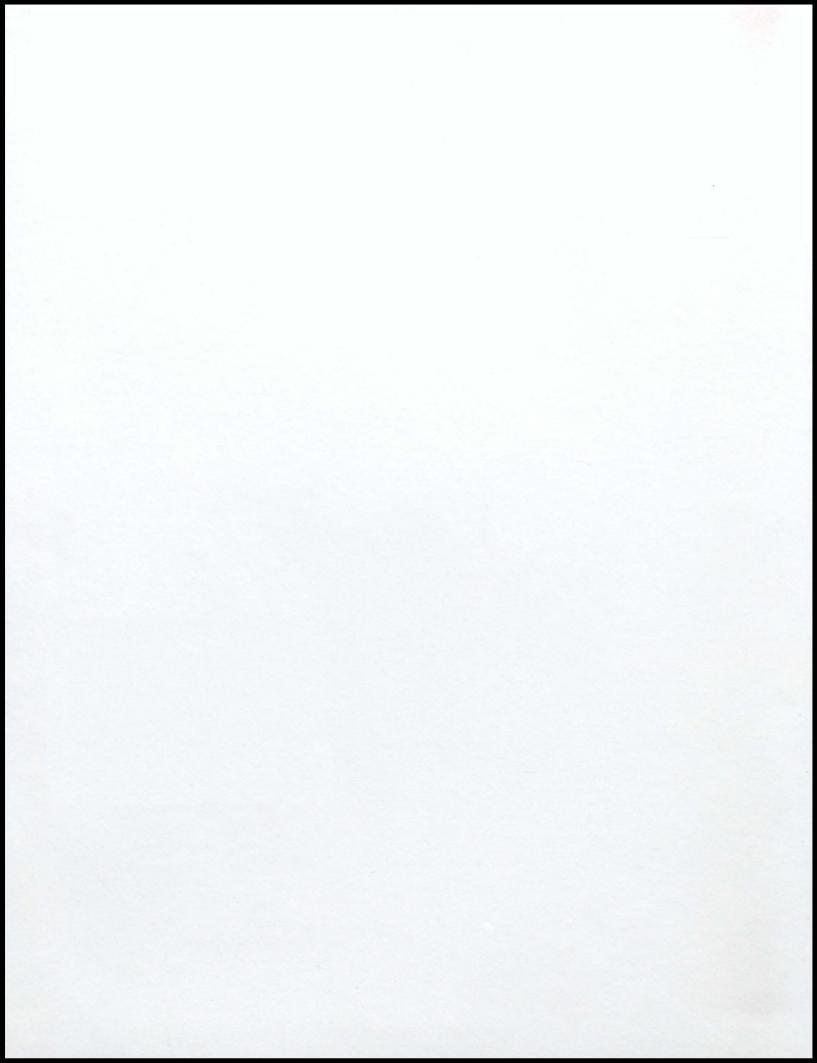
## SWOUND DREAMS









### Small TABLE

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### Small TOWN,

## Senior Zach Hasting pantique CASE I.H. trebuilt himself for himself.

Senior Zach Hasting poses beside his antique CASE I.H. tractor that he rebuilt himself for his Agricultural Mechanics Repair and Maintenance Entrepreneurship project. He was later named National Champion for his efforts on November 1st 2015.



Senior Cross Country runner Carly Shell pushes herself to the limit and a 3rd place finish at the Covington Invite on September 3rd. She later rounded out her season as the CCC League Champ, a 2nd place finish at Regionals, a 5th place finish at Districts, and 23rd at the State meet.



Senior golfer Levi Winn putts at the league meet to a 2nd place finish at Sectionals and his 3rd straight trip to districts. His season highlights included a 4th place finish at the sixteen team Joe Middleton Invite and 3rd place finish at the League tournament.





Seniors (Top-Bottom and L-R), Ben Kuether, Ethan Nash, Callie Barhorst, Lydia Millhouse, Cooper Hand, Levi Winn, Sydney Blanton, Sarah Pond, Brandon Magee, Jared Williams, Mariah Dysinger, Zach Barnes, Shane Straw, Coleman Ryan, Noah Thomas, Logan Fields, and Chace Hinnegan pose on the fifty yard line for a group shot after the Buccs 49 to 6 victory over the Ansonia Tigers on Smith Field. They went on to finish the season 8-3 with a last minute win against Tri-County North and a come-from-behind OT win against Miami East with a blocked field goal.



Big PRIDE





### Small PARADE

Nicki Zeitz plays her saxophone at the Friday nigh football game. The Sophomore class prepares their float for the homecoming parade. The cheerleaders put on a show as they dance to "Hit The Quan" during the pep rally. The Freshman class bundles up to ride their float in the homecoming parade. The girl's cross country team stands on the track to be recognized at the pep rally. FFA Members support their organization by riding their float in the Friday night parade. The football team waits on the track to recieve recognition at the Monday night pep rally.



Left to Right: Escort, Cooper Hand, Queen Candidate, Callie Barhorst, Escort, Jese Shell, Queen Candidate, Carly Shell, King Candidate, Connor Ryan, Queen, Sarah Pond, Queen Candidate, Erin Olson, King Candidate, Ryan Ford, Queen Candidate, Lydia Millhouse, Escort, Zach Hasting, after the queen crowning at the football game.





Left to Right: Jared Williams smiles as he recieves his crown at the pep rally. Sarah Pond is crowned Queen at the football game.

### by the numbers



### 1 Band, 1 Sound

The Covington
Band of Bucc
Pride head
through town to
start out the
Monday night
homecoming
parade.



### 10 homecoming court members

Ten Covington seniors are chosen every year as the homecoming court. "Being on homecomeing with all of our friends was the coolest thing we've experienced," 2015 Homecoming Court.



13 Boys XC runners

The boys cross country team stands on the track during the Monday night pep rally to recieve











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### We've Got Spirit

To dance challenges and a King being crowned, the pep rally was filled with a lot of spirit.

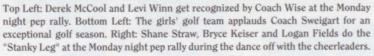














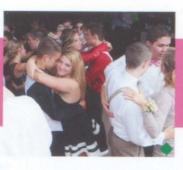












### small TUNE

Summertime Sadness by Lana Del Ray. Senior James Grilliot takes a breather during the fast pace night of dancing and having fun. Senior Court members Callie Barhorst and Logan Fields join together on the dance floor for the court slow dance. Queen Sarah pond struts her stuff as she makes her way onto the dance floor for the court dance. Senior Noah Thomas breaks for a quick drink after a long night of dancing. Sophomore Sienna Edwards takes a step back to observe everyones awesome dance moves!

It may have been a cold and rainy October evening, but that surely didn't stop the students of CHS from getting their groove on at the 2015 homecoming dance! Between the rockin' DJ playing all the latest songs, to the awesome dancemoves, it was definately a night to remember.





Left: Seniors Logan Fields and Callie Barhorst join together on the dance floor for a slow dance. Right: Senior Carly Shell makes an exciting entrance during the Court walk in.

### by the numbers



### Court Members

Logan Fields, Callie Barhorst, Lydia Millhouse, Coleman Ryan, Ryan Ford and Erin Olson, Connor Ryan and Carly Shell, Queen Sarah Pond and King Jared Williams march onto the dance floor for an exciting entrance.



### Royalties

Surely, Seniors
Jared Williams and
Sarah Pond made
the perfect duo for
Covington's
Homecoming king
and queen because
of their great
leadership
throughout the
school.



### Night to Remember

The dance was only a few hours long, but the memories will last a lifetime. Between the beautiful decorations and the DJ's beats, it was a nonstop











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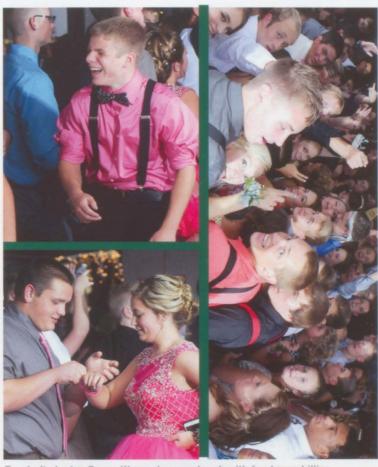






### It's Boogie Time!

The students at CHS boogie to the beat during the 2015 homecoming dance!



Top Left: Junior Casey Waag shares a laugh with freshman Lillian Hamilton, Bottom Left: Sophomore Dylan Swabb helps Junior Kayla Gray reattach her bracelet to her wrist. Right:

Top to Bottom: Freshman Makenzie Gamble, Junior Allison Babylon and Sophomore Jared Ford, Freshmen Lillian Hamilton and Leah Poling, and Junior Kayla Gray.

## Big City







tig GROOVE





### Small SCHOOL

CHS sends out the girls cross country teams as the head off to the state meet in Hebron, Ohio. Arianna Ordean and Elizabeth Schafer, two freshmen at CHS, are hard at work while reading first graders at the elementary. Two more freshmen, Connor Pence and Samuel Hutchinson, read their childrens books they made in Mrs. Nutter's class eagerly to the first graders. The student section looked very festive for a home basketball game right before the holidays. Freshman, Ian Wilson, intently reads his childrens book to a group of first graders. Coleman Ryan, a senior, gladly has his picture taken before class starts. Ashlyn Plessinger, Megan McKinley, and Courtney Barhorst, all freshman, attentively read to the group of first graders they were assigned.

# I Academics



Senior, Julianna Yingst and Sophomore, Kelsey Dysingner, run through the hallway as the whole school sends them off to the state cross country meet held in Hebron, Ohio.

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Left: Juniors, Lexie Long and Justice Warner smile at the camera while cheering for the boys basketball team. Right: Sophomore, Caleb Brooks and Senior, Lydia Millhouse are caught taking a selfie at a home basketball game.

### by the numbers



### **VOCAB WORDS**

Throughout the first semester the seniors had ninety-six vocabulary words to be tested over in Mrs Kerber's



### TESTS

During the first semester at CHS, the freshman were given a total of twenty nine tests in their basic Math, English, History, and Science classes.



### WEEKS

During Junior year at CHS one of the requirements is that students complete a research peper. In Mrs. Nutter's junior CP English class she gives them approximatly nine weeks to complete the whole paper.











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### land of learning

"CHS is the best because we have a variety of personalities." — Carly Shell



Top Left: Riley Richards and Ian Wilson read very attentively to their group of first graders. Bottom Left: Samantha Whiteman flashes a smile to the camera while her class reads their childrens books to the elementary students. Right: Senior, Carly Shell and Junior, Anna Dunn, are clapped out of the building to head to the state cross country alongside the rest of their team.

Top to Bottom: Mrs. Anderson lectures her third period class. Mrs. Baskerville is diligently working on paperwork while watching over students in the library.

Mrs. Robinson is diligently engaged in her paper work.
Mrs. Flora is preparing lunch for the numerous hungry students.











### Fall Scoreboard

Boys Golf	Home	Opp.
Arcanum	176	180
Tri-Village	169	180
Newton	171	194
Miss. Valley	149	240
Franklin Monroe	162	200
Bethel	155	151
Bradford	167	222
Tri-County N.	177	230
National Trail	182/	189
Miami East	189	161
Ansonia	168	230
New Knoxville	170	209
Ft. Loramie	170	178



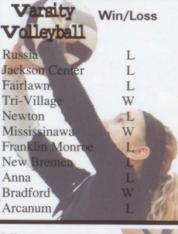
### Boys Golf Players: Kneeling L-R: Levi Winn, James Grilliot Standing L-R: Jack Shell, Ryan Gengler, Andrew Slusher, Braden Miller, Hunter Alexander, Derek

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## Girls Golf Players: Standing L-R: Emily Thompson, Addison Metz, Kelsey McReynolds, Noelle Gast, Megan Alexander Kneeling: Sydney Blanton





Varsity Volleyball Players:		
Row 1 Sitting (L-R): Shae Robinson		
Lauren York (Manager), Ashley		
Cecil, Savanna Schaurer. Row 2 (L-		
R): Erica Gostomsky (Manager),		
Brooke Gostomsky, Arianna		
Richards, Kyla Milligan (Manager).		
Row 3 (L-R): Assistant Coach Lori		
Smith, Darianne Ganger, Bre		
Dieperink, Legend Patty, Rachel		
York, Breanna Kimmel, Head Coacl		
Lonnie Cain.		



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## JV Volleyball Players: Row 1 (L-R): Sarah Hubbard, Lindsey Kimmel, Taylor Ray. Row 2 (L-R): Darianne Ganger, Sienna Edwards, Samantha Whiteman, Lauren Hebert, Legend Patty, Shae Robinson, Coach Stephanie Robinson.

### Varsity Cheer Competition

**Placing** 

Auglaize County Fair New Bremen Comp. Tri-Village Comp. Arcanum Comp. 3rd 2nd 3rd 1st 3rd

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### Varsity Cheerleaders:

Standing L-R: Anna Winn, Makenna Gostomsky. Kneeling L-R: Danielle Rose, Aliya Weer, Cameron Schilling, Legend Patty, Breanna Kimmel, Tori Lyle. Sitting L-R: Sydney Blanton, Abby Weer, Sarah Pond, Natalie Snyder, Callie Barhorst

### St. Henry Arcanum Miss. Valley Bethel Troy Christian TC North Miami East Miss. Valley Arcanum Arcanum

## DOWN TO GO ON QTR | DUCKEYE | PRESENTANCE |

### Varsity Football Players:

Row 1 L-R: Shane Straw, Logan Fields, Chace Hinnegan, Ben Kuether, Zach Barnes, Brandon Magee, Ethan Nash, Jared Williams, Noah Thomas, Coleman Ryan Row 2 L-R: Lance Miller, Branden Robinson, Nathan Blei, Seth Thomas, Nate Armentrout, Zane Barnes, Carl Lankford, Adam Lefeld, Deron White Row 3 L-R: Sam Pritchard, Ethan Herron, Bowen Swank, Christian Nelson, Ty Freeman, Bryce Keiser, Caleb Rawson, Gavin McReynolds Row 4: Dimaurye Ewing, Parker Dysinger, Ian Wilson, Eli Gerling, Garrett Warner

### Boys XC Placing

TV South

Ansonia

National Trail

Lehman (Playoff)

Bob Schul Inv. 7th out of 19 Covington Inv. 3 out of 10 Spencerville 4 out of 13 6 out of 13 Eaton Inv Cedarville 5 out of 24 County Inv. 4 out of 8 Anna Inv. 11 out of 23 CCC Inv. 2 out of 10 2 out of 9 District Inv. Regional Inv. 11 out of 16 State Qualifier: Nathan Dunn



### Boys XC Runners:

Kneeling L-R: Connor Ryan, Mark Barga, Steven Shane, Ashby Wrench Standing L-R: Tyler Travers, Tanner Kimmel, Ryan Ford, Josh Sowers, Mason Dilley, Dylan Kelly, Nathan Kimmel, Jared Ford, Hunter Brumbaugh

### Girls XC Placing

Bob Schul Inv. 8 out of 14 Covington Inv. 3 out of 9 Spencerville 3 out 7 Eaton Inv. out of 12 Cedarville out of 22 County In 4 out of 7 Anna Inv. out of 15 CCC Inv. out of 10 District Meet out of 7 out of 16 Regional M State Mee 959 out of 16



### Girls XC Runners:

Standing L-R: Payge
Boerhinger, Allison
Babylon, Tori Lyle,
Julianna Yingst, Meghan
Parker, Carly Shell, Allison
Angle, Emma Dammeyer,
Danielle Swabb, Kelsey
Dysinger. Kneeling L-R:
Ashlyn Plessinger, Olivia
Vombaur, Sarah Remley
Anna Dunn, Danielle
Alexander





### Small FEET,

Senior, Julianna Yingst, strides her way out of the woods at the girls own home meet held in September. Juniors, Allison Babylon, Alli Angle and Freshman, Olivia Vombaur, start the Buccaneer's home meet off with a bang. 🐤 Paige Boehringer, a freshman this year, puts in all her effort as she races in Troy, Ohio at a chance to advance to state with her team. While trying to block out the cold, Sophomore, Tori Lyle, chases down her opponent at the League Meet held at National Trail this year. Sophomore, Emma Dammeyer, darts down a hill and helps her team attain the second place trophy at the Buccaneer's own Invitational. Sarah Remley, a freshman on the team, takes a look at the camera while racing by at the League Meet, in which the girls came in first place. One of the top seven, Ashlyn Plessinger, puts all her training to use as she gives all her effort to help her teammates make a run to state.

she Inishes fifth in National I rail. 1 op regnt: эорношогс, recess y by anges green wards for first place for her team at the League Meet. Bottom: The top seven girl is that the kindergardeners and first graders made them for making it to state as a fifth in National Trail. Top Right: Sophomore, Kelsey Dysinger gives r first place for her team at the League Meet. Bottom: The top seven girls the team, strives for the finish line at the League Trail. Top Right: Sophomore, Kelsey Dysinger



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The Girls Cross Country team is standing up receiving their award at the Regional meet in Troy, Ohio. The am had just qualified to go to tate and become the cond team in school history to do so. At the State meet, in Hebron Ohio the girls placed ninth as a

### **MEETS**

our Cross Country Women

This season there were twelve meets. The team gets ready for each meet by bonding or going out to eat pasta at Fazoilis the night before a race.



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### YEARS

It has been sixteen years since a whole girls cross country team has had the joy of getting the chance to making it to the state cross country meet as an entire team.



### **TEAMMATES**

There were a total of seventeen girls on the team this Seventeen year. girls that were there pushing each other to be the best that they could be.













Senior, Carly Shell pushes through the pain while coming up a hill at the Covington Invitational this Fall. Carly went on to place fourth in the Buccaneer FOE Invitaional right in front of Paige Boehringner and Anna Dunn.

