

# The Cardinal Flyer

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# 2008 Woodlawn High School

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## faces in THE CROWD



Jeff Beal and Kelsey Korris are voted Class Couple for Senior Favorites 2008.



Senior Brent Peterson shows off his moves during his free time at lunch.



Senior Aubrey Hails anticipates the suspense of her role in the school play.



Josh Stout, senior, racks his brain before his big test next hour.



Senior Abby Hassler and Sophomore Chad Taft model typical high school behavior.

## Top 10

By: Payton Schoenbeck

### Top 10 Things Heard in Class

10 "Dude, this weekend..."

9 The clock ticking

8 Feet tapping

7 Buttons clicking

6 "Psssst..."

5 "People, people..."

4 The song "Raspberry Beret" by Prince

3 Vibrations

2 "In other words..."

1 "But, memorizers start to panic..."

## The Play's the Thing

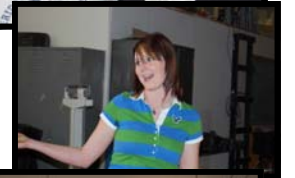
By: Alex Burns

On Friday, April 11, Mrs. McBride and the drama class will be presenting a fantastic presentation of script, actors, and comedy. The play, called "The Play's the Thing" is about a group of college students who are studying Shakespeare's plays and have a Medieval costume party. One of the students, Jordon (played by Rachel Hunsell), is very stressed about the test coming up, so the others help her out by explaining *Romeo and Juliet* then rapping about *Hamlet*. Being overwhelmed, she rests and dreams she's in the middle of *Romeo and Juliet* and *Hamlet*.

When asked the time set of the play, Mrs. McBride said "The play begins at a modern party but quickly switches to 1550." What props are used? "We have knives, swords, thrones, poisoned goblets, and a fairy's wand." How did you come up with the name? It comes from one of Hamlet's lines "The play's the thing wherein we'll catch the conscience of the king." It refers to doing a play within a play, which is what they're doing.

Main characters include Jordon (Rachel Hunsell), Romeo (Tank Junkins), Juliet (Alex Mandrell), Nurse (Michelle Boswell), Hamlet (Jerry Langa), Ophelia (Mollie Reaney), Polonius (Arianna Poorman), and Prince/King Claudius (Travis Tatlock).

The play's being played twice. On April 11 at 7:00 (tickets are \$4 for the play only) and April 12 with dinner at 6:00 and the play will begin at 7:00. (dinner and play are \$8). Come and join the party!



Drama class shown above preparing for their upcoming play.  
Top: Alex Sandy and Jerry Langa  
Middle: Shannon Carroll  
Bottom: Rachel Hunsell and Alex Mandrell

## Student Spotlight

### Kelsey Hails, Freshman Daughter of Frank Hails & Stacie Coultas

By: Alex Burns



**Favorite classes:** Music Appreciation and Biology.

**How much does music influence your life?** A lot. I listen to it 24/7

**Your current favorite series:** The Twilight series by Stephanie Meyer! It's so amazing.

**What's so good about it?** EDWARD! Plus the storyline is so creative. I relate to it a lot.

**Favorite movie:** Cloverfield.

**If you were stuck on an island for a year, what three things would you bring?** My iPod, computer, and food of course.

**Dream job:** Photographer. I love capturing the world in a picture.

## Students of the Month

### freshman



**Chad Taft**  
Son of Chad Taft and Vicki Niles

### sophomore



**Payton Schoenbeck**  
Son of Matt and Kelly Schoenbeck

### junior



**Luke Simmons**  
Son of Jay and Debbie Simmons

### senior



**Heather Attaway**  
Daughter of Penny Attaway



WHS faculty members nominate students to receive the Principal's Award based on attitude, attendance, and outstanding effort in class. One student from each class is then selected to receive the Principal's Award and, from those students, an overall Student of the Month is chosen.

### Mark Your Calendars:

**April 23** - Prairie State Achievement Exam - Juniors; Road Trips - Freshman, Sophomores, and Seniors

**April 24** - Prairie State Achievement Exam - Juniors; EXPLORE Test- Freshman; PLAN Test - Sophomores; College/Business Day - Seniors (11:30 Dismissal for all students on this day; busses will run at 3:00)

**May 23** - Awards Day and Graduation