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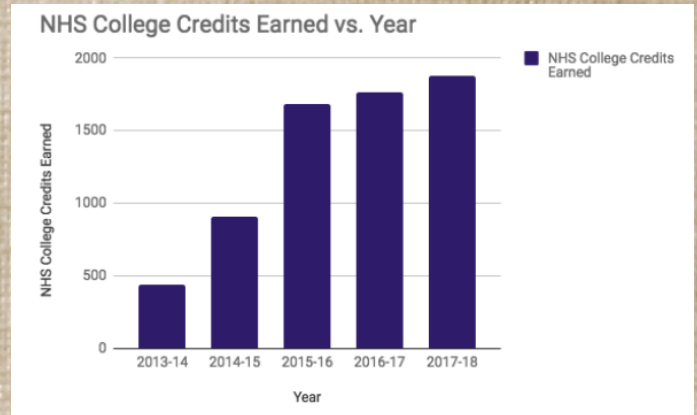
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**FALL/WINTER 2018**

# NEVADA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GETTING A HEAD START ON COLLEGE

Nevada High School students are seizing increased programming opportunities. The total number of college credits earned by NHS students has more than quadrupled over the past five years. Post-secondary courses can be offered to students at NHS, online, or at the post-secondary institution, depending on the class. The courses are free to students when taken as a part of their high school schedule and the credit applies to both their high school and college transcripts. The school district receives supplemental weighting and regular per pupil state aid to pay for the courses. For 2017-2018 alone, NHS students earned a total of 1,879 college credits, resulting in an estimated savings of \$304,794 to the students and their families.



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# SKIP THE TRIP

We've partnered with the Iowa Department of Transportation (DOT) to offer Skip the Trip at Nevada Community Schools. This program allows students to take the driver knowledge test required to obtain a driver's instruction permit here at Nevada Community Schools, saving you time by reducing multiple trips to driver's service centers if your student does not pass on his/her first try.

To be eligible to take the remote knowledge test, your student must be age 14 or older and not currently hold an Iowa instruction permit. The test will be offered every other Wednesday during Cub Pride time at Nevada Middle School. Arrangements will be made with Amanda Hoffman for high school students to take the test at their convenience.

The knowledge test will be administered by an approved school/agency official, and the test results will be emailed to the student and retained in the Iowa DOT's customer records.

The student will still need to go into a driver's license service center with their parent or legal guardian to be issued an instruction permit. Once a student has successfully completed the test, they will receive a test receipt email. Bring a copy of the email to the driver's license service center, along with the other required identity documentation (listed below) the student must have to be issued their instruction permit.

What documents need to be brought to a service center to receive an instruction permit?

(Can also be found at <http://www.iowadot.gov>):

- Proof of age and identity (U.S. birth certificate, U.S. Passport, or proof of lawful status documentation)
- Proof of Iowa residency (Two documents showing the student's address)
- Proof of your social security number (Social Security card)
- Parental consent form, if you are under 18 and your parent is unable to come with you to the service center (not required if parent or legal guardian is present)

To prepare for a successful knowledge test, students should study the Iowa Driver's Manual and online practice test, both available at: <https://iowadot.gov/mvd/driverslicense/manuals-and-practice-tests>

Please direct questions about Skip the Trip to:

Amanda Hoffman, Nevada Middle School Counselor

[ahoffman@nevadacubs.org](mailto:ahoffman@nevadacubs.org)

## MARCHING BAND PERFORMS AT STATE

On Saturday, October 6, the Nevada Cub Pride Marching Band performed at the Iowa High School Music Association State Marching Band Festival in Fort Dodge. This year the marching band has been using the music of KISS for the theme. Drum majors this year are Rowan Huegerich, Rebecca Harwell and Eva Kellen. Under their leadership, the band performed their best at State Competition and received a rating of Excellent (Division 2).

This Rock and Roll Hall of Fame band has been performing for over 45 years and is known for powerful music and incredible live shows. Music played by the marching band included I Wanna Rock and Roll All night, Beth with soloist Kimberly Garcia, Detroit Rock City and Shout it Outloud.

Special mention needs to be made for the senior marching band members who have exhibited leadership in daily rehearsals and performances. Andrew Barloon, Kelly Beals, Samantha Black, Jade Bleeker, Luci Buck, Jay Calentine, Lindsey Donnelly, Madysen Farmer, Rebecca Harwell, Rowan Huegerich, Kimberly Garcia, Daisy Lopez, Megan Mumm, Caitlyn Sharp, Marisa Snider, Nathan Tanner, and Katie Womeldorf.



