JV Tue, 1/23, 7:30pm Away vs Siouxland Christian

## FR/SO

Sat, 1/27 9:00am Home vs Multiple schools @Homer

Varsity only Mon, 1/29, TBD Away vs TBD

Varsity only Thu, 2/1, TBD Away vs TBD

Varsity only Sat, 2/3, TBD Away vs TBD

V/JV Fri 2/9, 7:30pm Away vs Ponca 

V/JV Fri 2/16, 7:00pm Away vs Wakefield 

## Junior High

JH Thu 11/30 3:00pm Home vs Tekamah Herman

JH Tue 12/5 3:00pm Home vs Pender

JH Thu 12/7 2:45pm Away vs Siouxland Christian

JH Tue 12/12 4:30pm Away vs Wisner Pilger

JH Sat 12/16 7:15am Away vs multiple schools @Ponca

JH Mon 12/18 3:00pm Home vs Winnebago

JH Tue 1/9 1:45pm Away vs Tri County Northeast

JH Sat 1/13 9:00am Home vs Multiple schools @Homer

JH Tue 1/16 3:00pm Home vs Laurel Concord Coleridge

JH Thu 1/18 3:00pm Away vs Wakefield

JH Sat 1/20 7:45am Away vs Ponca

## Cross Country Results

by Peyton Brewer

### Boys HS meet at Kearney

34<sup>th</sup> Jessup Snowball  
49<sup>th</sup> Junius Snowball  
55<sup>th</sup> Caden Barkley  
88<sup>th</sup> Dawson Kollars  
91<sup>st</sup> Spencer Elsea  
117<sup>th</sup> Maximus Wiggs

### Pender

148<sup>th</sup> Ethan Torticill

### Girls HS meet at Battle Creek

Average 23:54:58  
1<sup>st</sup> Lilly Harris  
10<sup>th</sup> Jovee Valentin  
13<sup>th</sup> Lilyanna Dziurawiec  
15<sup>th</sup> Samantha Overgaard  
18<sup>th</sup> Okie Bolles  
20<sup>th</sup> Lila Bolles  
22<sup>nd</sup> Tyley Jump  
29<sup>th</sup> Jaedyn Bousquet  
36<sup>th</sup> Jocelyn Parker  
37<sup>th</sup> Ashlee Waldee

### JH Girls meet at Bloomfield

6<sup>th</sup> Natali Cardsis  
9<sup>th</sup> Avery Kramper  
12<sup>th</sup> Hadley Heikes  
18<sup>th</sup> Alejandra Garcia  
22<sup>nd</sup> Sydney Newlon  
23<sup>rd</sup> Waverly Barclay  
26<sup>th</sup> Izzy Pieper

### Boys HS meet in Bloomfield

8<sup>th</sup> Jessup snowball  
18<sup>th</sup> Junius Snowball  
23<sup>rd</sup> Caden Barkley  
26<sup>th</sup> Aayden Harris  
28<sup>th</sup> Rylan Parker  
34<sup>th</sup> Spencer Elsea

35<sup>th</sup> Dawson Kollars  
39<sup>th</sup> Caylix Huffman  
40<sup>th</sup> Ethan Torticill  
42<sup>nd</sup> Wesley Baker  
61<sup>st</sup> Sam Shadbolt  
71<sup>st</sup> Ryan Rasmussen

### Girls HS meet at Bloomfield

1<sup>st</sup> Lilly Harris  
7<sup>th</sup> Jovee Valentin  
16<sup>th</sup> Lilyanna Dziurawiec  
17<sup>th</sup> Samantha Overgaard  
18<sup>th</sup> Jaedyn Bousquet  
21<sup>st</sup> Tyley Jump  
28<sup>th</sup> Lila Bolles  
30<sup>th</sup> Okie Bolles  
39<sup>th</sup> Jocelyn Parker  
44<sup>th</sup> Ashlee Waldee

### JH boys meet in Bloomfield

1<sup>st</sup> Triston Owens  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jett Fogarty  
6<sup>th</sup> William Rohde  
7<sup>th</sup> logan Albrecht  
10<sup>th</sup> Brennon Erikson  
21<sup>st</sup> Jaxson Brewer  
26<sup>th</sup> Charles Bolle  
30<sup>th</sup> Tate Nelson

### Girls HS district in Pender

5<sup>th</sup> Lilly Harris  
17<sup>th</sup> Jovee Valentin  
22<sup>nd</sup> Lilyanna Dziurawiec  
23<sup>rd</sup> Jaedyn Bousquet  
27<sup>th</sup> Samantha Overgaard

### Boys HS district in

11<sup>th</sup> Jessup Snowball  
18<sup>th</sup> Junius Snowball  
21<sup>st</sup> Caden Barkley  
22<sup>nd</sup> Aayden Harris  
27<sup>th</sup> Rylan Parker

### Girls HS meet at Kearney

11<sup>th</sup> Lilly Harris  
50<sup>th</sup> Jovee Valentin  
59<sup>th</sup> Samantha Overgaard  
61<sup>st</sup> Lilyanna Dziurawiec  
85<sup>th</sup> Okie Bolles  
86<sup>th</sup> Lila Bolles  
121<sup>st</sup> Tyley Jump



