

Full steam ahead for Fultonian Yearbook

By Dawson Samson

Barely a month of school has passed, but it's already time to start thinking ahead when it comes to the *Fultonian* Yearbook. The staff is already hard at work preparing for the 2014 edition, and in the meantime there are several upcoming deadlines that students need to be aware of.

Many students have been asking about when pictures are due for the yearbook, and when they can start ordering theirs. Starting with Yearbook presales, pre-ordering a yearbook before Friday, December 20 will take \$10 off of the total cost of a yearbook. This will take the price from \$60, to \$50. If anyone would like a form for presale, please contact Mr. Senecal in room 228.

Order forms will be sent out with five-week reports and are also available in the main office, or from Mr. Senecal.

The Yearbook advisor was quick to stress the importance of ordering early, saying that, "There won't be a lot of extras for sale in the spring, so if you want one, order now and save ten dollars." He went on to note that the *Fultonian* ended up with a number of extra 2013 books, which are currently available for \$10, but that this will not be the case in 2014.

"We can't afford to have extra yearbooks lying around unsold, so this year I am going to stick very close to the presale total when we make our order."

Yearbook orders will not be available via the internet this year, because according to Senecal, "it was more of a hassle than it was worth. There were numerous mistakes and we weren't seeing any spike in orders." He urged everyone to preorder in school to take advantage of the \$10 savings, and noted that the partial payment plan was still in effect. "For ten dollars down you can save ten dollars off the cost," he commented. "It's hard to beat that deal."

Picture makeup and retake day will be on Thursday, October 24. Anyone who did not have their picture taken the first time around,

or simply would like a new picture needs to go to the auditorium on this date from 9 am to 2 pm. For retakes, be sure to bring back the original photograph.

The final day for senior portrait submissions will be on Tuesday, November 5. Parent recognition ads for the yearbook, prom photos, and baby photos will also be due on this date. Photos can also be submitted for consideration at www.hjshare.com with the school code: *fultonian*

FBLA: they take their business seriously

Do you have an interest in business? Do you enjoy traveling and meeting new people? Do you like competing in competitions?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, then G. Ray Bodley's Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) is the right club for you.

FBLA is a very competitive club and its members travel to various competitions throughout the year. They also do many fundraisers and spend a considerable amount of time doing community service. FBLA looks great on any applications and it is also an opportunity to find and become eligible for potential scholarships for college.

FBLA member and GRB sophomore, Julia

In November, senior activity sheets will be handed out to all seniors that will be due by Friday, December 7. Club, activity, and senior poll photos will take place on Wednesday, December 18..

Any seniors who are looking to have their yearbooks personalized, please see Mr. Senecal in room 228 by Friday, January 17. Senior personalization will cost an extra \$5 on top of the original cost of a yearbook.

Warner said, "I like FBLA because it has helped me make new friends from all over the state. I also like being involved in community events and helping to make our community a better place."

She went on to say that, "If I could give a word of advice to everyone reading this article, it would be to join FBLA, even if you have no interest in business. It is a wonderful experience of its own and it has taught me many important things that I will be able to use in my future, no matter the career I choose to go in."

FBLA meets every Monday in Mrs. House's room (116) from 2:30-3 pm. It's not too late to join.

By Ruth Brown



Members gather at a recent FBLA meeting. The club is open to all students and meets every Monday in room 116. (Ruth Brown photo)

Raider Sports

This week in Raider Sports

Today: X-country @ Homer (4:30); JV football @ New Hartford (5 pm); Golf @ Sectional qualifier (TBA).
Thurs. Oct. 3: Girls soccer @ J-D (4:30); Vball vs. Mexico (JV-5/V-6:30); Boys soccer @ Mexico (4:30).
Fri. Oct. 4: V football vs. New Hartford (6:30 pm).
Sat. Oct. 5: JV Vball @ B'ville Tourney (8:45 am); X-country @ Tully

Girls trounce Spartans 6-1 for senior night win

It was a senior night to remember when the Lady Raider tennis team grabbed its second win of the season on Friday against East Syracuse-Minoa. As was the case the first time around, the girls had an easy time with the win as they topped the Spartans 6-1.

All of the girls won in two set as Anna Guernsey prevailed 6-0, 6-1 in second singles and Sophia Giovannetti claimed a 6-1, 6-2 win at third singles.

In doubles action Kassidy Kearns and Julia Ludington won 6-0, 6-1 while Hope Williams and Madison Coulon cruised to a 6-0, 6-3 win and Maureen McCann and Miki Iijima won by the same score. Helping the Raiders to a sweep of the doubles events were Angeline Kimbrell and Taylor Rose, 6-1, 6-2 victors at fourth doubles..

On Monday the results were not as good when Fulton faced Homer and lost 5-2. Winning points for the Lady Raiders were Kassidy Kearns and Julia Ludington in first doubles with a score of 6-1 and 6-2 along with Anna Guernsey and Casey Shannon who won 6-2 and 7-5 at second doubles.

By Jimmy Martin

What's happening at G. Ray Bodley High School?

French Club will be holding an important meeting on Thursday at 5:30 pm in room 125 to reveal plans for a spring trip to Montreal, Quebec. The trip is open to all students and community members.

Driver Education information for the fall session is now available in the guidance office.

Quirk's Players will meet after school on Thursday in the auditorium. Anyone interested in the spring musical is urged to attend.

HOPE Club meets every Monday in room 119.

Future Business Leaders of America meets every Monday in room 116.

Fultonian Yearbook meets every Tuesday in room 102.

Student Senate Sign-ups for volunteers for Spirit Week activities are posted on Mrs. Ferlito's door, room 115.

GRB Journalism Club meets Wednesdays in room 102.

Environmental Club and **Science Club** meeting today after school in room 202.

Teen Writers Group meets in the LMC on Wed. Oct. 16 at 2:30. Register in advance with Mrs. Scalfaro.

Juniors: it's time to register for the **October 19 PSAT exam**. See Mr. Ascenzi in the guidance office for more information.

Looking to **travel to Europe next summer**? See Mrs. Hallatt in room 117 for information about a trip to Amsterdam, Brussels, Paris and London.

The trip is open to anyone from the community as well as surrounding school districts.

GRB Spirit Week

Thursday: Twin

Day (me and my shadow)

Bonfire at the Lake, 6-8 pm

with a DJ and snacks

Friday: Raider

pride day ('nuff said!)

Pep assembly during school

featuring the Power-puff

football game*March to the

game*Fulton vs. New Hart-

ford 6:30 pm*Student

Senate Homecoming Dance

8-11 pm

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Have a great year

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Stylin' it for GRB's Spirit Week!

photos by Courtney Whaley & Jon Noeller



It's Spirit Week at G. Ray Bodley High School, and that means there are dress up days for each day of the week, leading up to Friday's pep rally and Homecoming football game. Looking mighty bright on Monday's "Neon Day" were Ciarra Ferguson and Shelby Drake, while Emma Harvey and math teacher Mr. Lacey show off their outfits from Tuesday's "Mix n' Match Day."

Meteorology and you

By Carson Metcalf



Today:



Mostly sunny. High 73.
Record 86 (1950). Avg.
65.

Tonight:



Mostly clear. Low 48.
Record low: 33 (1997).
Avg. low: 46.

Tomorrow:



Sun and clouds. High
72.
Record high: 86 (1951).
Avg. high: 65.

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