

# Paton-Churdan Community School

April 2022

## Coming UP.....

- April 18 2.....Middle School Musical-Suessical
- April 2-8.....Week of the Young Child
- April 4.....ISASP Testing for 3-11
- April 5.....Conferences
- April 9.....HS Sm. Group Music Contest
  - Good luck to Bailey Anderson, Autumn Consier & Hailey Saffell with their saxophone trio.
- April 12.....K-6 Music Concert  
2:30pm & 7pm
- April 18.....No School, Teacher Inservice
- April 22.....5th-8th Honor Choir @Roland-Story
  - There will be 12, 5th graders and 4, 7th & 8th graders participating. Best of luck to them!
- April 23.....Paton-Churdan Junior-Senior Prom
  - 6:30 pm- 7:15 pm: Public Decorations Viewing
  - 7:15 pm -7:30 pm: Grand March (in front of the school)
- April 26.....Women Sing Festival at UNI
  - Good Luck to Haylee Duckett, Hailey Saffell & Autumn Consier.
- April 29.....Kindergarten Round Up
- May 11.....Senior Mentor Banquet 6 pm
- May 16.....Activity Banquet 6pm
- May 17.....Secondary Pops Concert 7 pm
- May 21.....Paton-Churdan 2022 Graduation 2 pm
- May 27.....Currently Scheduled Last Day of School

Parents: Please remember to call the school office by 8:15 am if your child will not be in attendance that day.  
We appreciate your help!

## Middle School Spring Fling



### Current Activities & Athletic Events

Go to [www.paton-churdan.k12.ia.us](http://www.paton-churdan.k12.ia.us)

- click on calendars & then
- click on district calendar

## Suessical Jr



The 7th & 8th grade choir is excited to present the musical, Suessical Jr on April 1st & 2nd at 7pm . Tickets are 5.00 per person. Please come and see the hard work these students have put in!



If you have a child eligible for kindergarten next year please call the school office at 515-389-3111 to register

them for Kindergarten Round-up. This year's date for kindergarten round-up is Friday, April 29th.

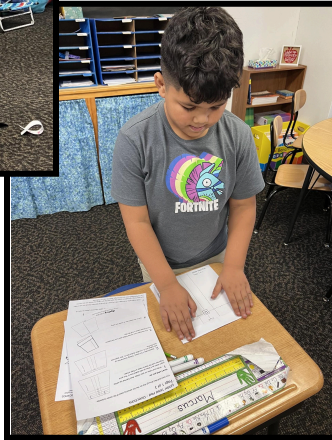
# 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Mystery Science

Mystery Science offers students an engaging way to interact, explore, and learn about our science topics.

Recently we have started a unit called Plant Adventures. Our first chapter takes the students through a mystery about how a seed could have traveled

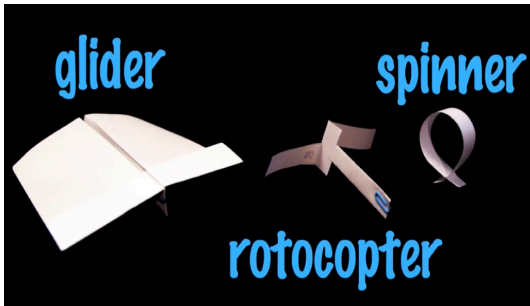


halfway around the world. We found that wind, water, and animals help transport seeds away from their parent plant. Students learned that it is important for a seed to



be moved away from a parent plant so that it has space and sunlight. The students then got to choose one of the 3 seed types to create and pretend to be the parent tree.

Their challenge was to see if their seed would fly far enough away from the shade under the tree.



A BIG thank you to John Deere Paton for once again supporting our RocketPack program with a \$2000 donation! It's donations like these that allow us to send home weekly food packs full of meals, snacks, fruits and vegetables to our Rocket family.

Pictured are members of John Deere Paton and our senior PC NHS members!



