

Neosho R-5 School District



Let us tell you some things we have accomplished...

Speech & Debate

- They opened their season by placing 2nd out of 28 schools in combined sweepstakes at the Kickapoo Varsity and Glendale Novice Tournaments.
- At the Kickapoo Varsity Tournament, the varsity squad placed 2nd out of 28 schools.
- At the Glendale Novice Tournament, they placed 2nd out of 22 schools and two students were named co-champions of this tournament.
- They placed 4th out of 11 schools at the Clever Tournament.
- At the Hillcrest Varsity and Central Novice Tournaments in Springfield, they placed 1st out of 27 schools.
- Out of 13 schools at the Cassville tournament, they placed 2nd.
- They placed 3rd out of 25 schools at the Monett Varsity Tournament.

Business Department

- NHS performed well at the district FBLA contest. Four members qualified to perform at the state FBLA contest.
- Performers received high ratings at the Crowder College Business Contest.
- NHS students excelled at the MSSU Business Contest. A few received scholarships to MSSU!

Wrestling Program

- During the state tournament, they improved two places from the previous year and had a state runner-up finish.
- They won the District Tournament over the two top ranked teams.
- Second consecutive year to finish as an undefeated dual team.
- First place finish at Warrensburg Tournament.
- Twelve of the team's wrestlers qualified for the state tournament.
- Three consecutive years of winning the Annual Neosho Tournament, Missouri Duals and the Finals in Granite City, IL.

Science Department

- Actively involved in the Science Club and the Solar Bike Club.
- The Science Club is at one of their highest memberships in recent history.
- Members have participated in the Stream Team and Adopt-A-Highway.
- Enrollment in advanced science courses has increased.
- End of Course Exams for last year were second highest in Southwest Missouri.

Strength & Conditioning

- Nine members in the ELITE Club.
- Ten male records and 18 female records broken.

High School Band

- The Neosho High School Band had their largest representation to date on the All-District Band and All-District Jazz Band.
- 16 band members received a chair on the All-District Band with the most 1st chair representation for Neosho.
- Two band members represented Neosho on the All-District Jazz Band. One of these members went on to earn 4th chair in the Honorable Mention All-State Band, making him 17th in the entire state of Missouri.

A+ Program

- There are currently 420 students enrolled in the A+ Program.
- 2200 hours have been logged so far this year by 58 cadet teachers who travel to other class rooms throughout the district and tutor students.
- 76 seniors who completed the requirements for the program were eligible for free tuition at Missouri community colleges and tech schools.

National Honor Society

- A record of 32 students were selected by faculty members to join the 19 holdovers from last year, making a total of 51 members in the National Honor Society this year; another record.
- Members have run a school store before classes begin every morning. Proceeds are donated to the high school and used for purchasing technology for use in classrooms.
- In conjunction with the Community Blood Center of the Ozarks, members of the NHS held a blood drive and collected 220 units of blood.

Key Club

- Members cleaned up trash along the highway by the Fish Hatchery.
- Three students were sent to Key Leader Camp.
- During the holiday season, several members spent numerous hours ringing the bell for The Salvation Army outside Wal-Mart.
- Each Spring, members deliver bouquets for the American Cancer Society and help MSSU with the Special Olympics.

Wood Technology

With classes completely full, and the addition of a brand new oscillating orbital sander, there have been no injuries!

NEOSHO Wildcats