Top to Bottom: Carly Shell, Danielle Swabb, Meghan Parker, and Julianna Yingst Not Pictured: Erin Olson



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### Small LEGS.

♦ Hunter Brumbaugh pushes to stay ahead of others
♦ Jared Ford effortlessly runs, while looking to pass. while looking to pass. 
Tyler Travers runs with nothing but green ahead of him Mark Barga finishes a strong race. 
Hunter Brumbaugh looks ahead to

the finish line. • Sophomore Tanner Kimmel keeps a lead on multiple runners at League. A Mason Dilley pushes himself to the best of his ability.

Freshman Ashby Rench strolls quickly past a cornfield at the Right: Dylan Kelly fights to stay in front of another runner.







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With this being only his second vear as a runner, senior Connor Ryan was a major asset to the team. He was one of the best overall in the squad and ended up with the team best 9th fastest time in the CCC.



League Placers

The team finished fourth place overall in the CCC League Meet this year with a score of 128.



Preparing For the Future

The Covington XC team will have ten runners returning next year.



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Strong Showing

At the CCC League meet, there were three Buccaneers in the top 30, including Josh Sowers and Nathan Lyle.









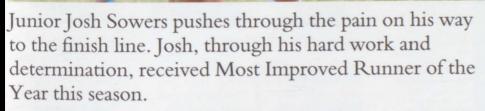




The Seniors of the Boys'
Cross Country team
Steven Shane and
Connor Ryan. Steven
was a consistent runner
over the season, while
Connor led the way with
the fastest time this year.

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### Small PUTT,

◆ Megan Alexander lines up her put on the green. ◆ Kelsey McReynolds pushes her cart during a long day of golf. Noelle Gast ponders what to do for her next stroke. Megan Alexander practices her swing before taking her shot. Addison Metz drives the ball in hope for a par. Emily Thompson looks on after a great shot towards the green. • Kelsey McReynolds lines up her ball for the perfect Insta-Buccs











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McReynolds, Emily Thompson, Megan Alexander, Addison Metz and Noelle working towards a par. Top Right: Senior Sydney Blanton uses her 7 iron to creep closer to the green. Bottom: Team Member Sydney Blanton, Kelsey Top Left: Sophomore Noelle Gast looks on after using her driver in the tee box

INS' GOL

### story?

what's your

Senior Sydney Blanton finishes her third year with the Covington Girls Golf Team this year "I think that it (golf) was a great way to bond with people I don't normally hang out with," says Sydney, "It was a lot of fun spending time with the girls and our new coach, Mr. Sweigart. This year was by far my favorite season."



### **New Coach**

This year, the girls' golf team had a new coach, Mr. Sweigart. He said that golf is, "An interesting experience full of teachable moments, and I look forward to many more years to come."



### Girls To A Team

Although the girls Golf Team only had 6 girls this year, they pulled out a great season this year, and hope to keep improving for years to come.



Matches a Season

This year the Covington Lady Buccs Girls' Golf Team participated in a total of eighteen matches over the course of the season. Some of these include 18 hole tournaments.













Junior, Addison Metz uses her sand wedge to get out of a sand bunker at Echo Hills Golf Course, during her match against Miami East. She later ended this hole with a bogey.

Returning letterme:
Sydney Blanton, Kelsey
McReynolds, Addison
Metz, and Megan
Alexander lead the
Covington Lady Buccs
Girls' Golf Team to a
great season this fall.



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Big DRIVE





### Small TEE,

◆Freshman Jack Shell chips onto the 13th green at Stillwater Valley at the Boys' league meet. ◆ Sophomore Ryan Gengler eyes down an iron shot from the fairway at the league meet on September 17th. Junior Derek McCool returns for the Buccs' Golf team for his 3rd season. 🦫 Jack Shell follows through on his drive on the back nine at Echo Hills Golf Course in a league dual against National Trail on September 1st. 🐞 Freshman Hunter Alexander joins the Buccs' golf team for the 2015 season. He was a crucial final score in many matches this season.

♦ Sophomore Andrew Slusher watches his putt sink into the bottom of the cup after, ♦ He checked out the slope of the green, on the 12th hole at Echo Hills Golf Course in a dual match against Miami East on September 8th.

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ater Valley Golf Course during the league Jack Shell tees off during a dual match at

Andrew Slusher takes a grassy divot at the league meet at Stillwater Valley trying

meet on September 17th. Top R h at Echo Hills on September 8th.

Top Right

. Bottom

Sophomore Ryan Gengler eyes down the fairway at the league meet on September 17th at Stillwater Valley Golf course. Ryan and the buccs had a good day at the league meet, with many personal bests from the team, including Ryan himself.



### Clubs

14 Clubs are the limit you can use in your golf bag in a match. They don't have to be the same clubs as other players, but you want to make the most of your club choices.



### Holes

18 Holes, the number of holes in a golf tournament. These are long days with a lot of waiting and walking. The stakes are high and the rewards are great.



### Coaches

2 Coahces are the people who will guide the golfers through their rounds and try and perfect their swings throughout their seasons and their careers.











Top to bottom: The High School Golf coach Mr. Bill Wise.

Followed by the two Seniors, Levi Winn and James Grilliot respectively. Lastly a picture of all returning lettermen: Levi Winn, James Grilliot, and Sophomore Andrew Slusher.



Senior Levi Winn looks towards the green after a long iron strike on a par five in the back nine at Echo Hills during a match against Miami East on September 8th. He later birdied that hole and led his team to a solid win against the Vikings.













◆ Breanna Kimmel, Sophomore, tips the ball over the net. ◆ Ashley Cecil serves the volleyball over the net. ARachel York spikes the ball at the other team. Legend Patty jumps up to do a quick tip over the net. Arianna Richards sets the ball up for a spike. The student sections grows as they cheer on the Lady Buccs. Savannah Schaurer spikes the ball at the other team.

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## Top Left: Sophomore, Bre Dieperink, spikes the volleyball at a home game against Newton. Top Right: Junior, Savanna Schaurer, passes the volleyball from the back of the court to the setter. Bottom: The Covingotn Varsity Volleyball team lines up on the court lines to be introduced to the audience

### what's your story?





### Seniors

The Covington Varsity Volleyball team has two seniors. On the left is Brooke Gostomsky, and on the right is Arianna Richards. Arianna Richards states that, "I am sad to see the season end, but I wouldn't have wanted to end it with anyone but Brooke".



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### **Returning Letterman**

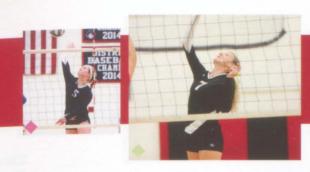
Five returning letterman: From left to right, Savanna Schaurer, Ashley Cecil, Brooke Gostomsky, Arianna Richards, and Rachel York. Ashley Cecil has big plans for next year and, "I really will miss Brook and Arianna but I'm ready for next year to start already".



### Supporters

The Covington Volleyball team had hundreds supporters show up to the games to cheer them on and the student section was the loudest out of al the areas.

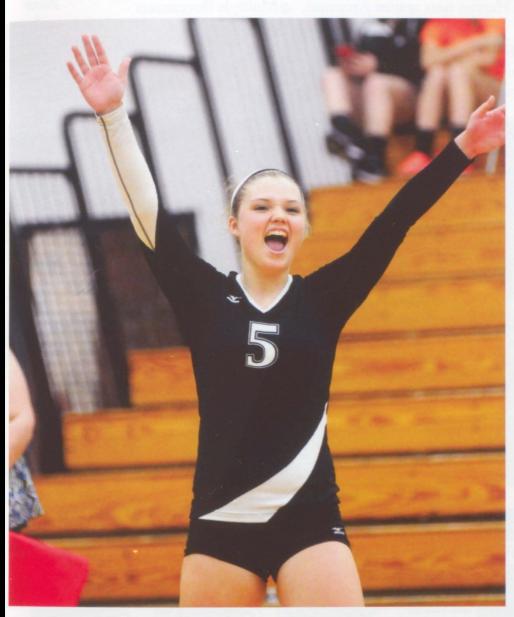
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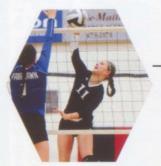








From Top to Bottom: Senior Brooke Gostomsky in the top two photos and senior Arianna Richards in the bottom two photos were co-captains this season.



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Returning letterman and Junior at Covington High School, Rachel York, throws her hands up in excitement as the Lady Buccs scored another point during the home game against Ansonia.





### Small SCHOOL

◆Sophomore Ethan Herron runs against Arcanum. ◆Multiple Buccaneers tackle a TVS runner. Senior Chace Hinnegan blocks for the field goal.

 Senior Ethan Nash snaps the ball.
 Junior Lance Miller fights for extra yardage. Psenior Noah Thomas looks to the sideline after making a play. 

Junior Adam Lefeld makes a tackle against

Mississinawa Valley.

game winner during the Homeoming Game. Bottom: Carl Left: Junior Branden Robinson makes the catch on senio Top Right: Sophomore Ty Freeman looks to throw the

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Pure joy from senior Zach Barnes as he runs off the field against Miami East. Moments before, the Buccaneer defense, led by Zach, blocked the extra point attempt in overtime to win a come-frombehind game. A game truly special that was played for Coach Miller after a loss in his family. A game that was full of truly inspired



What a Time...

The number of consecutive seasons which the football team at Covington has made the state playoffs.



Champions

**The Buccaneer** football team has earned eight league titles since 2005, over half of these titles being sole titles and not shared with another school.



Kicking Off

On an average day of practice, you'll find five kicking tees at the bottom of the ball bag used to carry footballs.













The Season Saver: Senior Shane "Angel Hands" Straw catches his first of two game winners on Homecoming Night. This play helped give the Buccs a piece of the CCC title. In the closing seconds of the game against Tri-County North, Straw made this catch from Jared Williams to take the lead late in the fourth quarter.

(T-B): Coleman Ryan makes a last second interception.

Brandon Magee in on a tackle. Logan Fields focuses his mind before gametime.

Jared Williams uses his speed and strength to run over a tackler.









Big TRADITION





### Small BOW.

Sophomore Danielle Rose leads the croud in a cheer at the 2015 homecoming pep rally. Sophomore Legend Patty takes a look up at the crowd and admires the excitement of the fans. > Junior Abby Weer claps her pom-poms together as she cheers on the football field. Senior captians Sydney Blanton and Callie Barhorst grin from exitement as they enjoy their last ever football game. Sophomore Danielle Rose performs a high kick on the track during the game against the Lehman Catholic Cavaliers. Senior Sarah Pond keeps a smile on her face as the end of the fourth quarter approaches. 

Junior Natalie Snider puts her hands together as she cheers on the Buccaneers.

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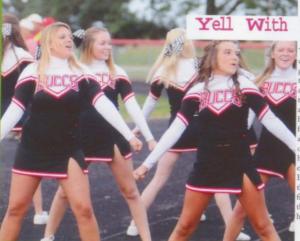












cheer during the Homecoming Peprally. Top Right: Senior Sydney Blanto a glimps at the field to see how the football team is doing during the game. Bottom: Senior Callie Barhorst, Junior Abby Weer, and Freshman Lily Ha

Top Right: Senior Sydney Blanton take leads the crown on

Day Top Left: Sophomore Danielle

pep up the stands with

The CHS football heer squad always greets the opposing team with a positive ttitude. Whether the game is home or way, the girls always ave a smile on their ce when approaching the opponents for the ello cheer. Before very game, the Lady Buccs make a trip to the other side of the ield to introduce hemselves with a ello cheer

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### POM-POMS

In order to show off their pep, the CHS cheerleaders clap, stomp, jump, and of course swish their pom-poms! During every football game, the girls are required to cheer with their poms for at least two quarters.



### BOWS

One of the most important things about being cheerleader is looking your best. From the uniform, to the white socks and shoes, and of course the big bows to top off the look. Most of the bows that the CHS cheerleaders wear are homemade by the coach. Gretchen Schmidt.



### **MEGAPHONES**

The 2015 football cheerleaders love nothing more than when the crowd gets excited during the game. In order to involve the crowd, the girls use megaphones to project their voice so that everyone can hear and get excited













Senior Callie Barhorst leads the team onto the field while carrying the Covington Buccs flag as they are about to face the Lehman Catholic Cavaliers.

Top to Bottom: Seniors Callie Barhorst, Sarah — Pond and Sydney Blanton lead the cheer team through the 2015 football season.



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### Small BAND,

Eighth Grader Fletcher Metz plays the second movement of their show at halftime of a home football game. Freshman Natalie Zeitz carries her Sousaphone with pride onto the Covington Buccs football field. Michael Shafer focuses in on his music as he plays every note of the first movement. Josh Wall holds his Mellophone high for the playing of our national anthem. Freshman Sam Huchingson joins his fellow band members in playing music at a friday night football game. Natalie Zeitz plays with trombonist Andrea Herron to make a beautiful sound heard all across the stadium. Eighth Grader Maddison Otte plays clarinet with the other clarinet player Sarah Barnhart to finish off the end of movement one.

clarinet player Sarah Barnhart to finish off the end





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# Top Left: The Covington Bands snare drummer, Kristen Meyer marches on, keeping the band in time. Top right: Arianna Ordean reads her music and plays clarinet in front of the Covington crowd at a home football game. Bottom: The Covington band plays in the parade to help add a more lively feeling to the experience.

### your story?

The Covington Bucces band of Pride practices three days a week and plays at games every friday, learning pep band music, show music, and drill.

### 46

### Sets in the show

There are 46 sets of drill that make up one great show. A set is a movement from one place to another on the feild, while also playing.



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### Sousaphone

The average cost of a sousaphone is around \$5,500. Each year one person has the honor of playing the Sousaphone for the Covington band. This year that is Natalie Zeitz.



### Keyholes in a clarinet

The clarinet has a total of thirteen keyholes that when covered, make different unique sounds.

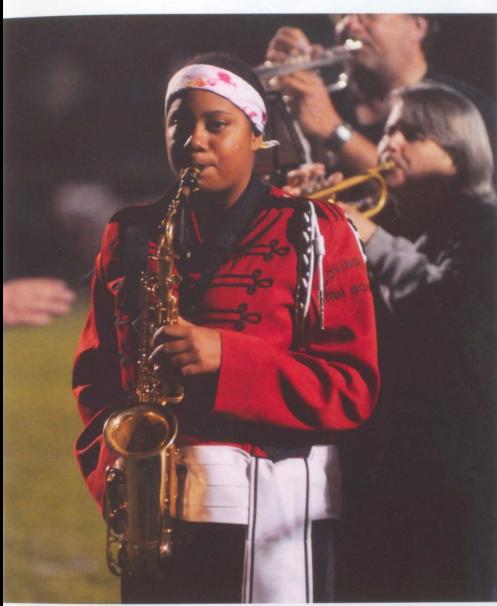












Brandi Young, one of four saphaphone players, and a junior at Covington High School, plays saxaphone with volunteer band members to make a stunning piece of music for the audience at the Covington Buccs Stadium.

The Covington High School Band has three seniors who help lead the band in all of their practices and preformances, Nicki Zeitz, Haylee Pence, Danielle Swabb.











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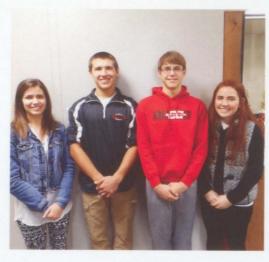
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# Winter Division

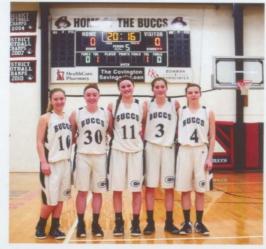


The Junior class officers pose for a picture

during a homeroom meeting. During the winter, the juniors are responsible for holding meetings in order to prepare for both Prom and After Prom.



Lone Senior Jordan Maschino led the Covington boys basketball team to a 10-13 record on the season, and the Buccs first tournament win in ten years.



Led by five seniors, the Lady Buccs finished the season with a 14-8 record,

and a 2nd place finish in the CCC. The Lady Buccs began the tournament with a win over Bradofrd, followed by a hearbreaking loss to Southeastern.



The 2015-2016 winter sports season was one full of hard work. excitement, and emotion. The student athletes Covington, here at accomplished many great achievements throughout the season. These include: The boys basketball team winning its first tournament game in a decade. The girls basketball team with a runner-up finish in CCC. Lastly, the Buccs' wrestling team won its 14th straight unofficial league title, and finished as the one of the best teams in Covington history.

Right: Ryan Ford gets his hand raised, just as he has done many times before. Ryan finished his outstanding career with the most wins in Covington history (201). Ryan brooke many records while at Covington including: career takedowns, season takedowns, and career wins. Ryan finished as the Buccs' 2nd 3-time state placer. Ryan will be attending Cleveland State University onm a full scholarship where he will continue to play the sport he loves.

Big EXPECTATIONS





# small KEY

- Four members of quiz team prepare to answer a question in the final match at a conference in Tecumseh. Arianna and several other students at covington go over to the elementary school to help out younger kids read in Ohio Reads. Jesse Crowell help out a reluctant elementary student with flashcards. Mason Dilley helps pour drinks at the pancake day that Covington High School puts on every year. Adam Lefeld hands waits at pancake day. Spencer Houge, Jesse Shell, Mikenna Baker, and Danielle Swabb sit across the moderator, awaiting for the other team to get ready.
- Danielle Swabb, Mikenna Baker, Jese Shell, and Spencer Houge, along with Mr. Cantrell, Haylee Pence, and Emily Cordonnier sit ready at their First winter competition.