# NEVADA ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

## LET BUFFALO WILD WINGS® GIVE YOU THE HOME TEAM ADVANTAGE™

Congratulations, your team has been selected to participate in our Home Team Advantage Program for your upcoming season! Each teammate has received via email, a "Teammate Card" and every time they show this card at the sponsoring Buffalo Wild Wings restaurant, we will donate 20% of their total bill less promotional discounts and sales otherwise specified back to your program if you have met all of the program requirements.\*

#### Here is how the Program Works:

1. Bring your Teammate Card into your sponsoring restaurant, during your season. Details are on your card.
2. Show your card, on a mobile device or via printed copy, to your server and let them know you are part of the Home Team Advantage Program.
3. The server will add 20% of your total sales to your team's running total. It's that easy!
4. At the end of the season, Buffalo Wild Wings will donate the 20% of sales that your entire team generated throughout the season back to your team.
5. The manager will contact your coach to set up a date and time to present your team with the donation.

Buffalo Wild Wings believes that teamwork builds the foundation for a successful community and our goal is to help make your community the best place to live, work, play and dine. We want to help keep our community working and playing together.



## Booster Club Basketball Tournament



3rd-7th grade

Girls = December 8th-9th

Boys = January 12th-13th

More information will be on our website:

<http://www.nevadaboosterclub.org/>

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## 2018-2019 Membership Form

Return completed form with payment:

Mail: Nevada Music Parents, P.O. Box 93, Nevada, IA 50201

In person: Nevada High School office or your student's music teacher

Name (as you want it to appear on donor recognition)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Annual membership fee \$ 15.00

Count me in for an additional donation to support Nevada's student musicians! \$

Total payment \$

Nevada Music Parents is a 501 (c)(3) organization. Donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by the law.

Make checks payable to Nevada Music Parents or send via PayPal to:

**nevadamusicparents@gmail.com**

**Please check other ways you would be willing to help our fundraising efforts.**

\_\_\_ Work in the concession stand during football games, soccer games, or track meets

\_\_\_ Donations of money or food items for our meals before some concerts

\_\_\_ Cooking or serving during our fundraising meals

\_\_\_ Serving on a committee

\_\_\_ Membership & Recruitment

\_\_\_ Concession stand

\_\_\_ Technology

\_\_\_ Donations

\_\_\_ Communication & Publicity

\_\_\_ Serving as a board member (elections in May)

\_\_\_ Other (Please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**Nevada Music Parents supports our student musicians at all levels. Membership dues and profits from regular fundraising activities are used to purchase items such as uniforms, choir robes, instruments, contest and honor band/choir fees, awards, and special events to broaden our student's musical education.**



# SPECIAL HOURS: FOR THE KIDS



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## A NOTE FROM THE NURSE

Just a reminder for 9th grade students to hand in your Certificate of Dental Screening. The audit is usually near the end of March so there is still time to get the form submitted. You can also ask your dental provider to fax the form to me here at school if you've seen the dentist within the last school year. The fax number is 382-2935. Please call if you have any questions about this Iowa Department of Public Health requirement. My number is 382-2804.

Parents of current 6th graders: Your child will be required to get new immunizations before entering 7th grade. In 2013 the Iowa Department of Public Health required all students entering 7th grade or having a birth date after September 15, 2000 to get an updated Tdap (Tetanus, diphtheria and acellular pertussis). Please contact me with any questions at 382-2804.

Updated immunization requirements for the incoming 7th graders and incoming 12th graders:

For the 2017-18 school year, and all future school years, all students entering, advancing or transferring into 7th grade and born after September 15, 2004, will need proof of one dose of meningococcal vaccine and one dose of Tdap.

All students entering, advancing or transferring into 12th grade and born after September 15, 1999, will need proof of two doses of meningococcal vaccine. One dose must be after the age of 16.

### **As a reminder for when to keep your child home from school:**

1. Vomiting or diarrhea.
2. Severe cough and/or uncontrolled cough.
3. Unexplained skin rash or eruptions.
4. Swelling, redness, thick drainage, discomfort of the eyes.
5. Any communicable diseases. If your child is started on an antibiotic, they must be on the antibiotic for at least 24 hours before returning to school.
6. Oral temperature of 100 degrees and above. Your child needs to have a temperature of less than 100 degrees for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication before they can return to school.

Proper handwashing is the best way to keep germs at bay and now is a great time to get your annual flu shot!

### **For Students, Staff, and Families**

Please consider getting your annual flu shot. The flu vaccine is the best way to prevent this terrible preventable disease. Flu symptoms can come up quickly: high fever, headache, extreme fatigue, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, and muscle aches. The flu vaccine is available now. Everyone six months and older should get the shot every year.



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