



Village Voice

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OACE to Host Their 10th Annual Volunteer Appreciation Meal

Sunday, February 19 will be the OACE Volunteer Appreciation Meal and Awards.

Please make plans to attend @ the Odell Legion—Everyone Welcome!

There will be a free meal @ 5:30 pm provided by the Officers.

Awards will be given out following the meal.

Please see page 2 for more information on nominating your favorite VOLUNTEER!

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Odell Christmas



Above Photo: Jayna & Josie Novotny tell Santa their wishes!

Odell hosted their annual Community Christmas on Saturday, December 10. Fun was had by all. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped and donated pies and desserts! Please see page 3 for Ham/Turkey Drawing winners and sponsors and more photos.

Odell American Legion Fish Fry

Saturday, January 14
5:30-8:00—Odell Legion
\$10 for Adults

Diller-Odell Elementary Carnival

Sunday, January 22; 4:00-6:00 pm

- * Carnival Games
- * “Sweet Treat” Walk (25 cents)
- * Pop Toss
- * Plinko
- * Basket Raffle (see page 5)
- * The JAIL IS BACK! (25 cents)



\$5.00 Armband Entry Fee

Sponsored by Diller-Odell Booster Club

Diller-Odell Spanish Club TACO BAR

Friday, January 27; serving begins @ 5:30 pm
During the Home Basketball games at HS cafeteria

3rd Annual Odell Knights of Columbus Pancake Feed

Sunday, Jan. 8
Odell Fire Hall



10 am—12:30 pm
All you can eat: Pancakes, eggs, sausage, juice & coffee

Our Savior Lutheran Youth Fellowship Pancake Feed

Sunday, Jan. 22

9am-1pm
Free Will Donation



January Events

- 8—Pancake Feed
- 11—Blood Drive and Bingo
- 14—Fish Fry
- 22—Pancake Feed Elementary Carnival
- 27—Taco Bar
- Feb 4—Diller Shrimp Feed
- Feb 19—Volunteer Appreciation



Diller-Odell Community Blood Drive—Wednesday, January 11

12:30-6:30 pm @ the Odell Community Building



Please call Jacque @ 402-520-1132 to make an appointment to donate. Please call Jill @ 402-806-9201 if you would like to volunteer to help at the drive that day.

"If serving is below you, leadership is beyond you."

Do You Know a Deserving Volunteer?

OACE is accepting nominations for their Volunteer Awards to be held on February 19. They need your help! Please email, call or send your nominations to Jill Scheele, Joyce Kostal, Brenda Miller or Teresa Koch ASAP. Include the name of the nominee and your reason for nominating them. If chosen, the OACE officers will get their information and details from you. Here are the categories for awards:

1. OACE Volunteer of the Year: an adult who has gone above and beyond to help at OACE events.
2. Lifetime Achievement: An individual, couple, family or group who have contributed to volunteerism in our community over their lifetime.
3. Youth Leadership: A Senior who is a good role model and has participated in community service.
4. Youth Volunteer of the Year; A Youth who has given their time at OACE events throughout 2016.
5. OR Create your own award! If you know someone who deserves recognition for something they have done or volunteered at, but it doesn't quite fit into one of the above categories, we can create a new one!

Send your nominations to any of the officers or Joyce Kostal: joycekostal@yahoo.com. Let Joyce know if you need a list of past award winners.

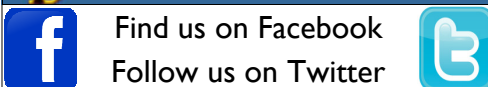


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At the Trails Center:

BINGO: Wednesday, January 11; 1:00--3:00 pm

CARDS: Sunday, January 25 @ 1:30 pm

Mark Your Calendars! Upcoming Community Blood Drive:

April 12, 2017: 12:30-6:30

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2016 Odell Community Christmas Turkey/Ham Winners and Sponsors:

Joy Scheele—Odell Methodist Church
 Karen Wallinger—OWTC
 Marvin Bures—Stanosheck Agency—Jim Stanosheck
 Eric McMurray—Anderson Seed & Supply—Dave Anderson
 Josie Vitosh—State Bank of Odell
 Velora Adam—Rice Lodge & Conference Center
 Walt Henrichs—Odell American Legion Auxiliary
 Melvin Vitosh—Koch Trucking
 Vernita Rippe—Beran Insurance—Dale Beran
 Jason Dendinger—Adam’s Plumbing & Heating—Jim Adam
 Loren Wieden—Ed Hajek Construction
 Kara Troxel—Lynn & Geriann Henrichs
 Brad Vitosh—Odell American Legion Post 231
 Arlin Koch—Stateline Digging—Alan Adam
 Brian Weers—JNT Farms—Jill & Tim Scheele
 Mindy Koch—Sutton Repair—Spencer & Kristie Sutton
 Tracy Vitosh—Stateline Promotions—Brenda Miller
 Ron Bures—Daylon Theye Construction
 Robin Stanosheck—Vitosh Ag Sales—Brock Vitosh

