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## Coronation By Abby Zwanziger

Thursday September 25th people piled into the gym not only to view the homecoming court but also to have a night filled with entertainment. The night started out with an introduction to the fall sports. Each coach came up and gave a quick re-cap of how the season was going and what goals they still wanted to accomplish. Then the varsity cheerleaders took their floor to perform their state routine, which looked great even though coach Hanneman said it still had many revisions and corrections before they performed it at a state level. Along with this, the JV cheerleaders also did a short dance/cheer performance. This year, something that differed from the past not only did the cheerleaders perform but all the other sports had a short performance as well. The volleyball girls took the floor to show us all how they prepare for a game, or just to cool down and relax. They then asked for seniors to come down and they played Chicken On A Hill. For those of you that do not know what that is I will give you a little preview.

## Huskies roll over Trojans on Homecoming By Andrew Fisher

The Turkey Valley Trojans came to Nashua on a four game win-streak. The Huskies were looking for a big win over a tough opponent. The Huskies passed for 271 yards and three touchdowns, and allowed only a little look to keep rolling next week against a tough over 150 total yards, paving the way to a win.

Senior Devin Wedeking said, "Both teams came out really hard and played solid defense." The Huskies only managed one score in the first half, a 65-yard pass to Marc Benning, and they trailed 8-6 at the half. But the second half was a different story. "After halftime, we really got after it," said senior Justin Siefken. "We took control of the game on offense and played relentless defense." And it showed, as the Huskies scored three more times and didn't allow another score. The final score was 25-8, putting a great end on Homecoming Week.

The passing game was open all night, and the Huskies offense took advantage of that, with Zach Mueller passing for 265 yards and three touchdowns. Two of those touchdowns were to Shane Weinberg, and the other went to Marc Benning. Ian Johnston led the team in rushing, with 33 yards. However, Zach Mueller scored the lone rushing touchdown. The Huskies will look to keep rolling next week against a tough South Winn team.



## Senior Spotlights

### Jennifer Angela Meyer By: Levi Kielsmeier

Jennifer Angela Meyer was born on October 23rd, 1990. She is the daughter of Ranae Balvanz and a sister to Krissy, Trisha, and Mandy. Most people know her by the name of Jenny. Jennifer is involved in wrestling and football cheerleading, National Honor Society, Marching Band, and is Heart and Soul Café manager. She is also the FCCLA president and Student Body Co-President. Her favorite foods are mashed potatoes, sweet corn, Chinese, Famous Dave's, and corn muffins. Her favorite movie is "The Bucket List". Jenny's favorite song is "When You Say Nothing at All" by Allison Krauss. Two of her favorite quotes are, "Dream is if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today", and "Laugh as much as you breath and love as long as you live". Her hobbies include, spending time with family and friends, four wheeling, and singing. After graduated Jennifer plans to attend Hawkeye Community College for two years then transfer to the University of Northern Iowa.



### Courtney Ann Liddle By Ryan Ruth

Courtney Ann Liddle is the daughter of Randy and Dee Liddle. She has one brother Zach who is 20 and is currently a sophomore at UNI. She is known as Court, Court-short, or Courter. Throughout her high school career she has been involved in volleyball, FCCLA, National Honor Society, Band (9th -12th), Jazz band, Pep band, solo ensemble contest (9th-12th), Corn Bowl conference honor band (11th), UNI honor band (9th), Dance team (10th-11th), and track (9th-10th). Some of Courtney's favorite foods include summer sausage, peanut butter cookies, fruit pizza, Oreo balls, cherry cheesecake, and mashed potatoes. She enjoys volleyball, college football, wrestling, and track. Courtney's favorite movies include The Outsiders, Grease, The Lion King, A Walk to Remember, A Cinderella Story, and 8 Seconds. Courtney likes the songs "Could not ask for more" by Edwin McCain, "Sacrifice" by Theory of a Deadman, "I'll be" by Edwin McCain, and "Photo" by Ryan Cabrera. Courtney's all-time favorite quote is "Take as many pictures as you can, make as many friends as you want, to make life as memorable as it can be." Some of Courtney's hobbies and interests include photography, scrap booking, drawing, going to movies, listening to movies, playing instruments, hanging out with friends and family, dancing, and playing sports. Courtney plans to major in photography in Hawkeye Community College.



### Marc Benning By: Courtney Boggess

Marc Kevin Benning born January 13th, 1991, to Kevin and Julie Benning, has finally reached a milestone as a senior this year. Marc has had support from his two older sisters Megan and Bethany. Marc is very involved in N-P high as he takes part in football, wrestling, track, baseball, FFA, NHS, and FPS. Some of his favorite foods include chicken, beef, and pizza. As far as rooting for the home team, Marc supports the Iowa State Cyclones and the Minnesota Twins. Marc obviously likes to have a laugh every once in a while, as his favorite movies are anything that includes Will Ferrell. Marc enjoys classic rock and Lynard Skynard for his musical interest. Marc's hobbies outside of the school building include fishing, hunting, and pretty much anything in the great outdoors. Marc's favorite quote is "Everyone makes mistakes, that's why they put erasers on pencils." As far as his plans after graduation, he plans on attending ISU as a studying Ag Engineer-

ing. Best of luck to you Marc.



Front Row (left to right) Alicia Martin, Callie Sharp, Abby Zwanziger, Kayla Franzen, Amanda Depuew.  
Back Row: Matt White, Steven Hillegas, Shane Weinberg, Daley Bruns, Marc Benning.

## Homecoming Court

## Homecoming Week By Logan Harrington

Last week your Huskies had four days of dress up days where they would wear something they wouldn't wear in their lifetime. The cooks picked the top three best students who dressed up. Last week on Monday was the first dress-up day for the Huskies. The dress code was "Wacky Day," students came into school with pant legs rolled up, funky wigs, bandanas, and anything else they could think of. The winners for Wacky day were Jessica Wagner, first place, Jenna Goss, second place, and Naomi Menzel, third place. On Tuesday, the dress code was Superhero day. Students came into school dressed as a superhero or a made up superhero. Your Tuesday winners were Amanda Appel, first place, Casey Melver, second place, Jesse Brown and Courtney Liddle, third place. Mr. Morris dressed up as Raccoon Man and won the staff dress up day. Thursday dress code was Retro/Hollywood look. Students came dressed with funky wigs; old letter-mans jackets, old sports jerseys, and other crazy clothes. Thursday winners were Jacob Frost, first place, Brandee Borglum, second place, and Scott Balvanz, third place. Friday's dress code was Husky Spirit day.

Friday's dress code was Husky Spirit day. Students came into school showing their spirit by dressing up with red, silver, and black. Students also tattooed their faces with Husky paw prints or even painted their whole face with red, silver, and black face paint. Everybody was a winner on Friday and to top off the Homecoming week your Huskies defeated the 4-0 Turkey Valley.



2007 Homecoming king Cody Johnston, and Queen, Lacy Harrington then crowned the 2008 homecoming King, Shane Weinberg, and Queen, Abby Zwanziger. After this was announced people patiently waited while a projection system was set-up to view the cross country and football skits. To wrap up the night everyone walked up to the football field for a bonfire.

## King and Queen

