



By the DCCHS Dictator Staff



HONORSOCIETYINDUCTEES (above) promised to uphold the standards of the society, after completing initiation. Inductee Gage Reichert (right) showed off his fancy hat.

Society inducts 10 new members

By **KELLEN DOEDEN**

The National Honor Society accepted ten new members on Monday, Jan. 16, during the annual induction banquet at the Gateway Civic Center.

Inducted were Jessica Bremer, Heather Glodt, Kyle Glodt, Rebecca Helm, Lydia Karnopp, Clint Krizek, Lacey Ream, Gage Reichert, Kim Wessel, and Nikki Wessel. They were chosen because they meet the qualifications of scholarship, service, character, and leadership.

At school, the inductees had to wear togas and their choice of a funny hat or a strange hairdo. They had to sing "Who Let the Dogs Out?" when they walked up or down the stairs and make car noises when they went through the main hallways. If they passed a teacher in the hall, they had to run circles around

him or her. Any inductee caught not following the initiation guidelines by a current member of the National Honor Society had to give that member candy.

At the induction ceremony, each inductee had to go through an initiation that involved answering two riddles and performing a specific task assigned by the current members of the organization. For example, Heather Glodt had to dance to "Walk Like an Egyptian," and Rebecca Helm had to make up a speech off the top of her head about a topic she drew from a bucket.

After the initiation process, the ceremony moved into the theater where the DCCHS Singers opened the next part of the ceremony. The guest speaker was Dennis Brown, founder of Forget-Me-Nots, a doorway ministry program. He spoke about the



importance of the characteristics of members of the society, particularly service.

At the end of the banquet, the officers spoke about what National Honor Society means and presented the new inductees with certificates.

"The worst part of the induction was dancing in front of everybody by myself," said Heather Glodt.

"I want to be in National Honor Society because it is a great honor," said Lacey Ream.

The officers of the organization are Anne Wasson, president; Lora Marietta, vice-president; Andy Gilliam, secretary; Lauren Fortin, treasurer; and Aaron Helm, student council representative. Candy Dejmaj is the sponsor.



GETTING POINTERS ON TOGA TYING, Lacey Ream prepared for a day of initiation at the high school earlier this month. All of the honor society inductees were required to wear togas that day, and the girls had to wear a strange hairdo.

School Menus

Jan. 30 - Feb. 3

OBERLIN SCHOOLS
Monday: Breakfast: cereal, muffin, pears. Lunch: Polish dog with bun. **Tuesday:** Breakfast: breakfast bites, peaches. Lunch: chicken strips. **Wednesday:** Breakfast: pancakes, sausage patty, Mandarin oranges. Lunch: lasagna, corn, roll, Mandarin oranges. **Thursday:** Breakfast: breakfast combo, mixed fruit. Lunch: spaghetti, garlic bread, broccoli and cheese, mixed fruit. **Friday:** Breakfast: cereal, muffin, tropical fruit. Lunch: hamburgers with cheese, French fries, green beans, tropical fruit. Milk served with all lunches. Choice bar served with all lunches.