Walt Shanek—JDN Construction—John Novotny
 Ed Scheele—Odell Community Market
 Larry Genrich—Colgrove Land Improvement Duane
 & Peggy Colgrove
 Jim Bures—OACE
 Judy Baumann—OACE
 Mike Riggert—Kross Eyed Cricket
 Lorna Adam—BCI—Jack & Claudia Fringer
 Janet Stuckwisch—OACE
 Herb Wollenburg—OACE
 Dennis Kostal—BCI—Jack & Claudia Fringer
 Kolin Kotas—Kross Eyed Cricket
 Barb Beekman—Gary Koch Trucking
 Keith Goman—State Bank of Odell
 John Novotny—Odell American Legion Post 231
 Bill Cummins—Stateline Digging—Alan Adam
 Shannon Novotny—BCI—Jack & Claudia Fringer
 John & Helen Swanson—OACE
 Merlin Scheele—OACE
 Amanda Stanosheck—OACE
 Brent Kostal—BCI—Jack & Claudia Fringer



Photos from Odell Community Christmas: Left: community members enjoy good food and conversation. Middle: Jaedyn Hajek, a student of piano teacher, Sharon Gydesen, entertains. Right: Sisters, Maddy Dendinger and Chloe Rupprecht give Santa their lists.



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January Calendar for D-O Schools

- 17—Home Basketball Games—4 pm
- 22—Elementary Carnival
- 27—Home Basketball Games—4 pm
- Taco Bar—Spanish Club

The 2017 Diller-Odell Community Birthday Calendars are here!

The 2nd graders will be out and about selling their calendars for \$2.00 each. Please contact any 2nd grader or Mrs. Hynek to purchase. They will also be available at the Elementary Winter Concert on December 8. The Odell State Bank—Diller and Odell Branches and the Diller Telephone Office will also have them available. Thank you for your support of this project!

Student of the Month



The Diller-Odell Elementary December Student of the Month is Madisyn Rosebaugh. She works hard and follows directions. Maddy is friendly to all of her classmates. She is in the 3rd grade and the daughter of Jim and Jacque Rosebaugh. Congratulations Madisyn!

The Diller-Odell Art Club would like to thank Kristie Sutton and everyone who supported our Scentsy Fundraiser! It will allow the Art Club to have new and fun learning experiences!



Pioneer Conference Honor Band is January 16 @ Tri County—FREE concert at 7 pm. The Clinician is Dr. Jay Gilbert from Doane College. Diller-Odell Band will start their Red Wheel brand fundraising January 23-February 1. Your Support of this help funds the Bands activities.



Preschool Enrollment Protocol

Preschool enrollment guidelines are set according to Diller-Odell Public Schools sliding fee scale that has been formulated specifically for our preschool program. First, priority is given to families who have children who turn 4 years of age on or before July 31st of the calendar year and living within the Diller-Odell Public Schools district. Second, priority is given according to family needs such as income, special needs, and ELL (English Language Learners) speaking families.

Diller-Odell Public Schools Little Griffins Preschool Sliding Fee Scale:

Special Education (IEP):	No Cost
Free Meal Program Eligibility:	No Cost
Reduced Meal Program Eligibility:	\$55.00/per month
Full Pay Meal Program Eligibility:	\$110.00/per month

A total of 13 slots are filled in our all-day preschool program. The maximum occupancy for the program is 14 students, which leaves one extra spot for a child with special needs. Applications are mailed out to families that are listed on the census in January of the upcoming school year. An acceptance letter is mailed to families after a March 1st deadline of the upcoming school year.

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This year, the sixth grade students became the Santa Squad. The group of students collected donations and purchased a gift for every Diller-Odell student and staff member. The Santa Squad delivered the gifts, along with Christmas cheer Wednesday, Dec. 21. Above photo; Back row, l to r: Zach Newby, Tristan Rosebaugh, Jason Arnold, Dorian Ficke, Tavy Hicky, Spencer Weers, Billy Pipes, Xavier Jones & Kaden Sutton. Front row, l to r: Jasmine Burrell, Karli Heidemann, Sidney Gegg, Elecea Saathoff, Kate Kostal, Abby Vater & Skylar Folkers.

Can you Help?

I am in need of more information on what is happening in and around the Diller community for the Village Voice Newsletter.

If you have anything happening or that has happened, feel free to email me the information so I can include it in issues of the Village Voice. The issues are generally published on or around the 1st of each month.

Your help is greatly appreciated! Anyone can send information in!

Thank you!

Joyce Kostal

joycekostal@yahoo.com

Elementary Carnival Basket Themes:



PreK—Baking with Kids

Kindergarten—Family Fun



1st Grade—Sweetheart

2nd Grade—Bedtime



3rd Grade—NFL/Sports

4th Grade—Husker



5th Grade—Movie Theater

6th Grade—Gift Card Galore!



