



THE EAGLE'S WING

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KEOTA HIGH SCHOOL TRACK

By BRADY DUWA

The Keota High School Track season is well underway, with the most recent meet being Tuesday, April 27 at Sigourney. Both the boys and girls teams ran Tuesday night and were able to find some success. Leading the charge was senior Bryce Greiner, who took first place in the shot put with a throw of 43 feet 6.5 inches. Brandon Greiner also took third in the discus with a throw of 120 feet 7 inches. Wyatt Sieren and Brady Duwa also placed well in their field events, with Wyatt high jumping 5 feet 6 inches for fourth place, and Brady long jumping 18 feet 7 inches for second place. On the running side of the meet, Wyatt was able to take second in the 400 meter dash with a time of 52.60 seconds, and Brady finished fourth in the 100 meter dash with a time of 11.62 seconds. Noah Fisher and Ashton Thomas also ran the 800 meters with times of 3 minutes 12 seconds and 3 minutes 8 seconds respectively.

On the girls side of things, Madison Scott was able to run a 14.30 in the 100 meter dash, followed by a 30.70 in the 200 meter dash. Nicole Clarahan put together a 15.69 in the 100 meter dash, along with a 21.00 in the 100 meter hurdles. The Keota girls ran again Thursday, April 29 at Wapello.

The next meet for both groups is Tuesday, May 4 at Sigourney for the South Iowa Cedar League conference meet.

KHS SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Jaydin Jumps into his Future



By SKY WEBER

Jaydin Tyson-Andreas Benford was born on October 29, 2002. Jaydin has one nickname, Benford. Jaydin's parents are Jenny and Terri Beatty. He has two younger siblings named Catherine and Memphis. Jaydin also has three older siblings named Dustin, Mikayla, and Quintinn.

One of Jaydin's favorite family traditions is going to the Hultman family Christmas on the night of Christmas to eat lots of food and play lots of fun games. Jaydin admires that his Great Grandpa and Grandma Hultman were always there

for him and instilled in him how to be a good person by helping others. Jaydin's favorite childhood memory is riding on the mower on Grandpa Bill's lap. Jaydin has had many great memories with his family that he will remember for the rest of his life.

When Jaydin was young, he wanted to grow up to be a police officer or an EMT. From a young age, Jaydin knew he wanted to be able to help people in whatever career he chose. Jaydin is now a senior and plans to attend Indian Hills Community College to pursue becoming an EMT. Jaydin chose Indian Hills because the college is close to home. He also chose to pursue EMT because he wants to have a job where he can help people and make a difference.

Jaydin currently has a job at Casey's in Sigourney, but he used to work at American Eagle in Williamsburg. Jaydin has learned through these responsibilities how to save money for necessities, how to manage his time, and how to be responsible. When Jaydin isn't at work

or school he enjoys playing video games, running, and working out.

Three things Jaydin wants to accomplish throughout his lifetime are becoming an EMT, meeting his half-brother, and meeting his half-sister. Jaydin is already taking steps to reach these goals. He already talks to his half-siblings, and Jaydin is also going to college to become an EMT. Jaydin is taking steps in the right direction towards accomplishing all his goals and aspirations.

Throughout Jaydin's time at Keota High School, he has made many memories. At Keota, Jaydin has been involved in basketball and speech. He says he enjoyed basketball because it was good exercise. He also enjoyed speech because his great grandpa used to be the coach when Jaydin was little, and he used to help him. So, Jaydin wanted to continue helping out the speech program throughout his high school years as well. What Jaydin will miss most about KHS is seeing his grandma at the office every day.

Jaydin's favorite elementary school memory was when Tucker put his head through a glass window. Jaydin's favorite elementary teacher was Mrs. Draisey because she made class fun and spent extra time helping him do his school work. His favorite high school memory was being able to help Mike and Gina during speech and getting to attend the speech contests.

Jaydin's favorite class in high school was Spanish class with Ms. Garren because it was fun learning a new language and she made class interesting. Jaydin believes Psychology has prepared him most for life because the class had discussions that relate more to working with and understanding people.

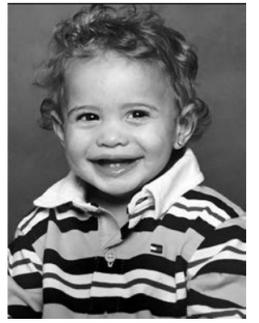
Jaydin believes KHS has a lot to offer students. Keota has strong athletic teams, so you get the opportunity to experience many great memories with teammates. Jaydin also believes the speech department is a great opportunity for students at Keota High School.

When Jaydin leaves KHS,

he wants to be remembered as a good student who strived to get good grades. One of Jaydin's friends at KHS, Bailey Sieren, says, "I will miss making TikToks with him and listening to him talking about his eventful weekends."

If Jaydin could do high school over again he would go back and actually do his homework in ninth grade in order to improve his GPA. If he could give any advice to the upcoming students at KHS he would say, "Do your homework and be responsible all throughout life."

We wish Jaydin the best of luck in his future endeavors!



Keota High School Junior-Senior Prom 2021

By LEXI PURKEYPILE

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Aidan Anderson and Taylor Kindred



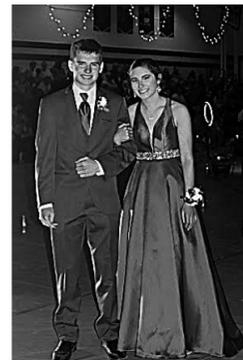
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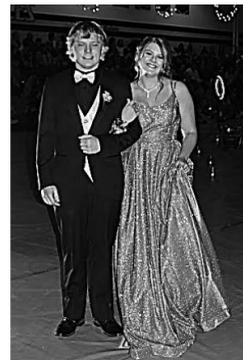
Grant Garman and Katie Westhoff



AJ Sheetz and Macie McDonald



Drew Sieren and Jordan Hammen



Levi Fritz and Callie McNurlen



Alexia Purkeypille and Britlynn Klaas



Jared Adams and Ashlyn Ross



Bailey Sieren and Colten Clarahan



Anthony Westendorf and Sky Weber



Patrick Clarahan and Sidney Morse



Brady Duwa and Kellie Dallmeyer



Bryce Greiner and Taylor Brinning



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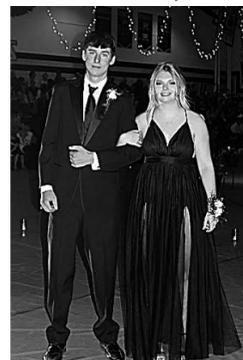
Luke Hammen and Sydney Atwood



Max Johnson and Charlee Heffron



Chase Kindred and Lindsey Imhoff



Tucker McDonald and McKenzie Oakley



Sam Sieren and Raegan Rozenboom



Wyatt Sieren and Paige Minard



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Question of the Week: "Who do you think is the best prospect for the 2021 NFL draft?" by Grant Garman



Ms. Hobbs Staff "Trey Lance- North Dakota State"



Brady Duwa 12th "Ja' Marr Chase- LSU"



Colten Clarahan 11th "Devonta Smith- Alabama"



Taylor Garman 10th "Trevor Lawrence-Clemson"



Hunter Sieren 9th "Trevor Lawrence-Clemson"



Landyn Greiner 8th "Trevor Lawrence"



Dakota Dodd 7th "Trevor Lawrence"