Left to Right: Mikenna Baker, Sarah Hubbard, Emily Cordonnier, Sarah Retz, Ryan Gangler, Spencer Hogue, Nathan Cantrell, Haylee Pence, Jese Shell, Mr. Cantrell



Alli Angle and Savannah Schaurer helping out at Pancake day.

# by the numbers



Pancakes
Pancackes were sold at the pancakes day this year.



The Quiz Team was started last year by Mr. Cantrell and is slowing growing in popularity with eleven current members

Years



Questions

In a standard quiz team match twenty questions are asked to both teams and once a team answers a question, three bonus question are asked to that team only.











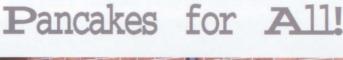














Top left to right: Mason Dilley, Jenna Hagan, Rachel York, Carly Shell, Kelsey McReynolds, Ryan Ford, Ashley Cecil, Allison Angle, Chance Hinnegan. Bottom left to right: Sienna Edwards, Taylor Ray, Spencer Hogue, Danielle Alexander Sarah Pond, Erin Olsen, Jessie Crowell, Arianna Richards, Sarabeth Anderson.

Top: Mr. Craft is the advisor for Covington's Key Club.
Second: President Booke Gostomsky is

constantly helping out and contributing to Key Club.

Third: Mr. Cantrell is the founder and advisor of the Covington High School Quiz Team.

Last: Jese Shell is Covingtons strongest quiz team player, and a two year veteran this year.













# small CLUB

Freshman Hanna Bordelon waits for further instructions from Mrs. Young. A group of sophomore students in Mrs. Kerber's class, all enjoying their flowers. Sophomore Bre Dieperink grins as she receives her carnation from the FCCLA members. Junior Allison Babylon shows sophomore Legend Patty how to properly take minutes during a meeting. Freshmen Hunter Alexander and Summer Wright help sort the carnations during Valentine's Day. Eight students receive certificates for being the topsellers for Bucc Cards. ◆Freshman Emily Hendrick looks at Mrs. Young's projector to follow her insturctions on the up coming projects.



The FCCLA Chapter held their first annual Teddy Bear Toss. The Teddy Bear Toss took place at the high school boys basketball game against Twin Valley South on December 18th. This was not a normal donation either; after the first three point shot was scored by either team, the fans tossed their donations onto the gym floor in celebration.





Left: The pile of donations just kept growing and growing. Right: Officer Cline is cautiously guarding the stuffed animals from the Teddy Bear Toss.

# by the numbers



### Members

This years members were at an all time high. 34 members. "It was the most that I have ever had in my chapter," explains Mrs. Young, "I am very excited to see what this year holds for us."



### Words to Make the Club

FCCLA. Family, Career, Community, Leaders of America. This is the most literal definition of this club. But according to Arianna Ordean, "FCCLA means being more active in my community."



### Hard Working Girls

Sophomores
Danielle
Alexander and
Taylor Ray
vigorously work to
finish the plans for
the upcoming year
for the 2015-2016
FCCLA chapter.





















# Flowers Aplenty

This year's Valentine's Day carnation sales were a huge success. Over 277 flowers were sold and distributed throughout CHS.







Top Left: Sophomore Sarah Hubbard carries her bouquet of carnations to distribute to the students. Top Right: Senior Ryan Ford grins from ear to ear after receiving his first pink flower. Bottom: Sophomore Jared Ford continues to hand out carnations to some very lucky people.

Club Officers: President, Allison Babylon (11). —— Vice President, Jared Ford (10). Secretary, Kirsten Fries (10). Treasurer, Taylor Ray (10).













# small FIELD

FFA President Jese Shell gives his retiring address and takes off his jacket for one last time at the 2016 FFA Banquet. ◆ The Covington FFA Chapter held a dodgeball tournament to raise money for Children's hospital.◆ Brittany Daniel stands with the lamb that Mrs. Nutter, Shane Straw, and Callie Barhorst kissed during FFA Week. ◆ Joey Schmelzer, Zach Hasting, and Trevor Miller practice their parts for banquet.◆ Jese Shell and Linsey Kimmel smile for the camera on an early Saturday morning at the Miami Trace Livestock Judging Competition. ◆ Callie Barhorst puckers up to kiss the baby lamb at a home basketball game. ◆ Casey Phillis and Trevor Miller attempts to pass the candy faster than any other team at an FFA meeting.



Above: The members of FFA that took the long bus ride to the Columbus Fairgrounds for the 2-day Ohio FFA State Convention. On the trip, the Covington FFA chapter was recognized as part of the top ten percent of all Ohio FFA chapters in just its third year. The Covington FFA chapter was very successful at State Convention as they brought home 2 state champions, 2 top four finishes in proficiencies, 7 FFA State Degrees, a 3rd place finish in the Ag Science Fair, and 2 Gold-Rated officer books.





Above: FFA Advisor Mrs. Helsinger joins Senior Zach Hasting as he claims his award at the FFA national Convention where he was named the FFA National Champion in Ag Mechanics. Right: Zach poses with one of his completed restoration projects.

# by the numbers



The Place at State for 2015 Rural Soil Judging Team

Above: Ben Kuether, Brandon Magee, Mr. Long, and Trevor Miller inspect the texture of the soils in the practice pit behind the high school.



### **Retiring Seniors**

Above: Mrs. Helsinger and the nine seniors pose for a picture at the FFABanquet. This was a very special moment as this years senior class brought FFA back to Covington.



**FFA Officers** 

Above: The 2016-2017 FFA officers take a picture at the 2016 FFA Banquet.





















# Blue Jackets Galore

"Without FFA, life would be a mistake."

-Coleman Ryan



Top Left: Zach Hastings and his father pose for a picture after Zach was named an FFA National Champion in Ag Mechanics. Right: Joey Schmelzer smiles after knocking one of his opponents out of the game during the FFA Dodgeball Tournament. Bottom Left: Kelsey McReynolds helps her team put together its project at the Greenhand Conference.

(Top to Bottom): FFA Advisor takes a picture with her daughter at the 2016 FFA Banquet. Chpater Reporter Lydia Millhouse recieves her award for being a state champion in Equine Placement. Chapter Sentinel Brandon Magee recieved his second state title in Ag Services. Chapter Secretary Ben Kuether was a 3-time profiency finalists during his tenure at Covington. Ben recieved 3rd once, and 4th twice.













# small TRIALS

◆ Chris Wagner sits on Callie's lap, A.K.A. Santa Claus, and tells her what he would like to receive for Christmas.
 ◆ Danielle Alexander, Ryan Snyder, Alexis Roth, Sarah Hubbard, and Sarabeth Anderson all listen to the judge as the final decision is made.
 ◆ Justice Warner and Lexie Long show off their Ugly Christmas sweaters.
 ◆ Spencer Hogue waits patiently for the jury to make their decision.
 ◆ Callie, A.K.A. Santa, warns the kids at C.H.S. to behave or they won't be receiving any presents.
 ◆ Breanna Kimmel, Nathan Cantrell, and Braden Miller present their case to the court.
 ◆ Micah Meyer sits on Santa's lap (Callie) while asking for his most wanted gift for Christmas.



Sophomores Hunter Brumbaugh, Lindsey Kimmel, and Joey Schmelzer all work together during the Mock Trials in Mrs. Kerber's class to help plead for their side of the case after finishing *To Kill A Mockingbird* by Harper Lee.





Juniors Savannah Schauer, Jesse Wall, and Lance Miller work on their cylinder racers in the gymnasium while Mr. Vanskyock oversees their activities as they all try to reach the goals set for them.

# by the numbers



### Judge

Spencer Hogue listens to the interrogations of the witnesses before allowing the jury to make their decisions.



### Sides

There are two sides of the story and both have to be heard before a decision on who is guily can be made.



### Jurists

On average, there were about five students acting as jurists that decided the fate of the accused.















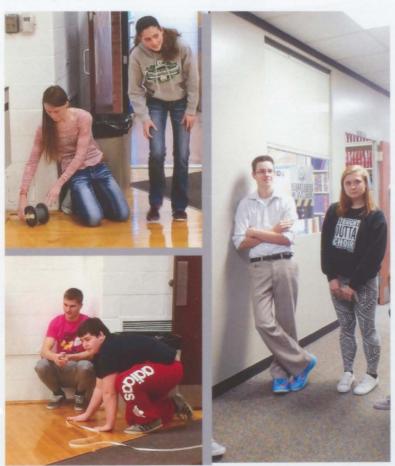








"CHS has so many different types of people and the diversity is awesome!" —Danielle Swabb



Upper Left: Emily Cordonnier, and Carly Shell prepare their cylinder racers. Lower Left: Ross Bowman and Chace Hinnegan watch as their cylinder racer rolls away. Right: Andrew Slusher and Kirsten Fries discuss their thoughts on each side of the case at hand.

Top to Bottom: Mr. Vanskock teaches his eighth period class how to calculate the distance and speed of a moving object.

Mr. Dunn goes over the problem of the day with his math class.

Mrs. Crawford helps one of her students with her project in her Art 1 class.

Mrs. Nutter grades papers during her eighth period study hall.









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# Winter Scoreboard





# Boys Varsity Basketball Players:

Standing L-R: Coach Steve Dunn, Coach Matt Pond, Jayce Pond, Zach Parrett, Trevor Miller, Tristin Sowers, Jordan Maschino, Kenny Atkinson, Nathan Blei, Adam Lefeld, Jett Murphy





### JV Boys Basketball Players:

Standing L-R: Coach Dean Maxson, Jack Shell, Christian Warden, Bradley Wiggins, Braden Miller, Tyler Fraley, Hunter Alexander, Mason Dilley, Cade Harshbarger, Tyler Freeman, Gray Harshbarger, Nathan Lyle, Bryan Miller, Chad Yohey

Varsity Girls		
Baskethall	Us	Them
Houston	44	43
Fairlawn	57	33
Arcanum	51	40
Versailles	25	49
Tri-Village	40	47
Bradford	52	25
Franklin Monroe	60	34
Mississinawa Valley	68	41
Newton	60	57
Troy	35	28
Miami East	46	60
Ansonia	58	41
Milton	45	51
Bethe	49	33
Russia	45	54







### Varsity Basketball Players:

Standing L-R: Manager
Makenzee Maschino, Coach
Craig Maschino, Jordan
Crowell, Sammi Whiteman,
Lexie Long, Rayna Horner,
Tori Lyle, Coach Lisa Cox,
Manager Erica Gostomsky,
Coach Adam Sweigart
Sitting L-R: Jessie Crowell,
Carly Shell, Brooke
Gostomsky, Julianna Yingst,
Arianna Richards

### JV Basketball Players:

Standing: L-R: Manager
Makenzee Maschino, Coach
Lisa Cox, Allison Angle,
Kelsey McReynolds, Lillian
Hamilton, Lauren Hebert,
Coach Adam Sweigart,
Manager Erica Gostomsky
Sitting L-R: Justice Warner,
Madison Gambill, Kara
Schaffer, Kailyn Pond,
Addison Metz



**Boys Wrestling Players:** 

Standing L-R: Coach Tom Barbee,
Dylan Swob, Ian Wilson, Seth
Thómas, Brandon Magee, Carl
Lankford, Bryce Keiser, Luke
Greishop, Coach Mike Stephan,
Coach Eric Vanderhorst
Kneeling L-R: Ross Bowman, Gavin
McReynolds, Ryan Ford, Gage
Dehart, Josh Sowers, Branden
Robinson, Deron White, Parker
Dysinger
Sitting L-R: Alexis Roth, Connor
Ryan, Riley Richards, Jared Ford,
Joey Schmelzer, Chris Triplett,

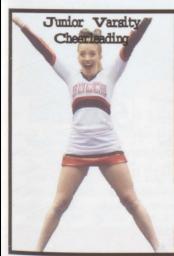
Kerringten Martin, Coleman Ryan,



# Varsity Girls Cheerleaders:

Dolan Young

Standing L-R: Breanna Kimmel, Sydney Blanton, Natalie Snyder Kneeling L-R: Danielle Rose, Abby Weer, Sarah Pond, Tori Lyle, Aliya Weer





# JV Girls Cheerleaders:

Standing L-R: Lily
Hargrave, Anna Winn,
Ashlynn Plessinger
Kneeling L-R: Legend
Patty, Cameron
Schilling, Makenna
Gostomsky

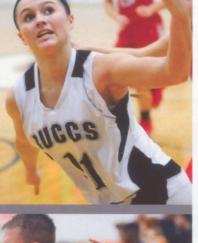




# Small GYM,

◆ Jessie Crowell shoots the three in the fourth quarter of the Tri-Village. ◆ Sophomore Jordan Crowell throws a head fake to psych out her opponent. 🔷 Junior Kelsey McReynolds goes up for the shot against Fairlawn. •Allison Angle looks for an open team mate to skip pass the ball to. Arianna Richards saves the ball from going out of bounds once again. A Rayna Horner goes for the open layup after a steal at half court. • Freshman Sammi Whiteman brings the ball down the floor to call a play for the Lady Buccs.

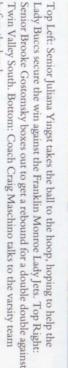
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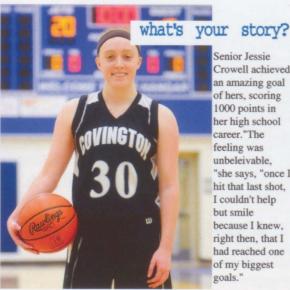
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Senior Jessie Crowell achieved an amazing goal of hers, scoring 1000 points in her high school career."The feeling was unbeleivable, "she says, "once I hit that last shot, I couldn't help but smile because I knew, right then, that I had reached one of my biggest goals."



**Tournament Rivals** 

At Covington, we have many rivals, but for the Lady Buccs, two stand out in particular. Bradford Southeastern. and Both of which, they played in the final tournament games. They beat Bradord 54-30, but fell short to Southeastern 32-36.



**Double - Doubles** 

A double-double is when a player gets double digits in both points and rebounds. This year the Lady Buccs Girls' Basketball team acheived a total of 16 Double - Doubles for the 2015 - 2016 season.



The Average Height

As anyone could tell, the Lady Buccs were not blessed with height. With the average height being only. The girls were lead in height by Lillan Hamilton at 5' 11" and Kelsey McReynolds at 5' 10".









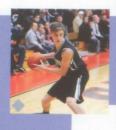




Senior Carly Shell is a three year varsity letterman for the Covington Lady Buccs basketball team. "I will always remember my days as a Buccaneer, " Carly explains, "But my favorite memory would probably have to be freshman year, when Brittany Flora has such a ridiculous layup in practice, that we had to stop the drill so we could just laugh for over ten minutes."



Big HEART



ys' Basketball



# Small COURT,

Sophomore Cade Harshbarger looking to pass in the corner. Sophomore Jett Murphy passes over a defender. 

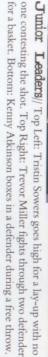
Junior Trevor Miller goes over a man for a layup. 

Junior Nathan Blei looking to strike on a three ball.

 Senior Jordan Maschino hits the paint hard for a lay-in.
 Juniors Kenny Atkinson and Tristin Sowers defend an opposing player inside. 

Sophomore Jett Murphy dribbles trying to get inside on an opponent.

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for a lay-up with









## numbers



Junior Nathan Blei was a true leader for the Buccaneers this year. He showed the team how to play hard and have fun. along with how to play with all he had. Whether he was being the court general and assisting n ball movement or leading the charge on a fast break, you could always see him leading the team as an underclassman.



### Tools of the Trade

basketball holder contains 18 balls. The holder allowed the basketballs to be kept in great shape. They were crucial to the success of the allowing boys, them to practice at their best.



### The Real MVP

Jordan Maschino was the only senior on this year's team. He devoted many years of his life to the game he loves, and it showed as he was the emotional and on-court leader of the team this year.



### **School Spirit**

The Covington student section supported team with 11 games that had a student section with a theme. All of these games had great turn outs, cheering loud and being proud.













Junior Jayce Pond goes down the student section line to give out high fives with senior Jordan Maschino following close behind. The Buccs came out victorious in this road game that had a huge student section cheering them on.

high school, I have had one of the best times of my life with this group of guys. They were and are family to me. And being the lone senior and all, it taught me to be a leader to them throughout the hard times we faced. I have so much respect for them because we were a young team. Especially when we came out and battled with some of those MAC (Midwest Athletic Conference) teams. The teams that everyone assumed we would get destroyed by. We came out every game ready to bounce. It sucked when the season came to an end. But I had a fun ride. It was a true family." -Jordan Maschino





the Buccs during the game. Bottom: The Varsity and the Junior Varsity girls introduce the Buccs Basketball team at the big rival game against Bradford.

Top Left: Juniors Abby Weer and Natalie Snyder get the crowd involved with the "Yell Out Your Colors" cheer during a timeout of the Milton Union game. Top Right: Sophomore Cameron Schilling shows her enthusiasm while cheering on

Weer and Natalie Snyder

the crowd involved with the

Juniors Abby



◆ The Varsity girls showing their Bucc Pride during the Tri - Village game.◆ Some of the girls try and pump up the crowd at halftime of the game against Versailles. • Freshman Makenna Gostomksy cheers her heart out during a time out. 

Members of the squad set up for a team cheer. 
Freshmen Lily Hargrave and Ashlyn Plessinger help introduce the boys' basketball team. 🧄 Freshman Makenna Gostomsky and Senior Sydney Blanton get the crowd going with the "Go Buccs" cheer. • Sophomore Breanna Kimmel smiles for the camera during the game against Ansonia.