# Volleyball 2023

by Mauric Ford-Davis

## Homer Knights 2, Whiting Warriors 0

Attacking/Kills

Tori Walker #3- 4/14 Kills

Jacey Peters #5- 4/7 Kills

Chayce Abts #7- 3/8 Kills

Annah Harris #10- 3/10 Kills

Serving/Ace

Makenna Owens #1- 3 points and 7 aces

Chayce Abts #7- 15 points and 4 aces

Madi Roeber #8- 3 points and 7 aces

Digging

Makenna Owens #1- 5

Ali Albrecht #6- 6

Madi Roeber #8- 4

Ball Handling/Assists

Madi Roeber #8- 13/39 Assists

Serve Receiving

Makenna Owens #1- 5

Ali Albrecht #6- 5

Cora Rushing #13- 3

## Winnebago Indians 0, Homer Knights 2

Attacking/Kills

Tori Walker #3- 7/9 Kills

Jacey Peters #5- 5/9 Kills

Chayce Abts #7- 5/12 Kills

Serving/Ace

Tori Walker #3- 7/9 Aces

Ali Albrecht #6- 9/11 Aces

Chayce Abts #7- 9/12 Aces

Digging

Ali Albrecht #6- 6

Chayce Abts #7- 5

Madi Roeber #8- 6

Ball Handling

Madi Roeber #8- 13 Assists

Serve Receiving

Makenna Owens #1- 7 Receiving

## Tri County Northeast Wolfpack 0, Homer Knights 3

Attacking/Kills

Tori Walker #3- 20/38 Kills

Janessa Overgard #11- 7/14 kills

Serving/Ace

Ali Albrecht #6- 6/11 Aces

Chayce Abts #7- 19/26 Aces

Digging

Makenna Owens #1- 10

Chayce Abts #7- 5

Madi Roeber #8- 7

Ball handling

Madi Roeber #8- 31/64 Assists

Serve Receiving

Makenna Owens #1- 20 Receiving

Tori Walker #3- 13 Receiving

## Lyons Decatur Northeast Cougars 1, 3 Homer Knights

Attacking/Kills

Tori Walker #3- 22/50 Kills

Chayce Abts #7- 5/7 Kills

Annah Harris #10- 4/9 Kills

Serving/Ace

Madi Roeber #8- 7/24 Aces

Digging

Tori Walker #3- 7

Ali Albrecht #6- 7

Madi Roeber #8- 6

Ball Handling

Ali Albrecht #6- 7/12 Assists

Madi Roeber #8- 30/75 Assists

Serve Receiving

Makenna Owens #1- 23

Tori Walker #3- 11

Ali Albrecht #6- 12

## Homer Knights 3, 1 Pender Dragons

Attacking/Kills

Tori Walker #3- 14/44 Kills

Jacey Peters #5- 13/25 Kills

Serving/Aces

Jacey Peters #5- 2 Aces

Ali Albrecht #6- 3 Aces

Madi Roeber #8- 5 Aces

Digging

Makenna Owens #1- 15

Tori Walker #3- 13

Chayce Abts #7- 6

Ball Handling

Madi Roeber #8- 35 Assists

Serve Receiving

Makenna Owens #1- 25

Tori Walker #3- 17

Ali Albrecht #6- 14



# Homer Football

by Caedan Nelsen

## October 6 - Homer 22, Wakefield 7

### Yards

1, Reed Modlin (Fr), 20, -1,  
5, Steve Harris (Fr), , 6,  
10, Axton Caskey (Fr), 3,  
14, Ethan Roberts (Jr), 25  
24, Josue Munoz (Jr), 103

### Tackles

3, isaac barclay (Jr), 5, 2, 7, .0  
5, Steve Harris (Fr), 4, 3, 7, .0  
10, Axton Caskey (Fr), 3, 3, 6, .0  
14, Ethan Roberts (Jr), 3, 1, 4, 1.0  
24, Josue Munoz (Jr), 6, 2, 8, .0  
56, Ben Roost (Jr), 4, 4, 8, 2.0

### Touchdowns

24, Josue Munoz (Jr), 2



## October 13 - Homer 56, Homer 7

### Rushing yards carried Ave Lng

1, Reed Modlin (Fr), 3, 32, 10.7, 19, , 1  
10, Axton Caskey (Fr), 7, 21, 3.0, 10, ,  
24, Josue Munoz (Jr), 13, 43, 3.3, 26, ,  
66, Tru King (Sr), 3, 33, 11.0, 21, ,

### Tackles

1, Reed Modlin (Fr), 3, , 3, .0  
3, isaac barclay (Jr), 3, , 3, .0  
5, Steve Harris (Fr), 4, 4, 8, .0  
10, Axton Caskey (Fr), 3, 1, 4, 1.0  
24, Josue Munoz (Jr), 9, 2, 11, .0  
54, Landon Ahlman (Jr), 3, , 3, 2.0

### Touchdowns

1, Reed Modlin (Fr), 1





# November 2023 School Calendar



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 Girls VB @ State Early Dismiss	2	3 Boys FB @ TBA	4
5	6 Choir Trip @ Emerson	7	8 Early Dismiss	9 Wrestling:JH @Ponca 4pm	10 Veterans Day @ Main Gym 10 am Wrestling:JH @Winside	11
12	13 Wrestling:JH @ Randolph 4 pm	14 No School	15 Early Dismiss	16 Music Event @TBA	17 Music Event @TBA	18 Music Event @TBA
19	20	21	22 Early Dismiss	23 No School	24 No School	25
26	27 BB:GV @ SSCHS @ 5:00 BB:B/V @6:45	28	29 Early Dismiss	30 BB:B/JH @ 3 HHS BB:G/V @ 6 Winnebago BB:B/V @ 730 @ Winne- bago		Calendar by Rocco Kearnes