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Intro to **Entrepreneurship** class learns how to think outside the box



Mallory Ladehoff, Justin Hultman, Luke Lyle and Kolton Greiner are pictured with their winning tower in Mrs. Snakenberg's Intro to Entrepreneurship class.

By Emily Baetsle

Entrepreneurs need to be creative and think outside of the box. So, Mrs. Snakenberg had her Intro to Entrepreneurship class do two activities to get them to start thinking creatively. In their first activity, each group was given building pieces and had to try and recreate something that had been built by Mrs. Snakenberg. Students were given three different jobs: the manager, the builder, and the entrepreneur. The manager was asked questions by the builder who then had to ask the entrepreneur the question. The entrepreneur had to answer the question with a yes or no answer by looking at the creation. The builder had to then try and build the creation simply by asking the manager what piece goes where. Only the entrepreneur

could actually see the creation. Mrs. Snakenberg commented, "This was a very challenging activity, as only one person could see what the creation looked like. The students got a little frustrated with the restrictions, but overall got their creations to match the original creation."

The next day students had to work in two groups and were given the challenge to make the tallest tower they could using only marshmallows and noodles. The winning group consisted of Brooke Sieren, Kayla Baker, Emily Baetsle, and Katrina Weber. After this challenge, students had to build the tallest tower they could using only newspaper and tape. The winning group of this challenge included Justin Hultman, Kolton Greiner, Luke Lyle and Mallory Ladehoff.

The purpose of these activities was to learn how to communicate and be able to work together to accomplish a task. After the students got done with each challenge, Mrs. Snakenberg asked them questions about why they chose to build their towers a certain way and how they communicated.

The students who are in the Intro to Entrepreneurship class are Emily Baetsle, Kayla Baker, Kolton Greiner, Grant Hill, Justin Hultman, Mallory Ladehoff, Brooke Sieren, and Katrina Weber.



Emily Baetsle, Kayla Baker, Katrina Weber and Brooke Sieren show off their winning tower made out of noodles and marshmallows.

BRYANNA SEES TEACHING IN HER FUTURE



By Desi Hesseltine

On October 3, 1995, Bryanna Sue Hammes was born to the loving parents Bryan and Debbie Hammes. Also known as "Bry," she has five siblings: Abby, Amanda, Alisha, Shawn, and Anthony. When

about her parents, Bryanna said, "I admire how crazy and full of love they were to join five teenagers and a baby into one house." Regarding her siblings, Bryanna said, "I admire how I can always, always, always go to them for help." As a child, Bryanna imagined

herself as a rock star when she

grew up. However, as she has grown and matured, she takes on full responsibility in taking care of herself and her puppy, Gatsby. In addition, she is responsible for leisure expenses such as gas money and clothes. From this experience, Bryanna says she has learned "how incredibly blessed I am and how awesome my parents are for always helping me out (and how to change a tire in the snow)." Bryanna's favorite family activity is going camping and four wheeling. Bry has been involved in many different things during her time at Keota High School. Those include Large Group Speech, Drama, KC STAAR, Y.E.L.L., cheerleading, volleyball, Kids Club volunteer, and a peer helper. When asked which one was her favorite, she responded, "Speech was my favorite because Mike and Gina are fantastic coaches! I love performing. Also, I really enjoyed Peer Helpers and Kids Club because Hove getting to work with and goof

around with elementary students." Bryanna said the most memorable moment of her childhood was "staying up late around the campfire with her siblings talking about anything and laughing after a long day of fishing and four wheeling." Her favorite birthday memory is having a campout with all the girls in her class and getting scared back into the house. Her favorite junior high memory was when her niece Addison was born and she was an aunt for the fourth time. "I love being an aunt. I have six nieces and three nephews total," Bryanna said.

As she's made her way through high school, her favorite memory was made during her junior year when she and her friends "jammed out to Macklemore on the Prom bus after Coldstone with Kayla,

Britt, Shari, and Katrina." In her spare time, Bryanna enjoys being involved with her church, Faith Baptist in Washington. She participates in many activities through church, including service, youth group, small group, and bible study every week. Outside of church, Bryanna enjoys fishing, four wheeling, and playing with her nieces and nephews.