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### story? what's your



chmidt has been the Covington High School Cheerleading coach or many years. "I ove the opportunity to each the girls, they're always too enthusiastic and ipbeat," Coach chmidt omments, Sarah ond says, Gretchen is very elpful, positive, nd kind! I am definitely going to niss her after I graduate.

Coach Gretchen



### **Hours of Practice**

Just like any other team, our cheerleaders have grueling practices. But one thing that they have to do, that no other team does is tumble. These girls spend 11 hours either at the school or tumbling for practice every week.



numbers

### **Away Games**

Though many people don't think about it, the cheerleaders have to ride to games with the team, and they make the same sacrifices as any other athlete.



### **Homemade Signs**

The Covington Lady Buccs Cheerleaders make over 35 custom made signs to introduce the boys and to help the crowd get involved.













This year's cheerleaders pose for a picture with their "Bad to the Bow" and "Forget the Tiara... This Princess wears Bows" T-shirts from their youth cheer camp. Senior Sydney Blanton says, "The girls always enjoy the practices and get so excited, but nervous, to perform in front of the community."

Returning Lettermen:
Top to Bottom: Seniors
Sarah Pond. Senior
Sydney Blanton. Junior
Natalie Snyder. Junior
Abby Weer.

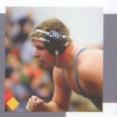








Big STUNTS





🔷 Junior, Seth Thomas, gets set in his stance as he faces his opponent in a quad meet at Coldwater High School. 🤷 🛚 Gage DeHart, a sophomore, pushes competitor's shoulder to the mat while trying to gain back points at the Troy Invitational. Junior, Luke Grieshop, battles to get hand position at the Troy Invitational. Brandon Magee, sticks the legs in hoping to gain back points and pin his opponent. • Carl Lankford, the starting heavyweight and a junior, stands in his stance looking for a way to attack. Returning letterman and sophomore, Jared Ford holds tight as he tries to pin his opponent. Joey Schmelzer, a sophomore, looks to find a way to take his opponent down at the Coldwater Dual.

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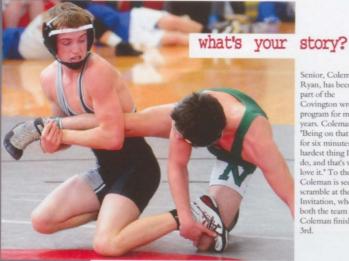








### the numbers



looks to pin his opponent at the GMVWA Holiday tournament held at the Nutter Center State tournament at the Schottenstein Center. Junior, Lance Miller, gains back points and

the team

gains back points at the Troy Invitaional

Brandon Magee, a senior, looks into his opponents eyes as he wrestles in th

Below: Connor Ryan, a senior on

8 Right:

Senior, Coleman Ryan, has been a part of the Covington wrestling program for many years. Coleman says, "Being on that mat for six minutes is the hardest thing I'll ever do, and that's why I love it." To the left Coleman is seen mid scramble at the Troy Invitation, where both the team and Coleman finished 3rd.



### YEARS OF COACHING

Coach Barbee has been a familiar face around Covington for a long time. Coach Barbee began his career as a wrestling coach Covington in 1980 and continued until he took a 10 year break from 1989 until 1998. In 1998 he came back to the wrestling program and continues to coach along Mr. Eric Vanderhorst.



### **NEAR FALLS**

Junior, Lance Miller broke Covington High Schools record this year in near falls. A near fall is when you tilt the person on their back to receive points and Lance demolished previous record of 73 near falls.

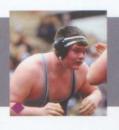


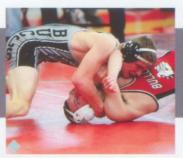
### **CAREER WINS**

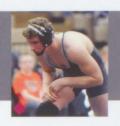
"I'm glad that I could set a bar for future Covington wrestlers. While it is great to have the record, I hope it gets broken in the near future" says Ryan Ford about breaking the career win record here at Covington High School







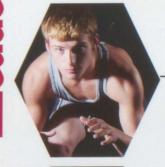




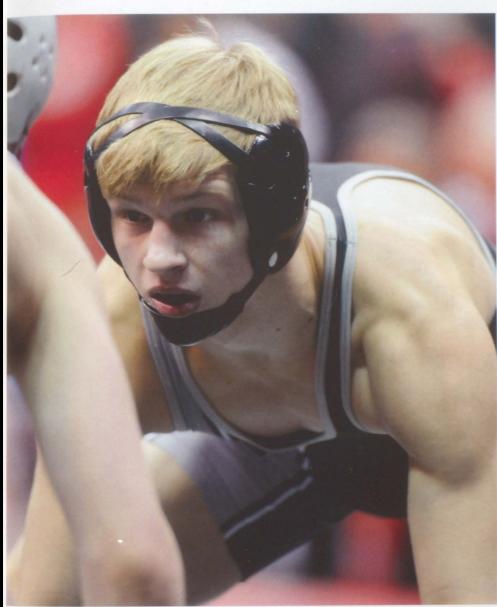
Top to Bottom: Ryan
Ford, Brandon
Magee, Coleman
Ryan, and Connor
Ryan











Senior, Ryan Ford takes the mat in his consolation semifinal match at the Schottenstein Center in Columbus, Ohio on March 3rd through the 5th. This was Ryan's third year making it to state and he is now a three time placer. This year he placed fourth in the one hundred and thirty-eight pound weight class. When asked about the event he responded, "I'm glad I was fortunate enough to go to state and have the experience most people don't get"

# Small TOWN,

# SPRIZA



The Lady Buccs Softball team once again had a strong season, with a 23-3

record, two First Team All-Conference members (Arianna Richards and Brooke Gostomsky), and two Second Team All-Conference members (Ashley Cecil and Kara Schaffer).



Blood, sweat, and track is all the 2016 Covington Boy's and Girl's track and field teams were worried about as they put in some monstrous work. The Girl's team finished 1st at the League meet, with boys receiving 3rd.



The 2016 Covington Baseball team rounded out the season with a solid record of 11-10, winning 8 of

their last 11 games to earn themselves a #7 seed in the sectional tournament. The Buccs finished 2nd in the conference as well, behind Arcanum. After a first round victory to Jackson Center, the Buccs lost in a tough outing against Triad in Sectional Semi-Finals.





Covington's FFA Chapter traveled to the State Convention on May 5th and 6th, located at the Columbus Fairgrounds. Covington had 22 members attend the convention, with 8 being seniors(as pictured above). The school had a tremendous showing, earning over 10 awards and being recognized as a Gold Medal Chapter, meaning that they are in the top 10% of all the FFA Chapters in Ohio.







# Small PLAY

◆ In scene one, the Wizard (Taylor Ray) is caught in a tornado while piloting her balloon. ◆ In scene four, Tweedle Dee and Tweedle Dum (Aundrea Herron) are fighting for no apparent reason. ◆ In scene five, Glenda the good witch (Sarabeth Anderson) makes her first appearance. ◆ In scene six, the March Hare (Deron White) questions the Mad Hatter's (Nathan Cantrell) opening poem. ◆ In scene three, the King of Hearts (Spencer Hogue) gazes at an oil can. In scene seven, the fish footman (Emily Cordonnier) stares at the Queen in disgust. ◆ In scene twelve, Five (Emma

Hand) gets snappy at Dorothy for delaying a game of croquet.



Above: Alice, The Queen of Hearts, and Dorothy stand behind the mushrooms of wonderland for the play posters.



Top left: The Lion (Logan Fields) and one of the cheshire cats (top right) stand in refusal of the Queens rules.



Scenes

There were thirteen scenes in *Dorothy in Wonderland*.



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Four year veterans

There are three four year veterans in drama club, Danielle Swabb, Haylee Pence, and Meghan Parker.



More Years at the Middle School

This years marks the last year the play will be held at the Middle Schhol, and will now be held at the K-8 building.













On March 18th and 19th, the Covington High School Drama Club performed Dorothy in Wonderland by Brian D. Taylor on the Covington Middle School stage. The play was directed by Heidi Anderson, Jessica Helsinger and Matt Langston. Following the performance there was a slide show presentation to honor the plays of the past, as this was the final performance on the CMS stage due to its demolition following the completion of the new K-8 Building.







Top left: Paige Boehringer as the White Rabbit, flees from scene twelve in a hurry on Friday night's play.Bottom Left: Alice(Danielle Swabb) accuses the Knave of Hearts (Karissa Allen) of stealing the Queen's tarts Right: Dorothy (Anna Dunn) talks with the Caterpillar (Kelsey McReynolds) who refuses to give a straight answer.

Top: Danielle Swabb is a four year veteran in play, as her first female role this year, Alice
Second: Haylee Pence played the part of the Queen of hearts, in her fourth

year of drama club.

Third: Meghan Parker, as Toto, is one of only three of our four year veterans in play this year.

Fourth: Anna Dunn plays Dorothy, the main character in Dorothy in Wonderland.













# small Society

◆ Savanna Schaurer and family ◆ Rachel York and family ◆ Josh Sowers and family ◆ Nathan Blei and family ◆ Spencer Hogue and family ◆ Sarabeth Anderson and family ◆ Bryan Miller and family

# SIZ



The current members of NHS are (Top left to right) Nicky Zeitz, Arianna Richards, Kristina Romie, Cooper Hand, Adam Lefeld, Ryan Ford, Logan Fields, Brooke Gostomsky, Ben Kuether. (Middle left to right) Haylee Pence, Anna Dunn, Breanna Kimmel, Victoria Lyle, Sarabeth Anderson, Spencer Hogue, Mason Dilley, Braden Miller, Bryan Miller, Sarah Retz. (Bottom left to right) Sarah Pond, Kara Schaffer, Nathan Blei, Savanna Schaurer, Rachel York, Jenna Hagan, Emily Cordonier, Josh Sowers, Carly Shell.



Emily Cordonier and family



Mason Dilley and family

# by the numbers



New Members

There are thirteen people that have been noticed by the staff of Covington High School as fitting the image of a National Honor Society Member.



### Candles

There are five candles that are lit in the NHS Ceremony that represent Character, Leadership, Scholarship, and service.



New Advisor

NHS has a new advisor this year, Mr. Cantrell, who gave the opening speech during the ceremony.











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# Nationally Honored!

After the National Honors Society Ceremony, on April 7th, the returning members and new inductees went to lunch at Olive Garden, followed by dessert at Cold Stone to celebrate.









Top Left: Breanna Kimmel and family Top Right: Victoria Lyle and family Bottom Left: Jenna Hagan and family Bottom Right: Braden Miller and family

Top: Sarah Pond (President)

Second: Adam Lefeld (vice-president)
Third: Haylee Pence

(secretary) Bottom: Cooper Hand

(treasurer)













# small CRASH

◆ S.A.D.D. Club members Cameron Schilling, Sarabeth Anderson, Cooper Hand and Ben Kuether help out at the Elementary School during Red Ribbon Week. ◆ Karissa Allen is wheeled away from the crash scene during the Mock Car Crash by volunteer EMTs. ◆ Jared Ford talks to an Elemenary student about the significance of Red Ribon Week. ◆ All of the student volunteers from S.A.D.D. Club prepare for the Mock Car Crash by watching a video that was brought in by Officer Cline. ◆ Jared Ford helps the elementary students prepare for Red Ribbon week. ◆ All of the participants of the Mock Car Crash pose for the camera. ◆ Sarabeth Anderson poses for the camera while helping prepare for Red Ribbon week.

Senior Logan Fields, and Sophomores Cameron Schilling and Sarabeth Anderson all participating in the Mock Car crash in front of the Covington High School to demonstrate to the student body what could happen if they were in an actual car crash.





The entire Covington High School student body watch as the Mock Car Crash unfolds.

# by the numbers



### **Mock Car Crashes**

There have been eight Mock Car Crashes since Mrs. Iddings took over S.A.D.D. Club (Students Against Destructive Decisions)



### Years

Mrs. Iddings has been the advisor of S.A.D.D. Club (Students Against Destructive Decisions) for twenty-one years.



Of Lives Impacted

Thousands of lives are impacted every year that the S.A.D.D. Club does the mock car crash, and students often admit that they learn the importance of safety.







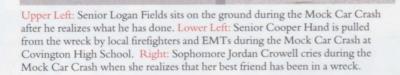






The Mock Car Crash happened on April 27th, 2016 in front of the Covington High School sponsored by the Miami Valley Hospital.







Advisor: Mrs. Iddings



President: Logan Fields

dership

Vice-President: Sarabeth Anderson



Co-Secretary: Jared Ford Cameron Schilling



Co-Treasurer: Cooper Hand Ben Kuether





# small COURT

Senior, Connor Ryan enters while being announced for the 2016 Prom Court. Sarah Pond and Erin Olson, laugh while dancing the night away at their senior prom While waiting for the dancing to begin, seniors, Prarie Schmidt and Mariah Dysinger have a quick conversation. Noah Thomas, a senior stands while waiting for the Prom royalty to be announced. Carly Shell and Connor Ryan, share a handshake after being anounced as 2016 Prom Court members. A group of CHS students sit patiently while waiting for their delicious dinner to be served. A group of CHS students wait patiently to see who is announced as the 2016 Prom Queen and King.



Above: The members of the 2016 Prom Court pose for a group photo after the crowning of the king and queen." Prom was fun because I could wear a cool tie" stated court member Levi Winn about his experience at his senior prom.





Left to Right: Seniors, Logan Fields and Arianna Richards enter the dance floor after being announced for Prom court. Lydia Millhouse and Coleman Ryan, both seniors and members of Prom Court walk out while being announced for Prom Court

# by the numbers



### **COURT MEMBERS**

Every year Prom
Court is consisted
of five girls and five
boys unless there is
tie. The Seniors
vote first for the
members of court
and then the juniors
and seniors of CHS
vote at the dance
for Prom Queen and
King.



### HOURS

This year's dance lasted from six to eleven. This includes the dinner and the dance.



### **COURT ENTRIES**

Each couple in Prom court walked out to the crowd in their own fashion. The five court couples each made up their own dance as they were announced.









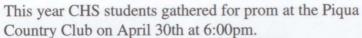


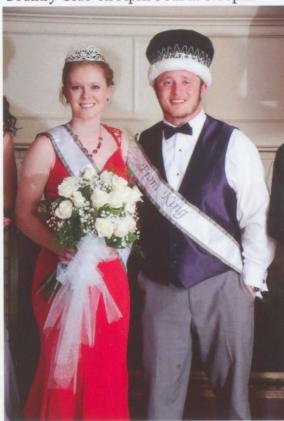
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Above: Seniors, Erin Olson and Logan Fields are crowned this year's Prom Queen and King.





















# small CROWD

Senior Noah Thomas smiles big while he dances with his date during a slow song. Junior Ashley Cecil and her date Jett Murphy heading to the group to dance. Senior Coleman Ryan and his date Hannah Retz dancing together in the middle of the group. Senior Callie Barhorst winks and smiles at the camera with her date Shane Straw behind her. Juniors Rachel York and Branden Robinson dance with a crowd of people surrounding them. Senior Sydney Blanton gets hyped up before the dancing began. Agroup of seniors, which includes Erin Olson, Sarah Pond, Arianna Richards, Carly Shell, and Cooper Hand dances in the middle of the dance floor.



Where the party really is. This is a view from the middle of the group where all the wild and fun dancing occurs. Here we see many seniors, juniors and sophomores getting down and having a good time at prom.

Juniors Savanna Schaurer and Nathan Blei look at each other, both smiling wide and enjoying a dance.



Senior Chace Hinnegan slow dances with his date early in the night.

# by the numbers



### Slow Jams

During the duration of the dance, there were four slow songs played, giving couples a chance to get a break from the hard dancing.



### The King is Here

There was one guy wearing a crown on the night of the dance, and that was senior Logan Fields. He's seen here posing for the camera before getting on the floor with his dad behind him.



Together Alone

At Prom, there were 40 different couples that came and danced the night away. The picture shows many of these couples during a slow dance.















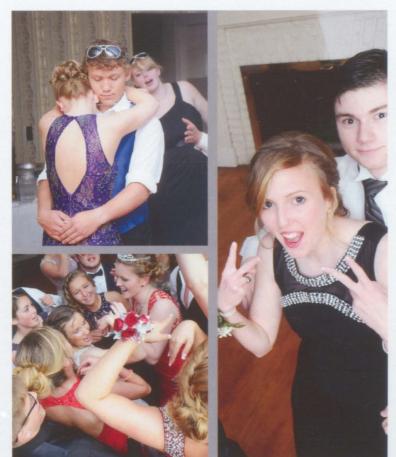






# Dancing All Night

The one night of the year Covington juniors and seniors come together for a big dance.



Top Left: Senior Karissa Allen and junior Mark Barga slow dance together, with a photobomb by senior Nicki Zeitz, early into the dance. Bottom Left: A look into the middle of the dance crowd where many senior girls are dancing. Right: senior Meghan Parker dances with her date.

"Out of my three proms I went to, this year was by far the most enjoyable and I loved seeing eveyone dressed up." -Senior Callie Barhorst Top-Bottom: Senior Sydney
Blanton parties hard while
dancing with her date Zach
Barnes. Senior Lydia Millhouse
and her date slow dance with a
group of people around them.
Junior Carl Lankford smiles
wide while dancing during the
night. Senior Maria Mohler
heading to the dance floor.









# The question isn't who is going to let me; it's who is going to stop me.

- Ayn Rand

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# small T.E.A.M.