Substitute Bus Drivers Needed

Diller-Odell School is looking for drivers. The school will cover all fees for the process. At the completion of the process a \$500 bonus to those getting the license to use at Diller-Odell as a sub driver once they have substituted 5 times.

The Process is below:

- Get a CDL Learner's Permit (LPC)
- Pre-Service Evaluation/Behind the Wheel Training with local bus driver
- Take Level I Class
- Have a Physical
- Take the written bus exam test
- Take the driving portion of the test.
- Pass drug/alcohol Testing

Contact Superintendent Mike Meyerle @ 402-766-4210 if you are interested



"You learn a lot about people when they don't get what they want."

Area January Birthdays!

- 1—Darlene Balderson, & Sherilyn Fritzen
 2—Erin Blake, Kailyn Dendinger, Quinn Logan, & John Swanson
 4—Deb Penner
 5—Jenna Hennerberg & Leola Weers
 6—Dean Lottman & Merlin Scheele
 8—Ashley Duis, Judy Garton, Michelle Klecan, Steve Manley & Bailey Schroeder
 9—Adam Engelman & Abby Kostal
 10—Barb Vitosh
 11—Rosemary Heble & Jen Warren
 12—Hannah Ebeling & Tripp Sunneberg
 13—Christie Morgan
 14—Ryleigh Vilda
 15—Mallory Denner, Cassidy Gydesen & Camaryn Gydesen
 16—Barb Beekman & Laura Mae Grone
 17—Rachel Stanosheck & Drake Day
 19—Lyle Probst & Doug Schnuelle
 23—Dave Schramm & Daylon Theye
 24—Janet Chambers, Janelle Gegg & Cody Scheele
 25—Jacque Prost & Abby Vater
 29—Hannah Oberembt, Eldine Hays & Jill Zabokrtsky
 31—Jim Wenzbauer

Happy Birthday to Shane Sutton on January 19! Love you more than you'll ever know! Your Family

Happy 9th Birthday to Berkelee Beekman on January 7th! Love, Mom and Dad

Happy 5th Birthday to Kyler Kotas on January 10th! Love, Grandpa Brad, Grandma Amy, Uncle Shane, Aunt Laine, Cousin Audrey, Uncle JT and Aunt Mo

Diller Shrimp Feed

Saturday, February 4, 2017

**5:00-8:00 pm—Diller Opera House
 \$17.00 in Advance—\$20 @ Door**

All you can eat Shrimp, Ham, Beef Fries, Scalloped Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Roll Contact an Opera House Member or check at C & C for tickets!

**Saturday, Jan. 7 & 21
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 vegetable and salad.
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"Sock It To the Homeless"

Throughout the month of December Allison Engelman collected socks at both the Diller-Odell Elementary and High School as a Service Project. She was able to collect 372 pair of socks! They delivered the socks to the Peoples City Mission in Lincoln on Tuesday, December 27th.

"Thank you to everyone who donated socks to my Service Project "Sock It to the Homeless!"
—Allison Engelman

"When I talk to managers,
I get the feeling that they
are important.
When I talk to leaders,
I get the feeling that
I am important"

Odell Community Market

Welcome to the Odell Community Market, LLC
Hours: Monday-Friday: 8-6 & Saturday: 8-1

We are now carrying various meats from C & C Processing! Come in and check it out!

Let us know if you don't see something you need!
We can see if we can order it!

Coffee Shop is open north of the store!

C&C's UPCOMING SPECIALS

Jan 5th - 7th ----- Ribeyes & Flavored Bacons

Jan 12th - 14th ----- Sirloins

Jan 19th - 21st ----- Fresh Seafood & Filets
FRIDAY AFTER 3PM

Jan 26th - 28th ----- Bone In Pork Chops

Feb 2nd - 4th ----- Flat Irons & Frozen Fish

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Baseball Coach Needed

Wymore-Diller-Odell Legion Baseball is in need of a baseball coach for the Junior's team for the 2017 season.

- This will be a volunteer position.
- You & All Assistants must pass a background check by Nebraska Legion Baseball as well a pass Concussion Training.
- The baseball program is comprised of players from Wymore, Diller & Odell. It is crucial for the quality of our program that you remain a "neutral" coach regardless of the town/school you are from, if this is not possible for you, please don't request to coach.
- You will be responsible for getting your own assistant coaches, they will be held to the same standards.
- You will NOT be required to schedule, handle paperwork/sign ups, jersey orders, fanwear orders, umpire scheduling or any other behind the scenes work unless you would like to.
- Final decisions upon coach selection will be left up to the baseball committee and current coaching staff.

If you have questions, or are interested please feel free to call or text Matt Henrichs: (402)-236-1036, Tiffany Henrichs: (402)-236-6384 or private message this Facebook page. Time is of the essence, as scheduling will near completion by the end of the year, and indoor practice will begin in February.

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