While at KHS, Bryanna's favorite teacher would have Although she despises math, Mrs. Baker made all of her classes bearable with her corny jokes. Bryanna also stated, "She never gives up on a student." Her pet peeve is close-minded people who are unwilling to change. Her worst habit is time management. "I'm always doing things last minute,"

Bryanna plans to attend either the University of Sioux Falls or UNI to get a degree in teaching and an endorsement in teaching English as a Second Language. She would also like to teach abroad, possibly as a mission trip. In fact, she is even giving up her Senior Prom so that she can save money to go on a mission trip this summer. Three words she uses to describe herself

> are "compassionate, creative, and growing." In her lifetime, she hopes to positively impact people's lives every day.

When leaving Bryanna says she will probably be remembered as "the girl who was always gone :), but hopefully also someone who was nice, smiling, and easygoing."

> We wish Bryanna the best of luck in her future endeavors.

HEADING TO STATE!

Two KHS groups selected for **All-State Speech**

Congratulations to the groups who were selected to perform at All-State Speech in Ames on Sat., Feb. 22. They are Choral Reading ("Noah's Ark") and Reader's Theater ("How Angel Peterson Got His Name"). Also congratulations to Callie Greiner and Sierra Lyle, who received an Honorable Mention for their performance in "Night Mother."

The students participating in Choral Reading are: Grant Hill (11), Mallory Ladehoff (12), Ryan Chalupa (10), Maggie Baker (11), Kolton Greiner (12), Luke Lyle (12), Bekah Fagen (10), Bree Reed (11), Kelsi Sieren (12), Cortney Hyman (10), Cara Hahn (12), Tyler Verstraete (10), Mariah Lyle (10), Grace McHugh (10), and Abby Schulte (10).

The Reader's Theatre group includes the talented allsophomore group of Isaiah Hahn, Zach Mousel, Tyler Verstraete, Paden Uphold, and Nate Sieren.

We would like to wish them the best of luck this Saturday!





The KHS Cheer Squad hosted a minicheer camp on Sun., Feb. 9 for the Keota Elementary Mini-Cheerleaders. The group then performed during half time of the girls game against lowa Valley on Tues., Feb. 11. Pictured from left to right are: (back row) Brittany Baumert, Maleah Miller, Mallory Ladehoff, Kayla Baker, Addison Baumert, Elise Swanstrom, Desi Hesseltine; (middle row) Shea Fleming, Niveah Gutierrez, Grace Johnson, Makala Baughman, Jacey Berg, Macie McDonald, Madison Scott, Mison Milam; (front row) Carmelita Cave, Megan Loper, Lainey Swanson, Vanessa Oxenford, Miley Clubb, Lexus Detweiler, Skylin Stoutner, and Jaylah Redlinger.

(Below) Pictured below are the KHS Cheerleaders and Mini-Cheerleaders entertaining their home crowd with Pump, Pump, Pump It Up!



How will Seniors respond the second time around? By Desi Hesseltine

This week, we asked a Senior the same question they were asked in The Eagle's Wing when they were in 7th grade. Let's see how their responses have changed over the years...

Q: What is your favorite time of the year and why?

Mallory Ladehoff

7th: Spring, because it's war some days and cooler others.





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Emily Baetsle, Maggie Baker, Erin Chalupa, Desi Hesseltine, **Grant Hill, Justin**

Hultman, Sierra Lyle, Miranda Romoser, **Maitland Sieren** Adviser: Angela Conrad This page was composed and designed by

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7TH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL



This year's 7th grade girls basketball team includes (from left to right, back to front): Jolee Altenhofen, Jillian Schulte, Brianna Duwa, Addison Sprouse, Paitynn Gingerich, Lauren Imhoff, Frankie Johnson, Bergen Dalton, and Carly Jaeger. (photo by Tomisha Sprouse) 15 186 II

Question of the Week: What's your favorite thing to do on snow days? By Sierra Lyle



Mrs. Edwards, **Teacher** ike to bake and do laundry.



Shane Gibson, 12th Sleep in.



Bree Reed, 11th Watch a movie and go sledding with Sierra Lyle.



Isaiah Hahn, 10th Ride four wheelers with my Hammes boys.



Jacob Wickenkamp 9th Sleep.



Nick Ives, 8th Relax at home.



Paitynn Gingerich, 7th Clean my house and take care of my dogs.