The Covington 5th and 6th grade classmates fill the rows of seats ready to watch the High School volunteers preform their skits. Seniors Brooke Gostomsky, Arianna Richards, and Freshman Makenna Gostomsky wait for their food to arrive at the Spanish Club El Meson trip. Sophomores Sarabeth Anderson and Mason Dilley hang out before the next wave of skits. Freshmen Eli Gerling, Riley Richards, and Chad Yohey sit and chat before their food at El Meson. Senior Julianna Yingst enjoys her last Overnighter with a big smile. Juniors Savanna Shaurer and Nathan Blei go "Pinky Out" as they show off their manners at El Meson. Freshman Tyler Fraley shrugs after being asked which activity he wants to do at the 2016



Above: The 2015-2016 Spanish Club poses in front of an old bus on the 2016 El Meson field trip. This field trip takes the members down to Dayton on April 25th. The activities of the day would be eating a traditional Spanish meal, dancing along to a traditional Mexican dance, and spending time with the other members of Spanish Club, along with Sr. Bohlander.





Left: Spanish Club members Rachel York, Savanna Schaurer, and Nathan Blei wait for their meals at El Meson. Right: Plus T.E.A.M members Spencer Hogue and Shay Ozanich wait for the next skit to start at the overnighter.

# by the numbers



### Meal

Every member of Spanish Club gets a meal when they attend the El Meson Field Trip. Every dish is a traditional Spanish dish, which includes a dessert, el flan.



### Members

There were 40 members of Spanish Club this year that attended the El Meson field trip. This trip includes food, dancing and a lot of laughs.



Kids

The Plus Overnighter hosts hundreds of 5th and 6th grade students from Covington Schools. These kids participate in many activities, skits, and listen to multiple guest speakers.











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# Good Times

CHS students enjoying themselves in the many activites they could choose from.







Top Left: FreshmenElizabeth Shafer, Emily Hedrick, and Paige Boehringer enjoy their meal at El Meson on April 25th. Bottom Left: Freshmen Chad Yohey and Riley Richards get their groove on the dance floor at El Meson. Right: Juniors Deron White and Josh Sowers combine bodies to do a skit at the Overnighter on May 6th and 7th.

Top to bottom: Sr. Bohlander is the head of the Spanish Club and also the teacher of all four Spanish classes. The Plus Overnighter had many speakers and leaders, like Mr. David Larson. Some of these speakers brought the kids good messages with deep meanings. Among these speakers were Mr. Jay Meyer, and Mrs. Tina Iddings (Top to bottom respectively as mentioned).













# small LEAD

◆ Aliya Weer works on realigning some of the art projects before the Art Show.◆ Breanna Kimmel and Garrett Kimmel smile for the camera while browsing through the art on display at Covington High School.◆ Jese Shell forms a mustache out of clay while working on a clay bowl for Art Club.

The first place 3D art projects were made by Addison Metz and were shown at Covington High School during the Art Show. Connor Ryan looks at some of the 3D art work shown at the Art Show. Spencer Hogue and Kelsey Dysinger work on improving their art skills while icing cookies for the teachers. Steven Shane works on a clay project for Art Club.

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The Art Club members pose for the camera in the Covington High School gymnasium. Left to right: Taylor Ray, Kyra Brewer, Jese Shell, Emily Hedrick, Kayla Scott, Emily Cordonnier, Sarah Retz, Kelsey McReynolds, Makenna Gostomsky, Spencer Hogue, Savanna Schaurer, Anna Dunn, Parker Dysinger, Kelsey Dysinger, Legend Patty, Breanne Dieperink, and Aliya Weer.





During the Evening with the Arts there was a guest artist (Emily Cordonnier) working on her next project and volunteer Art Club students serving punch and cookies for the guests.

# by the numbers



# Dresses

There were three dresses at the Art Show made by Art Club member and senior of Covington High School Steven Shane.



# Pairs Of Shoes

There were fifteen pairs of shoes that were designed by multiple Art students from Covington HIgh School



Of Projects

There were over one hundred projects in the Art Show. made by many students from Covington High School.











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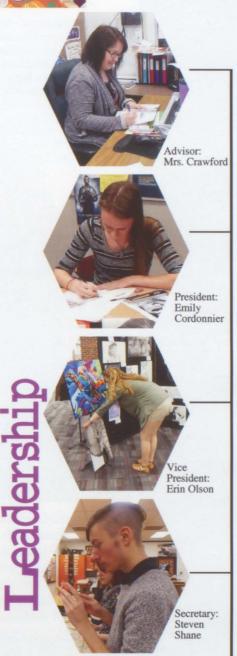


# Flying Colors

The Covington High School Art Show was held on May 11, 2016 in the High School Commons.



Upper Left: Senior Erin Olson tye-dyes her t-shirt with the rest of the Art Club. Lower Left: Seniors Ryan Ford and Connor Ryan work on finishing their graphite portraits for the Art Show. Right: Senior Brooke Gostomsky works on completing her graphite portrait so she can place it in the Art Show.









# small COUNCIL

Sarabeth Anderson sits with Student Council members, Victoria Lyle and Braden Miller at the Spaghetti Dinner.

The Student Council members smile for a picture on the bus ride to Buffalo Jacks.

The Senior Student Council members are the first through the buffet line for the member breakfast.

Bradley Wiggins and Ross Bowman patiently wait to serve the customers at the spaghetti dinner.

Senior Noah Thomas poses with an indian statue at Buffalo Jacks.

Brandon Magee helps student council member, Adam Lefeld, prepare trays and placemats for the next open table.

Anna Dunn, Kara Schaffer, and Savanna Schaurer lay out the placemats at an empty table for the next Spaghetti Dinner customer.



The Student Council is a club consisting of members from each grade. The club is advised by Mrs. Cain. They participate in many activities including the Teacher's Breakfast, Homecoming preparations, Field Day, a 50's dance, and a Student Council Breakfast at Buffalo Jacks.





Left: The Sophomore Student Council students work diligently to make fruit kabobs. Right: Coleman Ryan directs mad traffic in the CHS commons during Spaghetti Dinner.

# by the numbers



## **Buffalo Ride**

Out of the 21 Student Council memebrs, the club had 9 members ride the buffalo outside of Buffalo Jacks at one time.



# Bacon

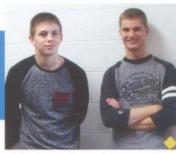
During the Student Council breakfast at Buffalo Jacks, the members and staff ate at least 42 pieces of bacon all together.



# Placemats

For the Spaghetti Dinner, the Covington Elementary students made 432 pacemats for each customer. Thes placemats are sat each chair for the customers to enjoy while eating.











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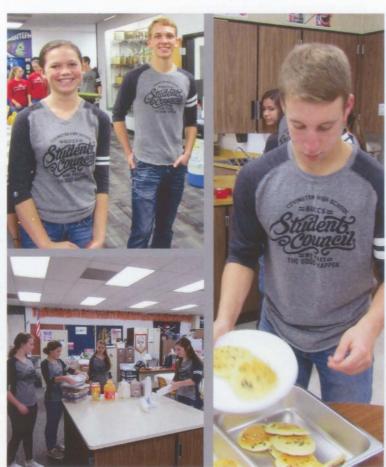






# Preparation is Key

The Student Council always tries their hardest to give the teachers and staff a delicious breakfast.



Top left: Makenna Gostomsky and Nathan Blei wait patiently to help the customers that arrive at the Spaghetti Dinner. Bottom left: The freshmen student council girls prepare the drinks and snacks for the Teacher's Breakfast. Right: Senior Noah Thomas prepares to pile up his pancakes during the Teacher Breakfast.

Seniors: Noah Thomas, Coleman Ryan, Sarah Pond, Erin Olson, Carly Shell, and Lydia Millhouse. Juniors: Anna Dunn, Ross Bowman, Adam Lefeld, Nathan Blei, and Savanna Shaurer. Sophomores: Tori Lyle, Mason Dilley, Bradley Wiggins, Spencer Hogue, and Braden Miller. Freshmen: Chelsea Ford, Anna Winn, Madison Williams, and Ashlyn Plessinger, and not pictured, Lily Hargrave.







tig IMPRESSION







# small CLEF

◆Sam Hutchinson plays his saxophone during a spotlight concert. ◆ Megan McKinley, Alexis Roth, and Ashlyn Plessinger wait patiently to harmonize. ◆ Caleb Brooks sings proudly for the audience. ◆ Kyle Grieshop plays his clarinet loudly for the crowd. ◆ Riley Richards sings with the choir during a show. ◆ Mr. Woode conducts his choir and band students during a concert. ◆ Morgan Pridemore plays the bass drum impressively at a concert.



This year, the Covington Band and Choir was conducted by Mrs. Moore and Mr. Woode. They performed at multiple events including: Optimist Luncheon, Spotlight Concert, National Honor Society Inductions, and many more.





Left to Right: Kyle Stengel plays his saxophone loud and proud during a concert. Elizabeth Schafer plays her flute for the audience at a concert.

# by the numbers



# Ladies

Zoe Mullen and Danielle Alexander sing their hearts out during a choir concert. They are just two out of the seventeen female members in choir.



# Instructor

Mrs. Moore is the one and only instructor for the forty Covington High School band and choir students.



Clarinets

Connor Pence is just one of the two students to play the clarinet for the Covington Concert Band. The other clarinet player is Freshman, Kyle Grieshop.











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The band and choir students sure do know how to impress a crowd away with their astonishings sounds and voices.



Top Left: Sarabeth Anderson, Prairie Schmidt, Kirsten Fries, and Maddison Williams harmonize together to impress the crowd. Bottom Left: Brandon Martin plays the tymphany drums at a concert in the high school gymnasium. Right: Logan Fields joins in with the choir and sings for the audience.

Woodwinds Section
Leaders-Kyle Stengel and
Haylee Pence; Trumpet\_\_
Section Leaders- Dylan
Kelly and Ryan Gengler;
Percussion Section
Leader- Bradley Wiggins;
Low Winds Section
Leader- Nicole Zeitz







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# small PENCILS

◆Senior Chace Hinnegan and Ross Bowman's water-pressure bottle rocket. Mr. Long and the CHS sophomores prepare for their AIR Test on a brisk spring morning. Juniors Jese Wall and Allison Angle hard at work and very frustrated as their rocket is not performing as expected. ◆ Senior Brooke Gostomsky aims her Trebuchet as she just missed the target on her previous throw. ◆ Juniors Lance Miller and Deron White tape the parachute onto their rocket to ensure that it falls as slow as possible. ◆ The seniors in the multimedia class create signs for the ALICE Training video. ◆ The Freshmen prepare for the AIR Test in the gym.



The spring season was full of Covington students who were not only competing inside the classroom, but outside as well. Above: The Advanced Science class took their trebuchets that they built in class to the annual competition at Wright State University where they placed 3rd.





Above Left: (CAPTION) Above Right: Seniors Connor Ryan, Ben Kuether and Danielle Swabb look to execute the perfect throw.

# by the numbers



# Rockets

The Juniors and Seniors crated 5 different waterpressured bottle rockets in Physics class.



# **Art Projects**

There were 239 art projects featured in this years Art Show on May 11th.



# **Trebuchets**

Above: Four trebuchets makes a team at the competition, and Ben Kuether works on his Trebuchet to give his team the best opportunity to hit the target.











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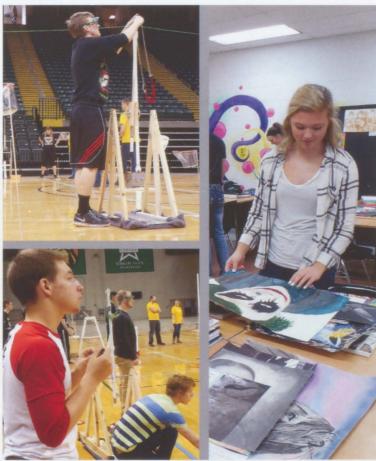






# Brainiac Buccaneers

"When we have the best teachers, Academics are much easier, and that's what makes Covington so great!"
—Sarah Pond

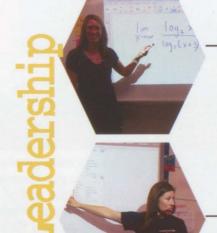


Top Left: Senior Levi Winn reloads his Trebuchet looking to continue his success after just hitting the target. Right: Rachel York sorts all her projects, and decides which projects she wants to be in this years Art Show. Bottom Left: Logan Fields, Noah Thomas, and Connor Ryan watch with anticipation as their ball is on the way to hitting the opponents castle.

Top to Bottom: Technology teacher Mrs. Cain poses for a picture during her Communications class. Mrs. Iddings solves a limit problem during her 4th period Calculus class. Mrs. Kerber explains the themes of the book 1984 to her English class.

Agriculture Education teacher Mrs. Helsinger enters AET records into the computer for her FFA students.











# small MIC

Above Left to Right: Senior athlete Connor Ryan; Maria Mohler stands to be recognized for her scholarship; Ian Fries smiles proudly; NHS member Sarah Pond readies herself for the occasion; Breanna Plessinger of the UVCC marches toward the future; English Department award winner, Cooper Hand, stands to be honored; Steven Scott solemnly awaits the ceremony.

# COVINGTON

Honored speaker and Alumni, Mr. Matt Root, was a graduate of the Class of 1988. Mr. Root is the son of Steve and Sharon Root, and was a member of the NHS, Spanish club, and Key Club. He is currently the director of Aultman Weight Management and a member of the Ohio Athletic Trainer's Association.





Above Left: Superintendent Mr. Gene Gooding addresses the graduates. Above Right: Principal Mr. Josh Long announces that the class of 2016 is now DISMISSED!

# by the numbers



Young men...

Kristopher
Gibboney was one
of 34 young men
who walked
during the
graduation
ceremony, and was
a recognized
student at the
UVCC for his
achievements.



Young women...

Jessie Crowell was one of 23 young women, and was a standout on the basketball court.



class...

Brandon Magee represents the class of 2016 well, as an athlete, leader, and role model.











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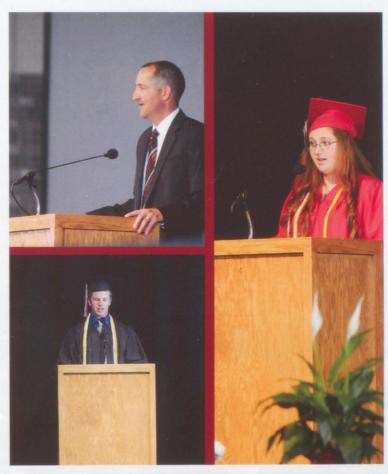
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# Congrats, Grads!

On May 29, 2016, at 2pm, the Class of 2016 finished their tenures at CHS at Hobart Arena, in Troy, Ohio.



Final Address // Top Left: The commencement address was given by Class of 1988 alumnus, Mr. Matt Root. Right: Valedictorian Haylee Pence speaks to her classmates about giving thanks to those who helped them achieve. Bottom Left: Salutatorian Bernard Kuether delivers a final salute to the class to 2016.

Below: Senior class president Carly Shell leads the class in the turning of the tassels. Jese Shell, known as a history buff, stands to be recognized for his achievements. Danielle Swabb is recognized for her design for the local Blood Bank. Logan Fields, whose contributions to this yearbook are many, stands proudly to be noted for his scholarships.









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# Small CAPS,

Above Left to Right: Senior golfer Sydney Blanton readies to take a swing at the real world; 
The outspoken and witty Noah Thomas smiles at the camera; 
Mariah Dysinger looks forward to the future; • Good friends Justin Williams and Shane Straw share a rare serious moment; James Grilliot stands to be recognized during the ◆ Rodeo rider and barrel racer, Lydia Millhouse is seen here without her fringe, but with her terrific smile; Future clothing designer Steven Shane prepares for his final walk as a CHS student.

**The Future's So Bright** // Top Left: Austin Brown lo speaker's address. Top Right: Julianna Yingst caught during usually her smile lights up the room. Bottom: a sea of caps and faces look toward the very near future. Left: Austin Brown looks on during the Yingst caught during a serious moment; gowns and solemn



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Ehtan Nash



Meghan Parker





## Graduates

Olson, Erin yearbook staffer and busy club member, is one of 57 graduates to matriculate.



# Teachers

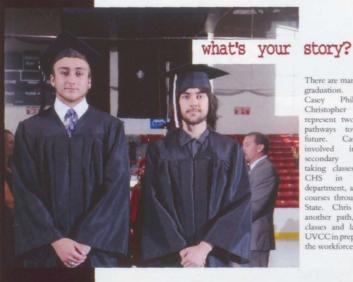
Zachary Barnes, always polite to his teachers. many smiles for the camera in thanks for the role they played in his bright future.



**Future** 

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Prairie Schmidt, a savvy, nonsense girl, has much to look forward to, as do the other members of this fun and energetic class.













The students of the class of 2016 toss their caps in celebration of being dismissed, while their parents and families look on tearfully. This tradition is reputed to have started during the 1912 U.S. Naval Academy's graduation as a way to signify that the new officers no longer needed their old midshipmen caps (mentalfloss.com).

Below: Nationally recognized in Ag Ed, Zach Hasting; Star athlete and student Arianna Richards; three year yearbook veteran and athlete Chace Hinnegan; NHS member and leader, Brooke Gostomsky.