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February

Decatur County Community Calendar

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 Valentine's Day • Feb. 14	 Presidents' Day • Feb. 20	Dr. Eskildsen, Decatur Health Systems; OBA, noon, LandMark Inn; Blood Pressure Clinic, Golden Age Center, 11-11:30 a.m.; Eastern Star, 4 p.m.; Compassionate Butterflies, Medical Arts Bldg., 7 p.m.; AA, Ambulance Barn, 8 p.m.; Jaycees, 8:30 p.m.; Gifted Seminar, Gr. 6-8	Dr. Eskildsen, Decatur Health Systems; OBA, noon, LandMark Inn; Blood Pressure Clinic, Golden Age Center, 11-11:30 a.m.; Eastern Star, 4 p.m.; Compassionate Butterflies, Medical Arts Bldg., 7 p.m.; AA, Ambulance Barn, 8 p.m.; Jaycees, 8:30 p.m.; Gifted Seminar, Gr. 6-8	Junior High Girls Basketball at Quinter, 4:30 p.m.; High School JV Basketball Tournament at Colby, 5 p.m.; Junior High Wrestling, Home, 6 p.m.; Regional Scholar Bowl	High School Basketball, Home, 6:30 p.m.; High School Wrestling at Colby, 6:30 p.m.; High School 'C' Team basketball, Home, 4:30 p.m.	High School Junior Varsity Wrestling Tournament, Goodland, 9 a.m.; High School Wrestling, Republican Valley Tournament, away, 9:30 p.m.; High School Speech, Hill City, 8 a.m.; Regional Piano, 1/2 Price Day at Bargain Box Plus
5 Attend the Church of Your Choice Art Through the Ages, Good Samaritan Center, 2-5 p.m.	6 Norcatur Rebekahs, Lions, Medical Arts Bldg., Weight Watchers, Medical Arts Bldg., 5-6 p.m.; County Spelling Bee, Kindergarten Enrollment for 2006-2007, Feb. 6-10th.	7 Dr. Doolittle, Decatur Health Systems; Rotary, noon, Gateway; High School Boys Basketball, home, 6:30 p.m., Norton; Masons, 6:30 p.m.	8 Dr. Eskildsen, Decatur Health Systems; Norcatur Royal Neighbors, Legion Aux. 6:30 p.m.; AA, Ambulance Barn, 8 p.m.; Parent/Teacher Conference, 5-9 p.m.	9 Chamber Board, noon, Chamber office, SOS, Oberlin Elementary School library, 6 p.m.; Junior High School Girls Basketball, home, Oakley, 4:30 p.m.; Junior High School Wrestling, Colby, 4:30 p.m.; High School "C" team basketball, Atwood, 6 p.m.	10 Oberlin Royal Neighbors, Golden Age Center, 4 p.m.; NO SCHOOL, Parent-teacher conference, 8 a.m. - Noon; High School Basketball, Hoxie, 6:30 p.m.; High School Wrestling, home, 6:60 p.m.	11 Junior High School Wrestling, Phillipsburg Tournament, 9 a.m.; High School Wrestling, Colby, Novice, 9 a.m.; State Scholar Bowl
12 Attend the Church of your Choice Antique Engine Club, Sappa Manor, potluck, 6:30 p.m.	13 Weight Watchers, Medical Arts Bldg., 5-6 p.m. BOE meeting, 7:30 p.m.	14 Dr. Doolittle Decatur Health Systems; Dr. McGowan, cardiology, Decatur Health Systems Rotary, Gateway, noon High School Boys Basketball, home, Atwood, 6:30 p.m.	15 Dr. Eskildsen, Decatur Health Systems; DPW, Gateway, noon; AA, Ambulance Barn, 8 p.m.; Jaycees, 8:30 p.m.; Junior High School Music Contest, High School Speech, Dighton; Kayette conference	16 Junior High Girls Basketball, St. Francis, 4:30 p.m.; Junior High Wrestling, Atwood, 4:30 p.m.	17 Regional Wrestling, Oberlin	18 Regional Wrestling, Oberlin; Pancake Breakfast High School Cafe, 8 a.m., everyone welcome; Arts and Humanities Dinner Theater, 6:30 p.m. and Blue & Gray Brass Brigade; High School speech, Hays; State Piano
19 Attend the Church of Your Choice	20 Dr. McDonald, cataracts, Decatur Health Systems; Lions, Medical Arts Bldg; Hospital Board meeting, 7 p.m.; Weight Watchers, Medical Arts Bldg., 5-6 p.m.; NO SCHOOL, teacher in-service; High School "C" Basketball, Home, 6 p.m., Junior High Girls NWKL Basketball tournament	21 Dr. Doolittle, Decatur Health Systems; Rotary, The Gateway, Noon; Coffee Hour, Farm Bureau, Farm Bureau Food Check off Day at Chamber Office, 9-11 a.m.; Junior High Wrestling NWKL Tournament, Goodland, 4:30 p.m.; High School Basketball, Phillipsburg, 6:30 p.m.,	22 Dr. Eskildsen, Decatur Health Systems AA, Ambulance Barn, 8 p.m.	23 Junior High Girls NWKL Basketball Tournament State KMEA	24 State Wrestling, Hays State KMEA	25 State Wrestling, Hays State KMEA
26 Attend the Church of Your Choice	27 Dr. Rubinowitz, Decatur Health Systems; Weight Watchers, 5-6 p.m., Medical Arts Bldg.; Sub-State Basketball	28 Dr. Doolittle, Decatur Health Systems; American Legion members meeting; Rotary, The Gateway, Noon; Sub-State Basketball	<h1>THE OBERLIN HERALD</h1> <p>NOW IN OUR 128th YEAR OF SERVICE</p>			

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