North Dakota



LARIMORE PUBLIC SCHOOL LARIMORE, ND

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As we are in the heart of the busy part of the year, we reflect on everything we have accomplished and are looking forward to. In August our orientation meeting gathered 44 paid members. On our first studio day, we made our club shirts with screen printing and a heat-pressed vinyl logo. During the Halloween season, we did spooky 3D pumpkin carving, face painting, and henna art. The art classroom was black, and the whole school came to trickor-treat. Our first Peer Choice Award contest kicked off with Art 1 and 2 pencil self-portraits and charcoal toy drawings. In November we went on a field trip to the North Dakota Museum of Art, where we toured the exhibition and created blind partner drawings. We completed the month with a handmade soap-bar studio day. Our second Peer Choice Award contest for Art 1 and 2 was colored-pencil candy and flowers. Sophomore artist Kaitylnn Voorhorst was honored with the Fall Artist in Spotlight.

Winter in North Dakota began early, and so did the Christmas spirit.

Active member numbers increased by 10! We now have 54 members—42 active and 12 inactive members. The whole school had an artsy Christmas. Each week homeroom teachers and students created Christmas ornaments, decorated their doors, dressed up, and painted teacher portraits. Winners received gift cards and pizza parties. We ended the semester with a Christmas Party studio day. They enjoyed making stained-glass

ornaments, exchanging Secret Santa gifts, and having a feast. The Peer Choice Award medium of the month was digital self-portrait and animals.

Eight artists were chosen from our school to display their work at the Minnesota State University Moorhead Art-A-Fair Exhibition and take art courses on the university campus in January. Sixteen active Art Club members were notified that they qualified to be inducted into NAHS. Art Club ended the month with a Very Merry Unbirthday Party to celebrate all members' birthdays for the school year.

In February, students were deep into creating their semester projects for state. Sophomore artist Rihanna Reaves was chosen for our Winter Artist in Spotlight. We ended the month with an origami owl studio day taught by NAHS Secretary Caden Bjornstad. Upcoming special events include Parents Night, the NAHS induction ceremony and reception, World of Art Week with dressup days and games, service project studio day, the state competition and officer retreat, and Night of the Arts!

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ARTS & COLLEGE PREPARATORY ACADEMY COLUMBUS, OH

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The Arts & College Preparatory Academy NAHS chapter has started activities once again, and this time we are in person! We are very excited for this opportunity to get together and be able to complete projects and do different things for our school. We're also very grateful and appreciative of our sponsor, because without her, this great year of NAHS would not be possible.

Being back at school has made it much