

No School on Friday, October 30

Due to the number of staff and students that are planning to support the HHS volleyball girls team headed to the state tournament in Salina on Friday, all USD 410 schools will be dismissed that day. If you are interested in cheering the girls on, they will be starting pool play in the Bicentennial Center at 9:30 a.m. with other matches following at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Trick or Treat Mainstreet

The annual Trick or Treat Mainstreet will take place on Friday, October 30 from 5:00 to 7:30 pm in front of the Senior Center on Main Street. Bring your children down town this year to Trick-or-Treat. The businesses on Main Street will be handing out candy during the time listed above.

At the City Building you will be able to get Halloween pictures of your children. The cost is \$4 for the first picture and \$3 for any additional pictures. There will be a Halloween background and the photographer will be printing and framing the pictures on the spot. The photographer will be at the city building from 5:00 to 7:30 pm.

Trick-or-Treat Main Street is sponsored by the Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce and Halloween 2009. Pictures are being hosted by Hillsboro Conventions and Visitors Bureau. For additional information please call Renee at The Chamber, (620) 947-3506.

There will be no school sponsored Halloween party or parade, so please take advantage of the downtown merchants generous offer.



Teddy Bear Day

The kindergarten classes enjoyed Teddy Bear Day recently as shown in the pics below.



Counselor Corner

Next week, November 2- 6, will be Red Ribbon Week. Throughout the month of October Mr. Moran has been teaching about the effects of drugs and alcohol with the third through fifth graders. Red Ribbon Week will have activities that focus on the importance of our students to make healthy choices.

- * **Monday** will be **Red Ribbon Day**. Students will wear red ribbons throughout the day.
- * **Tuesday** will be **crazy sock day**. The class with the craziest socks will receive a prize.
- * On **Wednesday**, site council members will pass out **healthy snacks** at the end of the school day. At 4:00 PM at the Tabor track, students will *run* the fourteenth annual Drug Free half mile run.
- * **Thursday** is **career day**. Teachers will have parents or community members come into their classes to talk about their careers with our students.
- * **Every day** in the lunchroom a **red** food will be served. At the end of the week students will be asked to name every red food that was served throughout the week. A drawing of those with the right answers will determine winners out of each class. The winners will receive a prize.
- * On **Friday** there will be an assembly for the whole elementary school in the lunchroom that will cap off Red Ribbon Week. Fifth graders will present their refusal skill skits and we will introduce our next month's character theme.