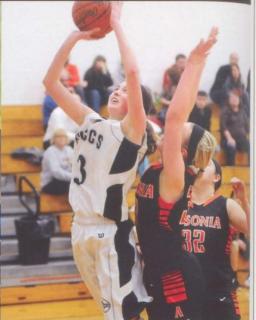


Big CHEERS

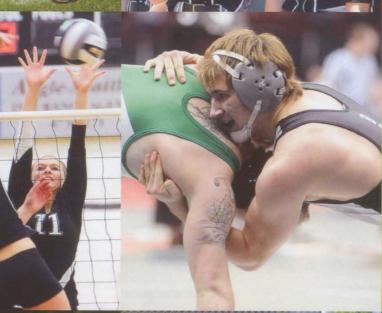






















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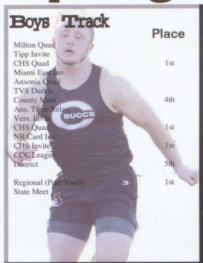


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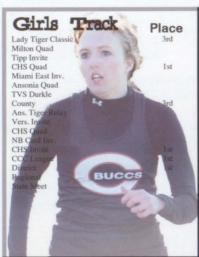
# **Spring Scoreboard**





# **Boys Track Runners:**

Standing L-R: Ethan Herron,
Deron White, Adam Lefeld, Tyler
Fraley, Dylan Kelly, Ian Benedict,
Gray Harshbarger, Zane Barnes,
Hunter Alexander, Caleb Rawson,
Nathan Lyle, Sam Pritchard, Mark
Barga. Kneeling L-R: Ashby
Wrench, Parker Dysinger, Ian
Wilson, Connor Ryan, Brandon
Magee, Logan Fields, Shane
Straw, Cayden Partin, Bryce
Keiser, Jayce Pond, Jett Murphy.
Sitting L-R: Hunter Brumbaugh,
Spencer Hogue, Brandon Martin,
Chad Yohey, Casey Waag





# Girls Track Runners:

Standing L-R: Brittany Daniel, Ashley Wooten, Rayna Horner, Leah Poling, Natalie Snyder, Kelsey McReynolds, Lillian Hamilton, Lauren Hebert, Jordan Crowell, Sarabeth Anderson, Breanna Kimmel, Kelsey Dysinger, Mackenzie Gambill, Shea Robinson. Kneeling L-R: Kailyn Pond, Danielle Alexander, Payge Boehringer, Maria Mohler, Julianna Yingst, Carly Shell, Danielle Swabb, Mariah Dysinger, Meghan Parker, Danielle Rose, Lindsey Kimmel, Ashlynn Plessinger. Sitting L-R: Summer Wright, Courtney Barhorst, Anna Dunn, Sarah Remley, Anna Winn, Olivia Vombaur.

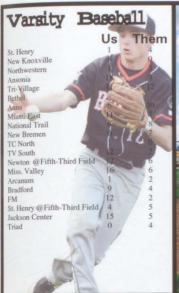




# Girls Softball Players:

Standing L-R: Manager
Mckenzie Maschino, Chelsea
Ford, Makenna Gostomsky,
Sarah Fries, Coach Craig
Maschino, Kara Schaffer,
Coach Dean Denlinger,
Noelle Gast, Emma
Dammeyer, Sarah Hubbard,
Taylor Ray. Kneeling L-R:
Megan Alexander, Allison
Babylon, Ashley Cecil, Lexie
Long, Justice Warner, Addison
Metz. Sitting L-R: Arianna
Richards, Brooke Gostomsky







# Varsity Baseball Players:

Standing L-R: Coach Chuck Poling, Coach Matt Teague, Christian Nelson, Nathan Blei, Mason Dilley, Tristan Sowers, Kenny Atkinson, Coach Jeremy Yingst, Coach Mitch Hirsch, Coach Mike Warner. Kneeling L-R: Coleman Ryan, Chace Hinnegan, James Grilliot, Ben Kuether, Jordan Maschino, Jared Williams, Levi Winn, Noah Thomas.





# **IV Baseball Players:**

Standing L-R: Coach
Chuck Poling, Coach Mike
Warner, Gavin
McReynolds, Braden
Miller, Ty Freeman, Trevor
Poling, Bradley Wiggins,
Blaze Yamada, Coach
Jeremy Yingst. Kneeling LR: Tom Kuether, Bowen
Swank, Triston Francis,
Nick Risner, Bryan Miller,
Christian Warden, Eli
Gerling, Kodie Taylor.





her favorite field event, pole vault



# Small LANES.

 Junior Anna Dunn pushes through her last few laps around the track during the mile at the Covington Quad meet. Sophomore Brittany Daniel throws the shotput hoping for a PR. Senior Meghan Parker jumps as hard as she can in long jump. 🌢 Freshman Ashlyn Plessinger zipps past her opponents during the mile at the Quad meet at Covington. ♦ Senior Maria Mohler flys high as she polevolts over the bar. • Sophomore Lindsey Kimmel takes a leap of faith as she competes in the 100m hurdles. Freshman Lillian Hamilton runs as fast as she can in

hopes to win her race.

Top Left: Senior Carly Shell takes long strides in the mile at the Covington Quad meet. Top Right: Junior Kelsey McReynolds launches the shotput in attempts to break her PR of 33ft. Bottom: Senior Maria Mohler uses all her strength as she sprints towards the mat









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Sophomores Breanna Kimmel and Tori Lyle pass the baton during the 4x100 meter relay at the Covington High School Quad track meet. Breanna qualified for state in the 100 meter dash and placed 8th in her heat on June 3rd.

# **RUNNERS**

The Covington High School girls track team has 24 diligent runners. Running track takes a lot of practice and patience. From getting up early every morning to practice, to the hot and sweaty track meets in the evenings, it's definitely a sport that takes hard work and dedication.



# **THROWERS**

The CHS girls track team has seven powerful throwersIt takes strength, agility and coordination in order to be a successful thrower. While it is different than running, it still takes just as much hard work and practice.



## **HURDLERS**

The Covington High School girls track team has three miraculous hurdlers. Being a hurdler means having quintessential coordination and the capability to calculate how many steps to take between hurdles in a matter of seconds.

























Sophomore Kelsey Dysinger takes off after her teammate, sophomore Rayna Horner, passes the baton to her during the 200 meter relay.

Big STRIDES.





# Small HAND-OFF,

Jett Murphy hands the baton to Jace Pond in their first relay. Caleb Brooks jogs off the track after his second race of the day. Connor Ryan runs down the track with full force on wednesday's meet. Logan Fields closes his eyes as he flys down the track. Bryce Keizer powers through his last race of the day. Senior Shane Straw dashes past a Newton Track competitor at the Covington Invitational. Hunter Brumbaugh, a sophomore, runs past the other runners at the first meet of the





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# what's your story?

personal record at the Covington Invitational

Bottom: Cade Harshbarger leaps over hurdles to acheive his new

Top Right: Caden Partin sprints the 300

Top Left: Zach Parrett dashes down the track in

Jett Murphy, a sophomore, breaks the pole vault record with a jump of 14' 4" and places 4th at the State track meet at Jesse Owens Stadium in June.

Lanes

There are six running lanes on track.



**Batons** 

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The boys track team uses eight batons for relays.



Relays

The Covington Track Team has four relays that are ran during meets.













Adam Lefeld, Junior at Covington, speeds past his competitors in the 400 at the Covington Invitational. He also rules the 800 and 1600. The boys track team finished 5th at districts. Jett Murphy, Cade Harshbarger, Zane Barnes, Zach Parrett the 1,600 meter relay team. and the 800 meter relay team also placed and competed at state. The 400 meter relay team of Shane Straw, Ethan Herron, Jett Murphy, Brandon Magee, finished first at districts and 8th in their heat at state. Cade Harshbarger also placed 8th in his heat at state in the 110 m hurdles.

Seniors top to bottom: Logan Fields, Brandon Magee, Connor Ryan, Shane Straw



eadership





Big RELAY





# Small GLOVE,

Junior Ashley Cecil looks for home plate while running the bases. Sophomore Sarah Hubbard makes a quick catch and a throw to first for a double play. Junior Addison Metz makes a play from out in left field. Tunior Megan Alexander lays down a bunt during the game. Junior Kara Schaffer takes over pitching during the game against Indian Lake. Lexie Long makes a play at third then looks the runner at first back, to keep her from running. Sophomore Emma Dammeyer looks for coach Denlinger for the okay to keep running.

# base. Top Right: Junior Justice Warner sets up for a bunt to help move her teammates around the bases against Versailles. Bottom: It's all smiles when the infielders come to the mound to start the inning Softball to get another out







# the numbers



# story?

The Lady Buccs bring it in for a group pep talk before match-up against Bethel on May 4th, where they took the win 12-4. The girls rallied to Coach Dean Denlinger's team spirit when he told them to "Refuse to lose."



It's no secret that our softball team has a vast collection of different bows that accumulated over the years. Seniors Arianna Richards Brooke Gostomsky have over 25 different bows.



# Runs

The Lady Buccs softball team usually have no problem scoring. This year alone, they have scored a total of 247 runs.



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**Broken Bats** 

Accidents happen, but probably the funniest accident that happens to our girls is having their bats snap while they're hitting.













Freshman Makenna Gostomsky goes in to courtesy run for her older sister Brooke. Despite the Covington Lady Buccs Softball team being knocked out of the tournament at Districts against Georgetown with a score of 0-2, they had a successful season with only one loss in League play.

Top to Bottom: Seniors Arianna Richards and Brooke Gostomsky, and Coaches Dean Denlinger and Craig Maschino.









Big CATCH



# Small SWING

Junior Tristin Sowers makes solid contact on a base hit for the Buccs against Tri-Village. Senior Jordan Maschino squeezes a fly ball at shortstop in a game against Miami East on April 14th. Junior Kenny Atkinson gets ready to hit a hard line drive to score a run in a game against Miami East. | Junior Nathan Blei throws a strike in a complete game win for him and the Buccs against Miami East. 

Senior Chace Hinnegan jogs back the dugout after a nice hit against Twin Valley South on April 20th. . Junior Pitcher Christian Nelson throws in a win against Mississinawa Valley on April 25th. Senior Ben Kuether rounds 3rd and heads home to score in a game against Miami East.









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# what's your story?



With two runners in scoring postion hard hit line drive to right threatened runs to score in a close game at 5th/3rd field in Dayton, on April 22nd. Senior right fielder Levi Winn sprinted back and made a jumping catch to save two Newton runs. The Buccs would win this game 12-6 in a key league match-

# the numbers



# Team

Nothing done by a player is just done for that player. It all benefits the whole team. Whether it be a sacrifice bunt, diving for a flyball, or hitting a ground ball to advance a runner. It all helps the team.



# Steps

In order to get a good jump on base, a good lead is essential. It is necessary to find the right amount of room needed to either steal, or get back to the base.



# **Positions**

Each position is no less important than the other. Each player has a role in the defense of the Buccaneer Baseball team in 2016.













Senior third baseman, Coleman Ryan comes up throwing to get a big out in a league matchup against the Tri-County North Panthers on April 19th. Coleman made many plays that night and brought in the team's only run on the night, leading the Buccs to a big 1-0 league win. The Buccs finished their season with a record of 11-10, and finished second place in the CCC.









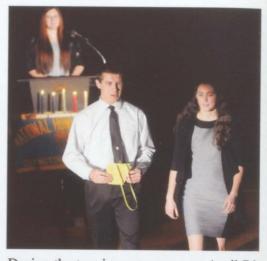
Big HITS

# Small SCHOOL,

# Student Life



Sophomore, Danielle Alexander takes a glance at the camera while voluntering her time at the Overnighter on May 6th and 7th.



During the tapping ceremony on April 7th, Adam Lefeld and Carly Shell are looking for the newest inductee for National Honor Society. Standing in the background is Senior and Secretary of National Honor Society, Haylee Pence. Haylee announced the inductees as they were being tapped.



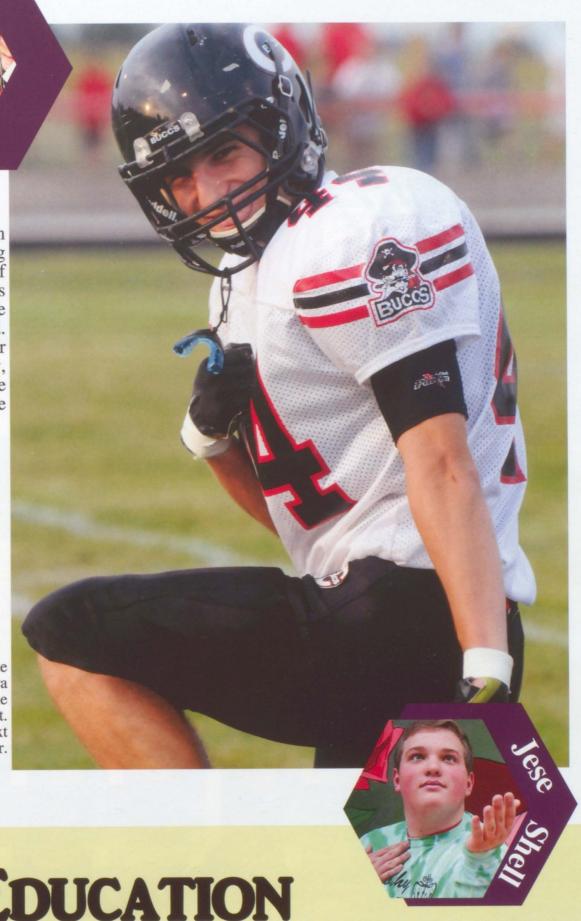
Senior Logan Fields as the Lion, is confused between Audrea

Herron and Arianna Ordean playing Tweedle Dum and Tweedle Dee as they argue on stage.



Covington's football team has a long standing reputaion for being one of the best in our leage. This vear Covington ended the year with an 8-2 record. The Buccaneers take their football very seriously, but also like to have a little fun as you can see to the right.

Right: Junior, Deron White takes a glance at the camera and strikes a pose at the opening game against St. Henry. Deron will return next year for the Buccs as a senior.







# Whistle a' Long

Mr. Long, 3rd year principal and Covington born and raised, believes that he is, "Truly blessed to be able to walk these halls as the principal, because of all the wonderful students CHS has."



In his third year as a CHS teacher, Mr. Cantrell was amazing and engaging:)"



# It's a Dunn deal

Mr. Dunn, who always happens to be doing something or making some gesture with his hands, seems to think that his students are, "entertaining and diligent...but sometimes not."



Build a Bridgit and get over it

Sophomore and Senior English teacher Mrs. Kerber loves the job for her students, as she was quoted in saying that her students are what, "keep me from being bored."



Mrs. Heidi Anderson General Business & Accounting



Mrs. Mary Baskerville



Mr. Brian Bohlander Spanish Dept.



Mrs. Dawn Boehringer Cafeteria Staff



Mr. Bob Boyer Custodian



Mrs. Karen Brackman Guidance Counselor



Mrs. Amy Burns Intervention Specialist



Mrs. Marti Cain Business & Techonology



Mr. Charles Cantrell Social Studies



Mr. Tim Cline Resource Officer



Mr. Roger Craft Athletic Director



Mrs. Nicole Crawford Fine Arts



Mr. Lee Donnan Intervention Specialist



Mr. Brian Downs Athletic Trainer



Mr. Steve Dunn Mathematics



Mrs. Bonnie Flora Cafeteria Staff



Mrs. Jessica Helsinger Agricultural Education



Mrs. Carolyn Iddings Mathematics



Mrs. Bridgit Kerber Language Arts



Mr. Matt Langston Social Studies



Mr. Josh Long



Mrs. Jessica Moore Music



Mrs. Biffy Nutter Language Arts



Mrs. Stephanie Robinson Secretary



Mr. Mike Shaffer Night Custodian



Ms. Brenda Shively Athletic Department Secretary



Mr. Dave Tobias Health & Physical Education



Mrs. Tanya Travers









her current art project. Freshman and Junior English teacher Mrs. Nutter shares a laugh with some of her freshman students over a witty remark during grammar review. Science teacher Mr. Vanskyock stands on the sidelines during the trebuchet contest at Wright State University

that him and his senior only Advanced Science class attended on March 30th. 🔷 Staff members (L-R) Mr. Dunn, Mrs. Kerber, Mr. Donnan, Mrs. Crawford, and Mr. Wise share moments with one another at lunch that cause Mr. Dunn to become slightly embarassed. ◆ Mr. Cantrell, Mr. Langston, and Mr. Craft (L-R respectively) wait somewhat patiently in line

for their food at the Teacher Appreciation Breakfast.



Above: Mr. Donnan strikes a pose to show his enthusiasm for the scrumptious pile of grub on which he's about to chow down.









Teachers and administrators gather in fellowship to enjoy the delicious and nutritious breakfast prepared for them by the appreciative students in Student Council.



# Superintendent & Board of Education Members

















# **FRESHMEN**



**Madison Williams** 

Freshman Madison Williams is the President of the Freshman class. Madison is also a member of student council as well as the freshman volleyball team.



Sammi Whiteman

Freshman Sammi Whiteman is the Vice President of the Freshman class. Sammi is also involved in volleyball, track, and basketball.



Mrs. Baskerville



**Ashlyn Plessinger** 

Freshman Ashlyn Plessiger is the Secretary of the freshman class. Ashlyn is also a member of the cheer team, a cross country runner and she participates in track.



Elizabeth Shafer

Freshman Elisabeth Shafer is the Treasurer of the Freshman class. Elizabeth is also a member of the drama club.



