



# Argonia U.S.D. #359 October 2016 Newsletter

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## 2016 Football Homecoming

By Jon Mead

The 2016 Argonia Football Homecoming activities were held on Friday, Sept. 16th. The student body was treated to breakfast made by the faculty in the FACS room that morning. The classes competed in a poster contest after lunch in the gym which was followed by several games put on by the STUCO. Following the class games the cheerleaders put on a great homecoming Pep Rally which included a Katy Perry lip sync competition. PTO then held the annual Soup Supper and Elementary Open House at the grade school. Seth Hemberger and Jordan Thompson were crowned Homecoming King and Queen at the traditional halftime, which was actually the end of the game due to the 45 point rule, with the A&A Titans coming out on top 46-0.

The other Senior Attendants were Kelly Mosher, Marie Barth, Malachi Hodges and Haily Gaddis. Junior attendants were Cassidy Boese and Micah Carter, Sophomore attendants were Kaylee Lacey and Jonathan Head, and the Freshman attendants were Hope Casner and Griffin Brown. The flower girl was Faith Fisher and the crown bearer was Dylan Coleman.



## Spartan Invitational Runners-Up

By Hannah Hemberger

The Lady Raider Varsity team traveled to Dexter on Saturday, September 17th for the Cedar Vale - Dexter tournament. In pool play the Raiders defeated Oxford and Derby Invasion but fell short to Flinthills, securing 2nd place in their pool. This sent the ladies onto bracket play, where they played Cedar Vale - Dexter and defeated them in 3 sets. They then faced Flinthills again in the championship game, but could not seem to get things going. The Lady Raiders lost the match in 2 sets, bringing home the Runner-Up plaque. The Lady Raiders fought hard all day and made a great come back from the previous weekend tournament in Norwich, that did not end so well.



Photo by Jessica Fitch

The Lady Raider JV team traveled to South Barber for a tournament the same day as the varsity tournament in Dexter. The girls played a round robin style tournament against two Norwich teams, Caldwell, and Skyline. The ladies defeated Skyline and Norwich-Red, but fell short to Norwich-White and Caldwell. There was a 3-way tie for 3rd place that was in favor of the Lady Raiders based off of points, who then brought home 3rd place medals.

These young ladies have been working extremely hard all season adjusting to new coaching styles and implementing a new offense and defense. Their hard work ethic and drive to be better each day is certainly paying off!

**Argonia High School will host this year's Sub-State Volleyball Tournament on Saturday, October 22nd.**

# PTO MEETING

THE NEXT PTO MEETING WILL BE HELD ON **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19TH AT 7:00 PM** IN THE ELEMENTARY CAFETERIA.

WE WILL BE MAKING PLANS FOR UPCOMING CLASS PARTIES AND THE SECRET SANTA SHOP.

WE HOPE YOU WILL JOIN US TO LEARN MORE ABOUT PTO AND WHAT YOU CAN DO TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOLS!



# Parents as Teachers Playgroups

Fridays at 10:00 AM  
in the Preschool Room

October 7th

October 21st

November 4th

November 18th

December 2nd

**Playgroups are open to children age birth to 3 and their parents.**



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**For Sale:** The district has four 10R-22.5 tires for sale by sealed bid. To see the tires before placing a bid, contact Wayne Vineyard at the bus barn 435-6619. Bids are due to the district office by 4:00 PM on Monday, October 10th.



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