## HISTORY IN THE MAKING YEARBOOK

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# 2022 Senior Spotlight

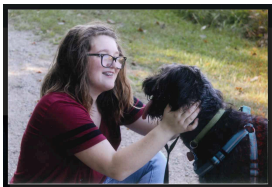


**Madison Grow** was born on January 7, 2004, and she lives in Churdan. Madison's advice to younger classes is to not slack off freshman year because it'll catch up with you later on. Her future plans are to go to Iowa State to major in Biology with the hopes of becoming a veterinarian some day. Madison was involved in student council, NHS, FFA, speech, choir, softball, and she was the basketball manager. Madison's favorite class was Creative Writing class because it was always so fun, but also challenging in the way that made you use your mind. Madison's favorite movie is any movie with Adam Sandler, and her favorite food is spaghetti. Madison's favorite high school memory was enjoying her senior year with her best friends, from Sparky's runs after football games, and senior lock in during first semester. Senior quote: "Enjoy every last second. It truly does go way too fast."

**Bradyn Willis Smith** was born on November 17, 2003, and he lives in Paton. Bradyn's advice to younger classes is to be respectful and you'll get further in life. His future plans are to attend Iowa State University and get a Construction Engineering degree. Bradyn was involved in football, basketball, baseball, track, choir, and NHS. Bradyn's favorite class was zero hour P.E. because he "got swole." He likes Mexican food and his favorite movie is "Transformers Series." His favorite high school memory is playing in the football playoffs. Senior quote: "Live your own dream."



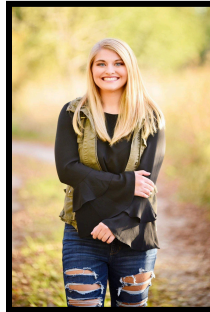
**Anna Subbert** was born on October 23, 2003, and she lives in Paton. Anna's advice to younger classes is to just make a bunch of memories, because these are gonna be the times you miss. Her future plans are to attend Iowa Central to major in Elementary Education. Anna was involved in volleyball, band, choir, and student council. Anna's favorite class was band because they would have the most random conversations during that period, and most of them consisted of silly things that they found funny. Her favorite movie is Harry Potter, and her favorite food is chicken alfredo. Her favorite memory of high school was the senior lock in. Senior quote: "It is our choices that show what we truly are, far more than our abilities."



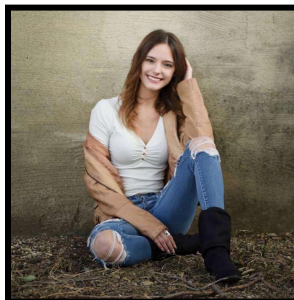
**Seth Thurman** was born on March 9, 2004, and he lives outside of Churdan. Seth's advice for younger classes is do your work, or you won't have open campus. His future plans are to attend Drake to pursue Law. Seth was involved with basketball, choir, and track. Seth's favorite movie is Red Dawn and his favorite food is tacos. His favorite memory of high school is trying to go into the secret tunnels under the school. He enjoyed Math class a lot because he always had fun in the class. Senior quote: "Your future is only as good as the work you put into it."



**Hannah Behrens** was born on December 12, 2003, and she now lives in Paton. Hannah's advice to younger classes is to enjoy this time while it's here, because you will wish you could go back. Her future plans are to go to Iowa Central for a Criminology degree. Hannah was involved in basketball, volleyball, student council, and choir. Hannah's favorite class is with Mrs. Sparr because they never had to take any tests and she's just a good teacher. Her favorite food is mashed potatoes, and her favorite movie is Someone Great. Hannah's favorite memories of highschool were basketball games and homecoming. Senior quote: "We're adults! When did that happen?" -Meredith Grey, in season one of Grey's Anatomy, episode 5, timestamp 20:19.



**Taryn Baugh** was born on February 26, 2024, and she now lives in Scranton. Taryn's advice to younger classes is to just do your homework. Her future plans are to attend Drake University to get a Psychology degree. Taryn was involved in volleyball, choir, and student council. Taryn's favorite class was Intro to Art because of her love for painting, and the teacher taught her techniques she would've never thought of. Her favorite movie is Taken, and her favorite food is pho or nachos. Taryn's favorite memory of highschool was taking her first vacation to St. George Island with her close friend Megan. Senior quote: "Be the change you wish to see in the world."





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