Hunter Alexander



Courtney Barhorst



Kristopher Barnhart



Ian Benedict



Paige Boehringer



Hannah Bordelon



Kyra Brewer



Gage Cooper



Seth Daly



Parker Dysinger



Di'Maurye Ewing



Chelsea Ford



Tyler Fraley



Mackenzie Gambill



Madisyn Gambill



Eli Gerling



Makenna Gostomsky



Kyle Grieshop



Lillian Hamilton



Emma Hand



Lily Hargrave



Gray Harshbarger



Nicholas Hart



Lauren Hebert



Emily Hedrick



Audrea Herron Braedon Hursey





Samuel Hutchinson



Emma Kendig



Thomas Kuether



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Keringten Martin



Megan McKinley



Gavin McReynolds



Kylie Milbourn-Holycross



Clark Murray



Chad Yohey

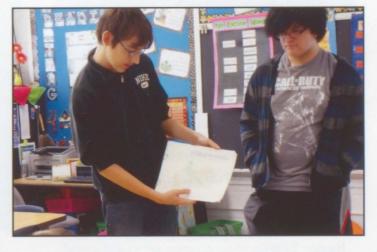
Freshmen Sam Huchinson and Connor Pence take a trip over to the elementary school to read the childrens book they wrote to Mrs. Shaurer's second grade class.

Ashley Wooten Summer Wright

Sarah Woods

Izhaq Wooley





Natalie Zeitz

Dolan Young

Freshmen Shay Ozanich and Hannah Bordelon say cheese as they gather together in the tabernacle after the dance at the 2016 5th and 6th grade Plus Overnighter.

# Small QUESTION,





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Freshmen Tyler Fraley and Gray Harshbarger go to their locker to get ready for sixth period.

# Soccer: 31% If CHS Could add a Sport:

Braedon Hursey- "I've played soccer for 5 years I believe that it is very fun and gives you sufficient exercise for a full day." Sammy Whiteman- "It's fun and we are the only school that doesnt have it."

# **Rugby: 12%**

Gray Harshbarger- "Rugby players get all the ladies."
Cayden Partin- "It would be a fun, competitive addition."

# Bowling: 26%

Paige Boehringer- "It's something you can do all year and it's not super physical."

Dolan Young- "Bowling is a fun sport and easy to learn. I also think it would be fun to travel and compete with other teams,"

# Dodge Ball: 31%

Emma Kendig- "It's a lot of fun and it would be an interesting sport to play competitively"

Leah Poling- "I like to throw things."

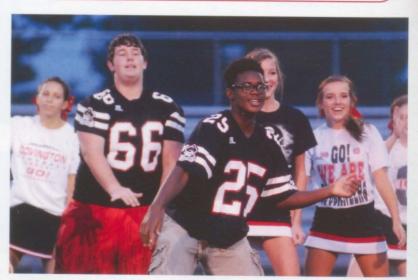
# **WATCH ME:**

What is the hottest dance move of 2016?

75% Dab

13% Whip

12% The Quan



Freshman Di 'Maurye Ewing-Mullen hits the Quan at the 2015 Homecoming pep rally with the fellow football players and cheerleaders.

# Freshmen Survey



Freshmen Makenna Gostomsky and Courtney Barhorst take a second to listen in on all the gossip going on in the freshmen locker bay before classes start.

# What's the weirdest thing you've heard in the locker bay?

Summer Wright- "Someone said they were born with a tail."
Ashby Rench- "Somone was talking about a talking sandwich."
Jack Shell- "Girls talking about their problems."
Elizabeth Shafer- "If we have to be an organ, I want to be a pancreas!"
Courtney Barhorst- "Come to Toys-R-Us with me so we can make pancakes."
Emma Hand- "I like to get in trouble three times a week." "Nah man, I get in trouble once a week. Have to keep it fresh."



Freshman Eli Gerling working hard on his school work in Mrs. Young's classroom.



Freshmen Emma Kendig and Sarah Straw getting ready for class as lunch A comes to an end.

# Favorite Catchphrase?

Sarah Straw- "Oh whipper-snapper!"
Emily Thompson- "It is what it is."
Aaron Murray- "Don't give up."
Gavin McReynolds- "Just Do It."
Connor Pence- "Goodnight, Good Luck."
Kayla Scott- "Everything happens for a reason."
Arianna Ordean- "Not my circus, not my monkeys."
Tyler Fraley- "Yeet."
Di 'Maurye- "Bruh."
Maddy Gambill- "There is no "I" in team."
Lillian Hamilton- "Pikachu."



# Sophomores



Tyler Freeman

"Caleb's alright... eh sometimes..."

Ravna Horner

"Covington is a much better environment (than my old school).





Danielle Alexander



Sarabeth Anderson



Mikenna Baker



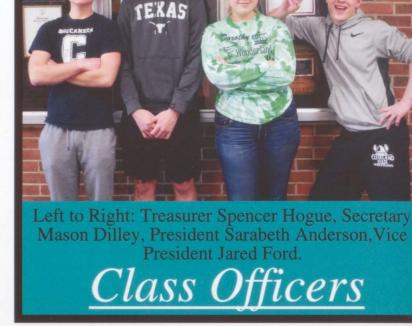
Kyle Barga



Bradley Brown



Hunter Brumbaugh





Nathaniel Cantrell



Joshua Combs



Andrea Counts



Jordan Crowel



Emma Dammeyer



Education

**Brittany Daniel** 



Gage DeHart



Breann Dieperink



Douglas Dilley



Kelsey Dysinger



Sienna Edwards



Jared Ford



Tyler Freeman



Kirsten Fries



Noelle Gast



Ryan Gengler



Cade Harshbarger



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# Blaze Yamada

"Do what you want, just be happy and always stay classy."



Aliya Weer
"This isn't like High
School Musical at all..."



Sarah Hubbard



Bryce Keiser



Alexis Keller



Dylan Kelly



Jade Kerrigan



Breanna Kimmel



Lindsey Kimmel



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Nathan Lyle



Victoria Lyle



Brandon Martin



McKenzi McDavid



Micah Meyer



Braden Miller



Bryan Miller



Zoe Mullen



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Andrew Slusher



Ryan Snyder



Bowen Swank



Dylan Swob



Christopher Wagoner



Natalie Walker



Christian Warden



Aliya Weer



**Bradley Wiggins** 



Madison Wise



Blaze Yamada



Duane Young

# Small INQUIRY,





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Sophomores Jace Owens and Caleb Brooks pose for a selfie in Mrs. Kerbers English classroom.

# iPhone v. Android

# Team iPhone: 68%

Jayce Owens- iPhones are much faster.

Josh Combs- They are compatible with iTunes.

Emma Dammeyer- Androids are slow and they overheat way too easily.

Alexis Keller-Siri makes life easier.

# Team Android: 32%

Kelsey Dysinger- My mom won't buy me an iPhone

Chris Wagoner-They don't shatter as easily. Joey Schmelzer-Everyone has an iPhone and I want to be myself.

Ryan Gengler- I have one and they don't act up as much as iPhones. 104

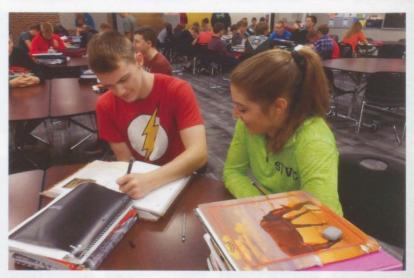
# **DRESS TO IMPRESS:**

What is the hottest sports clothing brand of 2016?

81% Nike

Under
Armor

3% Adidas



Sophomore Shae Robinson helps our her buddy Nathan Cantrell on his World History homework.

# Sophomore Survey



Sophomore Blaze Yamada contemplates what he wants to say as the judge during the Mock Trial in his 8th period English class.

# What is the top task on your bucket list?

Brandon Martin-I, as the pilot, want to fly all over the world.

Micah Meyer- I want to figure out how to freeze time.

Jared Ford- I want to get pulled over and get out and run.

Joey Schmelzer- I want to graduate.

Blaze Yamada- I want to end world hunger, travel the world, and get a lot of money.

Nathan Cantrell- I would love to move to California.



Sophomores Sarabeth Anderson and Cameron Schilling do the sticker marking at the elementry school during Red Ribbon Week.



Sophomores Andrew Slusher, Dylan Kelly and Ryan Gengler get together for a group project in English class.

# Hardest Class and why?

Sarabeth Anderson- Spanish because, it's spanish. McKenzie McDavid- History because I dislike it a lot. Bryan Miller- Chemistry because it makes zero sense. Garrett Kimmel- Geometry because it is confusing. Hunter Brumbaugh- Geometry because I struggle with math.

Mason Dilley- Chemistry because you have to pay attention more than other classes.

Big RESPONSE.



# small LAB

◆ Senior Chris Martin tests his game. ◆ Kyle Huff hammers a nail into his frame. ◆ Tristan Francis works with an electrical piece of a car. ◆ Carl Lankford works on a 3D blueprint on the computer.

◆Trevor Poling paints a small piece of a go-kart. ◆ Junior Devon Taylor glues together two small metal pieces. ◆ Josh Brumbaugh looks inside a car, looking mainly for engine problems.



Senior Tyler Richards works hard on welding together his lab project, which is part of his final grade for the semester in the Welding II Lab.





(L) Junior Levi Brown makes repairs to lab equipment. (R) Jenny Ozanich works on her computer game for young kids.

# by the numbers



### **Heating Up**

There are two seniors in the HVAC program, one of whom, lan Fries, goes and works during school time every two weeks. Above is Devon Davis who stays in the classroom to learn.



## Vroom Vroom

On December 9th, 2015, the Auto Mechanic Lab was working on nine different cars. One of the students working on these cars was junior Kodie Taylor.



## Lockdown

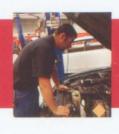
In the design lab, there are 14 lockers for the students. One of those belong to junior Kayla Gray, where she puts her backpack and other personal stuff for the day.











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# The Key to Success

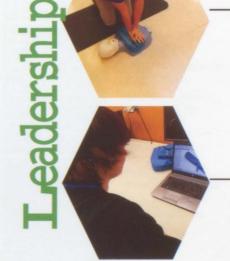
Success at the UVCC helps students with future employment after graduation.



(L-R) Abby Weer works on a customer's hair in the Cosmotology Lab. Maria Mohler studies her notes and book preparing for an Anatomy test. Kayleen Good talks with a customer about how she wants her hair.

(T-B) Weston VanHise starts up a machine in his lab. Mariah Dysinger practices CPR. Kris Gibboney works on a computer program he built. Piers Hursey takes a break from chopping wood.







Megan Alexander Allison Angle Nathaniel Armentrout Allison Babylon Mark Barga Zane Barnes

Nathan Blei Ross Bowman Levi Brown Tyler Brown Ashley Cecil **Emily Cordonnier** 

Elexis Counts Anna Dunn Darianne Ganger Katelynn Gasson Kayla Gray Jenna Hagan

Ryan Hembree Kaitlyn Hill Linsey Hyden-Simpson Logan Kearns Matthew Kuether Carl Lankford

Adam Lefeld Lexie Long

Derek McCool Destiny McDavid

Kelsey McReynolds Addison Metz







































Left to Right: Savanna Shaurer: Treasurer, Adam Lefeld: VP, Joshua Sowers: Secretary, and Kara Schaffer: President.

# JUNIORS: CLASS OF 2017



Jaret VanHoose described his Junior year as a "fun time" and says that it is going smoothly.



Deven Taylor

Deven Taylor said his Junior year has been, "Quite the experience."











Lance Miller Trevor Miller Christian Nelson Trevor Poling Jayce Pond Kailyn Pond









































Justice Warner Abigail Weer Deron White Jillena Williams Rachel York Dakota Zell

# Small Inquiry,

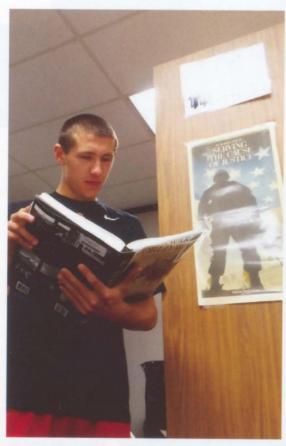




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Above: Adam Lefeld wishes he could add a class on World War II because it's not covered enough in normal classes.

# Class Addition

Lindsey Hyden: Zoology Trevor Miller: Recess

Brandi Young: World Religions Kailyn Pond: Sign Language Savanna Schaurer: Naptime Zane Barnes: Graphic Design Elexis Counts: Photography Destiny McDavid: Zoology

# Cartoons:

# What was your favorite cartoon as a kid?

Sarah Retz: Spongebob Casey Waag: Pokemon

Addison Metz: Blue's Clues because I

like blue

Anna Dunn: Power Puff Girls

Kelsey McReynolds: Ed, Edd, and

Eddy

Allison Babylon: Cat Dog Tyler Brown: Spongebob



Above: Mark Barga said his favorite cartoon growing up was Ed, Edd, and Eddy.

# **Junior Survey**



When asked about his favorite phrase to use, Nathan Blei says his is, "I love Zane."

Most used word or phrase:

Lance Miller: "No Trevor, you can't drive my truck."

Deron White: "That's what she said"

Jaret Vanhoose: "Yes"
Rachel York: "Go Buccs"
Jenna Hagan: "Go Buccs"
Kara Schaffer: "Nuggets"

Lexie Long: "OK"
Ross Bowman: "Dude"
Matthew Kuether: "Hi"



Ashley Cecil says she wants to see Greece someday.

What do you want to see in your lifetime?

Dakota Zell: The awesomest

place on Earth

Justice Warner: Dolphins

Josh Sowers: The world

Jayce Pond: California, a lot of

basketball, money and cars

Allison Angle: The Northern

Lights

Emily Cordonnier: Paris because

it looks beautiful

Small SQUAD,



The Senior class of 2016 join together in the gym for a group picture while sporting their awesome senior t-shirts!

Right to Left: Erin Olson, Sarah Pond, Brooke Gostomsky, Lydia Millhouse, and Carly Shell squeeze together for a quick picture on the school bus.

Right to Left: Logan Fields, Ryan Ford, and Noah Thomas help carry chairs during the Spaghetti supper in March that raised more than \$2000 for scholarships. Left to Right: Meghan Parker and Breanna Plessinger work hard on their lap tops at the UVCC. Danielle Swabb was honored by the Community Blood Center with a scholarship for her submission of a marketing t-shirt. Her design was awarded first place and will be used to encourage other schools to donate blood and save lives.



# Big BOND.

Right: Senior football players, cheerleaders and members of the student section squad up in celebration of the big win against Miami East.



Go confidently in the direction of your dreams, live the life you've imagined.
-Anonymous





lop Hight. Callile Barnorst leans in for a kiss with the baby sheep during the senior night basketball game against Anna. Ben Kuether uses his leadership skills at the Elementary School during Red Ribon Week. Top Left: Mariah Dysinger supports the Lady Bucos at the Arcanum vollyball game. Bottom Right: Karissa Allen and Kristi Romie say cheese as they are getting ready for the homecoming dance. Bottom Left: Noah Thomas, Ryan Ford and Connor Ryan strike a pose in their fiftys attire on senior night. Bottom: Zach Hasting shows off his award after he won Narional Champ at the National Convention for FEA.



The senior class of 2016 is without a doubt one that will never be forgotten. For a group of students as enthusiastic and goofy as this one, they definitely know how to work hard and get stuff done. They are a very athletic, intelligent and talented group of students that have walked the halls of CHS for the past four years and will continue on to be very successful individuals the future as approaches. As a whole, this particular group of seniors is one of the closest classes that this school has ever seen. They like to have fun, act silly, play games, and they definitely know how to keep things interesting.

# Semions,

# Small CLAS

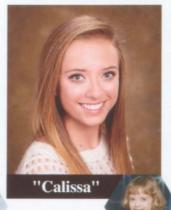
## Karissa Renee Allen



"What are you doing to the elephant?" - Tenny Zeitz

Of 2016

Activities Volleyball 9, 10, 11 Winterguard 10 Play Cast 12 Teacher's Aide 12 Drama Club 12 SADD Club 12 Art Club 12 FOR Club 12



Activities Cheerleading 9, 10, 11, 12 Play Crew 11 Cast 12 Teacher Aide 12 Spanish Club 10 SADD Club 12 Art Club 9, 10 Drama Club 11, 12 FOR Club 12

## Callie Eileen Barhorst Zachary Dakota Barnes



You wish." -Zach Bannes

Activities Football 9, 10, 11, 12 Baseball 9 Basketball 9 FFA 11 FCCLA 9, 12 Key Club 12

# Sydney Elaine Blanton



"Chemistry almost made me a CFUS dropout." -Sydney Blanton

Activities Cheerleading 9, 10, 11, 12 Golf 9, 11, 12 Spanish Club 10, 11, Spanish Club Vice-President 12 Art Club 9, 10

# Mariah Rose Dysinger



Activities

"Never let the fear of striking out keep you from playing the game."

