### March 2025 Newsletter >>>>> MathCounts

# Behind the GREENPoors

Ottoville students participated at the MathCounts Chapter Competition in Archbold recently. The team finished 2<sup>nd</sup> with a score of 37.25; the first place team had a score of 37.5. Luke Horstman will advance to State as an individual for a second year in a row, and Henry Schnipke has qualified as an "at large" competitor.





#### **School Sports News**



The Girls Basketball Team found their way into the State Tournament after defeating Kalida 43-24. The girls will again play at the Elida Field House vs Fort Loramie at 8:30 PM on Friday, March 7<sup>th</sup>. Tickets can be purchased online or at the door. Help support the Lady Green by cheering them on during the State Semi-Finals!



Congratulations to the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball Team for becoming Putnam County League Champions!

# March 2025 Events

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Mar 9  $\rightarrow$  County Arts Festival (1-4 PM, Pandora-Gilboa) Mar 14  $\rightarrow$  End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Mar 19  $\rightarrow$  Innovation Expo (7:30pm) Mar 21  $\rightarrow$  No School Mar 24  $\rightarrow$  Softball Season Starts Mar 26  $\rightarrow$  Baseball Season Starts Mar 29 -> HS Track Season Starts

### Yearbook Sponsors >>>>>>

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# Board Meeting

Updated School Board meeting minutes and agenda can now be found in the School Board tab on our website: www.ottovilleschools.org

# 100<sup>th</sup> Day Celebration

The first grade recently celebrated the 100th day of school! The day consisted of activities centered around the number 100. They completed an odd/even color code which revealed the number 100, tried to stack 100 pennies, made 100 day glasses and crowns, worked on 100 piece puzzles, cut apart and threw 100 confetti pieces, and enjoyed a delicious 100 day cookie! It was a wonderful day!





### **Proactive Citizens**

Mrs. Eickholt's class has been working for months on a project to practice being proactive citizens. The students came up with the idea to have a fundraiser to raise money for new playground toys. They organized an elementary fundraiser which included the prize of spraying Mr. Walker with silly string. They also reached out to community businesses for fundraising. Overall, they were able to raise \$5,569.86!









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#### **Third Grade News**



Third graders Mason Plescher, Bristol Hoersten, Falynn Tenwalde Brooklyn Beining, Blake Horstman, and Avilynn Kemper shared information they learned about presidents.

Avery Ricker and Allison Cross discover parts of an egg. They are hoping to hatch chicks in their classrooms.



Third graders Madilyn Kloeppel and Brielle Vorst learn about chick embryology.

### **School Counselor Week**

Seniors posed with a hand-made sign describing what Mrs. Leach means to them in one word. Thank you for all you do for our students year after year!



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**NSS** Interested in becoming a part of the Big Green family? We are currently looking for substitute cooks and substitute custodians. Call the Superintendent's office (Mr. Jarrod Wehri), for more details.

# **Junior High Scholastic Bowl**

The Junior High Scholastic Bowl Team poses for a picture just before a home match. They will attend a local tournament on March 11. Good luck, team!







## Mardi Gras and Math

Fifth graders recently had some fun inside and outside the classroom. They were designing Mardi Gras masks, eating some popcorn, and having fun with math challenges that were posted on the hallway walls and lockers. Thanks for making art and math concepts fun for our students!