Babe Ruth

Volleyball 9, 10

Basketball 9, 10, 11

Key Club Treasurer 10

Athletic Trainer Aide 12

Golf 11

Softball 10

Play; Cast 9

Key Club 9, 10

Drama Club 9

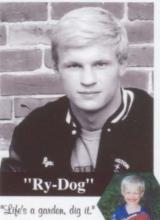
# Logan Brock Fields



Go Buccs." -Logan Fields

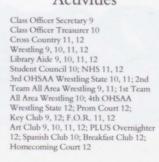


# Ryan Christopher Ford

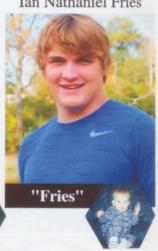


Joe Dirt

# Activities



## Ian Nathaniel Fries



Activities Football 9, 10, 11 Wrestling 9, 10, 11 Track 9, 10, 11

## 114

# Big LEGACY

Austin Tanner Gibson Brown

Michael Allen Cox

Jessie Ann Crowell

Devon Austin Lee Taite Davis



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Activities Track 10 FFA 10, 11, 12

"In order to succeed, we must first believe that we can." -Nikos Kazantzakis

Activities

Golf 9
Volleyball 11
Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12
Softball 9
1st Team All CCC 9, 11
All State Honorable Mention 9
1000th Basketball Point 12
Most Points in a Single Game
Record 12
Spanish Club 9, 10, 11, 12
Key Club 9, 10, 11, 12
Art Club 11, 12
F.O.R. Club 12

Activities Skills USA 11, 12 FCCLA 9, 10

Logan Templeton Garman

Activities Breakfast Club 11

Kristopher Allen Gibboney



"Love God, Love Others, Follow Christ." -Kristopher Gibboney

Activities
PEDT Senior Lab
President 12
PEDT Junior Lab Treasurer
11
National Honor Society 11,
12
1st place UVCC Quiz
Bowl Competition
2nd place Technical
Mathematics Competition
Skills USA 11, 12

Brooke Danielle Gostomsky



"Jesus replied, "You do not realize now what I doing, but later you will understand" -John 13:7

James Dalton Grilliot



"Jimmy G"

## Activities

Vice President 9; Secretary 10,11,12; Volleyball 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10,11,12; Softball 9,10,11,12; Athletic Office Aid 11,12; National Honor Society 10,11,12; Key Club 9,10,11,12 (Secretary 11 President 12); Spanish Club 9,10,11,12; Art Club 9,12; F.O.R. Club 11,12; CCC All-Academic Team 9,10,11,12; 1st Team CCC (Volleyball) 11; 2nd Team CCC (Basketball) 11; Special Mention CCC (Softball & Volleyball) 10

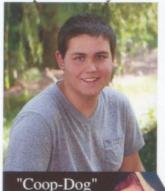
Activities
Football 9,10;
Golf 11,12;
Basketball 9,10,11;
Baseball 9,10,11,12;
1st Team All-District
(Baseball) 11;
2nd Team All-State
(Baseball) 11

Jamee Lee Grody



Activities Basketball 9,10; FFA 10,11,12

Cooper Anthony Hand



"Yeah? Well. my mom had that Callie Barbors

Activities Play Cast 11,12; National Honor Society 11,12 (Treasurer 12); Perfect Attendance 11; Spanish Club 9,10,11,12; S.A.D.D. Club 12; Drama Club 11,12

Zachary Logan Hasting



Pistons, oil, and grease smell nice to me." - Fach Hasting

Activities FFA 9,10,11,12: Art Club 9,10; State AND National Champ (Ag Mechanics Repair & Maintanence Entrepreneurship) 12

Taylor Nicole Hill



Activities Play Cast 9,10: Perfect Attendance 11.12

taught." - Anonymous

# Michael Todd Lutz



minnons be real if our eyes aren't real?" -Jaden Smith Activities Art Aide 11:

Art Club 11

# Brandon Douglas Magee



"Life is uncertain; always eat dessert first" - Anonymous

Activities Football 9,10,11,12; Wrestling 9,10,11,12; Track 9,10,11,12; Art Club 11,12; FFA 10,11,12; FFA State (Wildlife Management) 3rd (10) 1st (11); All Ohio Division 7 Lineman (Football) 12



"Commande

or what we believe in, what w elieve in may be lost forever, and all ou a filting will have been in vain." -Christopher Martin

Activities



Activities Football 9; Basketball 9,10,11,12; Baseball 12; Two Time All Tournament Team 11,12; Key Club 12; Art Club 12; FOR Club 11,12; 1st Team All Conference Basketball: 12: District 9 All Media Team Basketball: 12: Southwest Team Honorable Mention Basketball: 12

Chace Thomas Hinnegan



"[...] 9 am your OG and you will respect me as such." - Kanye West

Activities Football 9,10,11,12; Baseball 9,10,11,12; Spanish Club 9,10,11; S.A.D.D. Club 9,11,12; Key Club 11,12; CCC All-Academic Team (Football) 11,12

Daniel Isaac Huntley



Activities Play Crew: 11

Hunter Daniel Kimmel Bernard Theodore Kuether



"Train hard, Hunt harder." Cameron Hanes

> Activities Baseball 9,10,11; FFA 12



Activities Football 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10; Baseball 9,10,11,12; National Honor Society 10,11,12; Key Club 9,10,11,12; Spanish Club 9,10,11,12; FFA 10,11,12; S.A.D.D Club 12; CCC All-Academic Team 10,11,12

Destiny Megan McDavid Lydia Danielle Millhouse Maria JoAnn Mohler



Activities



Get Rowdy." -Lydia Millhouse

Activities Student Council 9,10,12; FFA 10,11,12; FFA Reporter 11,12; Ohio High School Rodeo 12; P.L.U.S. Overnighter Team 10; 4-H 9,10,11,12; Homecoming Court 12



Activities Track 9,10,11,12

Ethan Eugene Nash

Perfect Attendance 9,10



"Nash" "Ethan Nash is my favorite student." Mrs. Nutter

Activities Football 9,10,11,12; Baseball 9; Track 10; FFA 10,11,12; Art Club 10,11

# Small CLASS,

Erin Makalea Olson



Meghan Renee Parker Haylee Elizabeth Pence Casey Sebastian Phillis



"The best preparation for tomorrow is doing your best today." -II. Jackson Brown, Ir.

You may encounter defeats, but you must not be defeated." Maya Angelou



Life itself is worth living for. If you're not living the life that you want, you fight for that life." Jenson Aekles Activities

Society Secretary 12;



Whatever you do, don't be another brick in the wall." - Hank Moody

Activities Winter Guard 10; Marching Band FFA 10,11,12

Activities Class Treasurer 9,10; Cross Country 12; Volleyball 9,10; Basketball 9; Softball 9,10,11; Student Council 11,12; Student Council Secretary 12; Key Club 9,10,11,12; Art Club 9,10,11,12; Art Club Vice President 12; Breakfast Club 10,12

## Activities

Cross Country 9,10,11,12; Track 9,10,11,12; Marching Band 9,10,11; Pep Band 9,10; Concert Band 9,10; Jazz Band 9,10; Drama Club 9,10,11,12; Art Club 9,10; Business Professionals of America 11,12; Business Professionals of America Secretary 12

Coleman Joseph Ryan

# Team 11,12

Connor Wayne Ryan

9,10,11,12; Pep Band 9,10,11,12;

Jazz Band 9,10,11,12; Section

Leader 99,10,11,12; Chorus 11;

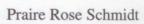
Drama Club 10,11,12; Spanish

Aide 10,11,12; National Honor

Society 10,11,12; National Honor

Americanism Test Winner 10,11;

Spanish Club 9,10,11,12; Quiz





"Ryan Coler '9'm not a teacher's pet"



Life is a journey, not a destination"

-Ralph Waldo **Emerson** 

Drama Club 9,10; Golf 10; Concert Band 9; National Club 9; Key Club 9,10,11,12; FCCLA 9,10; Spanish Club 9,10; FFA 10, SADD Club

11,12; 4-H 9,10,11,12; TEAM

Member 9,10,11,12

Activities

Activities Football 9,10,11,12; Basketball Football 9; Wrestling 10,11,12; Baseball Country 11,12; Wrestling Honor Society 11,12; Breakfast 9,10,11,12; Peer Tutor 10,11; 9,10,11,12; Baseball 9,11; Student Council 11, President Track 12; Play Crew 12; 12; Key Club 9,10,11,12; Art Spanish Club 9,10,12; Art Club 9; Spanish Club 9,10;

-Coleman Ryan

Activities 9,10; Cross Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Key Club 9,10,11,12; Drama Club 11

Activities Play Crew 12

class of 2016

# Big ADVENTURE

Breanna Kristin Plessinger



Activities Drama Club 11; Art Club 9,10,11

## Sarah Ann Pond



Life is too short to be anything but happy!

-Sanah Pond Activities

9,10,11; Spanish Aide 9,10,11; Volleyball 9,10,11,12; Basketball Peer Tutor 12: Student Council 9,10,11,12; Student Council Treasurer 12: National Honor Society 10,11,12; National Honor Society President 12; Key 9,10,11,12;



Stay fluffy." Arianna Richards

Arianna Lynn Richards Tyler Sebastian Richards



Activities

Cheerleading 11,12; Volleyball Class President 9; Class Treasurer 11,12; 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10,11,12; Softball 9,10,11,12; Athletic Office Helper 12; Library Aide 10; Student Council 9,11; National Honor Society 10,11,12; Key Club 9,10,11,12; Key Club Treasurer 11; Key Club Vice President 12; Spanish Club 9,10,11,12; Club 9,10,11,12; Spanish Club President 12; Art Club 9,10,11,12; FOR Club 11.12

Steven Dennie Byron Scott



"We don't have to know what tomorrow holds. That's why we can live for everything we're worth today." -Fairy Tale

Activities UVCC 11,12

Steven Michael Shane



"Steve "Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined." - Henry David Thoreau

Activities Art Aide 12; Cross Country 9,10,12; Track 9,10; Soccer 9,10; Play cast 10; Crew 9; Spanish 9,10; Art Club 9,10,11,12; 10,11,12 Drama Club 9,10; SADD 11; FCCLA 11

# Carly Reed Shell



painful to the human mind as a and sudden change" - Mary S.

# Activities

Cross Country 9,10,11,12; Basketball 9,10,11,12 ;Track 9,10,11,12; Concert Band 9; Student Council 9,10,11,12; Key Club 9,10,11,12; FFA ;FFA 11,12; Cross Country Recod, Track 1&2 Mile Record

## John Edward Shell



# Activities

Cross Country 9,10; Marching Band 9; Pep Band 9,10; Concert Band 9: FCCLA 10,11,12; FFA 10,11,12; Plus Overnighter 9,10; 4-H 9,10,11,12; Quiz Bowl 11,12; Art Club 12

# Senior Class

Kyle Lee Stengel



"If you truly want to escape the everydays, you must canstantly evolve" -Iziaya Orihara

Activities Concert Band 9,10,12 Play Crew 12 Shane Michail Straw



Activities

Football 9,10,11,12:

Track 9,10,11,12;

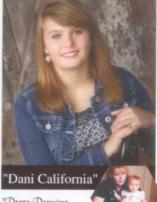
Guidance Aide 12;

Rachel's Challenge

Art Club 9,10,11,12:

" 9 gotta make my quota.." -Sean Straw

12



Danielle Lea Swabb

"Draco Dormiens Nunquam Titallandus" Hogwarts Motto

Activities Cross Country 12; Basketball 9; Track 10,11,12; Marching Band 10,11,12; Chorus 10,11,12; Play Cast 9,10,11,12; Art Club 9; Spanish Club 9,10; SADD 11, Drama Club 9,10,11,12 Noah Jacob Thomas



"I'm afraid of bears" -Nathan



Activities Football 9,10,11,12; Baseball 9,10,11,12 Student Council Vice President 12;

Nicole Beth Zeitz



elephant"

Nicki and Kanissa

Activities

Softball 9, Concert Band

9,10,11,12; , Marching

Band 9,10,11,12; Pep Band,

9,10,11,12;

Drama Club 9,10,11,12;

Soccer 9,10,11; 4-H

9,10,11,12; Spanish Club

9,10; Sinclair National

Honor Society 11,12;

# Not Pictured:

Joshua Brumbaugh Kayleen Good Michael Hart Daniel Henslee Kyle Huff Piers Hursey Kayla Reck Brittany Robinson Joshua Lee Brumbaugh

Activities Art Club 10; Skills USA Competition

**Piers Elliot Hursey** 

Activities FFA 11, 12



# BIG-HOPES

Weston Robert VanHise



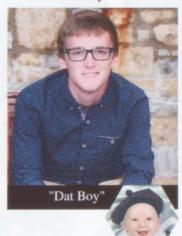
Activities FFA 10; Skills USA 11,12

Jared Nicholas Williams



Activities
Football 9,10,11,12;
Baseball 9,10,11,12;
Library Aide
10,11,12; Art Club 9;
Homecoming King
12

Levi Anthony Winn



Activities Golf 9,10,11,12; Baseball 9,10,11,12; Baketball 9,10; Wrestling 11; Art Club 9,12; Peer Tutor 11,12; Library Aide 12;

Julianna Nicole Yingst



Cross Country
9,10,11,12; Basketball
9,10,11,12; Track
9,10,11,12; Pep band 9;
Concert Band 9; Chorus
10; Play Cast 10,11; Play
Crew 9,12; Key Club
9,10; FCCLA 9,10,11,12;
UVCC Ambassador 12;
Student Senate 11,12

# Kayleen Elizabeth Good

Activities Track 10,11; Art Club 10; Skills USA 12

# **Brittany Ann Robinson**

Activities Key Club 9;

# Michael Bradley Hart

Activities Football 9; Baseball 9, 10;

# DanielLukeHenslee

Activities Football 9; Track 9,10; FFA 10; Baseball 9; Wrestling 9





**Best Dressed** 

Erin Olson & Connor Ryan



**Most Likely to Succeed** 

Haylee Pence & Ben Kuether



**Most Likely to be President** 

Brooke Gostomsky & Levi Winn

# Senior Superlatives



**Class Clowns** 

Shane Straw & Lydia Millhouse



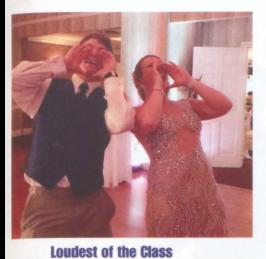
**Most Changed Since Freshman Year** 

Cooper Hand & Karissa Allen



**Best Laughs** 

Ryan Ford & Jessie Crowell



Brandon Magee & Maria Mohler



Noah Thomas, Arianna Richards & Logan Fields

**Biggest Flirts** 



Jordan Maschino & Carly Shell

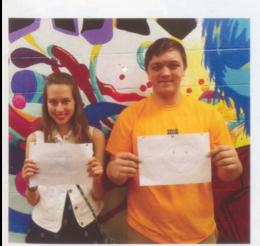


**Best Smiles**Jared Williams & Callie Barhorst



Most Likely to be Late to Their Wedding

Zach Barnes & Sydney Blanton



**Most Artistic**Kristy Romie & Ethan Nash



**Teacher's Pets**Coleman Ryan & Danielle
Swabb



Most School Spirit

Sarah Pond & Chace Hinnegan







## **Prairie Schmidt**

"The theme song of my life is *One Call Away* by Charlie Puth because I am willing to help anyone that lets me know."

My friends are...
"beyond help!"



## **Josh Combs**

"The theme song of my life is *I Want You Back* by Jackson 5 because it's a fun song that reminds me of fun times."

My friends are...
"fun, likeable,
positive and
incredible."



# Katelyn Staudt

"The theme song of my life is *One Call Away* by Charlie Puth because I'm only one call away for anyone."

My friends are...
"very enthusiastic!"

# Getting



## Derek McCool

"The theme song of my life is *Space Oddity* by David Bowie because I don't really know why, I listen to it."

My friends are...
"funny, family,
creative, inventive,
misfits"



# Kyle Barga

"The theme song of my life is When I'm Gone by Wiz Khalifia because it talks about living life to the fullest."

My friends are...
"the craziest people you'll meet."



# Lexii Keller

"The theme song of my life is *The Strays* by Sleeping with Sirens because I've always been the 'different' one, and this song taught me to embrace that."

My friends are...
"crazy but super amazing people!"



# Kyle Stengel

"The theme song of my life is Summertime Record by Juby Phonic because it kind of reminisce on the moment at the memories made."

My friends are...
"better than sliced bread."



# **Steven Shane**

"The theme song of my life is *The Climb* by Miley Cyrus because through all the obstacles that life throws, just keep climbing."

My friends are...
"important."



# Cayden Partin

Last

"The theme song of my life is *Lose Yourself* by Eminem because I really like spaghetti."

My friends are...
"me, myself, and I."



## Mikenna Baker

"The theme song of my life is *Soco* Amaretto Lime by Brand New because I want to stay young and have fun forever."

My friends are...
"crazy nuts!"



## Jesse Wall

"The theme song of my life is *The Show Must Go On* by Pink Floyd because it is the 'in a nutshell' description of how I go through life."

My friends are...
"sometimes pretty cool."



# **Linsey Hyden**

"The theme song of my life is *Work* by Rihanna ft. Drake because I go to school and work and I go to work and work!"

My friends are...
"young, wild and free!"

# the



## Olivia Vombaur

"The theme song of my life is *Man in the Mirror* by Micheal Jackson because it's about chaning the worls and starting with yourself."

My friends are...
"my family."



# Logan Schaeffer

"The theme song of my life is Warrior by Demi Lovato because I'm fighting an unknown battle."

My friends are...
"idiots, just like
me!"



# Sarah Retz

"The theme song of my life is *Just Dance* by Lady Gaga because I'm most likely at dance practice or I'm sleeping."

My friends are...
"as weird as I am!"

# Word



# **Jacob Riegle**

"The theme song of my life is Daydreamer by Flux Pavilion because no matter what I can still think of ideas."

My friends are...
"the best worst people."



# **Seth Daly**

"The theme song of my life is Humble and Kind by Tim McGraw because it's a good reminder of how to live."

My friends are...
"painfully funny."



# **Elexis Counts**

"The theme song of my life is 18 by 5 Seconds of Summer because I really want to be 18."

My friends are...
"some of my
favorite people."

# small BOOK, big IMPACT

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# Yearbook Staff

Left to Right: Levi Winn, Lydia Millhouse, Coleman Ryan, Erin Olson, Nathan Cantrell. Callie Barhorst. Chace Hinnegan, Karissa Allen, Logan Fields, Kelsey McReynolds

Colophon





The Communications class works very diligently from the beginning of the year to the very last day of school to make the yearbook. On top of creating this amazing memory book, they are also making the school newspaper and filming for CHS News. The class may not be very big, but together they make an awesome book for Covington High School students and graduates to look back on.

