

- Play "Still Life with Iris" 7:30 p.m. in auditorium
- Dakota Relays through Saturday at Howard Wood Field



### Weather

Today: Partly cloudy.  
High 57°.

Tonight: Clearing. Low 30°.

This weekend: Cloudy to partly cloudy. Showers possible. Highs around 55°. Lows in the 30's.

### Campus

Lunch today: Chicken strips

A la carte lines: Pizza, chef salad, cheeseburger, burrito

Monday: Chicken sandwich

### In the counseling center:

- A representative from the Civil Air Patrol organization in Sioux Falls will visit during lunch periods Wednesday. The South Dakota Air National Guard will visit Thursday.

- Several scholarship opportunities are available. Stop and check them.

### Meeting announcements:

- Improv members will meet at 8 a.m. Monday in A-212.

- Seniors will meet during an ad-room May 18 to discuss graduation and end of year events.

### Other reminders:

- Josten's will deliver graduation gowns and accessories today during lunch in the old attendance office.

- All students involved in drama this year should vote for next year's officers by Monday. The ballot box is located outside the Little Theatre in the C-Wing.

- No lunch charges will be allowed beginning Monday.

- Seniors should turn in a graduation photo and a baby photo for the Senior Class Party. Photos with names on them will be returned at the party.

- Freshman-junior students should apply now to be a part of the Principal's Advisory Council. Applications are due Wednesday.

- Prom photos will be delivered the week of May 10-14.

### Beach Bash set

Beach Bash will be May 7. Tickets will go on sale Wednesday during lunch periods in the commons.

Tickets for the variety show will be \$2. Dance tickets are \$5.

# HonorFest 2004

## Annual event honors academic excellence

By Bryan Englehart, Noelle Thompson and Lyndsey Berg  
 Renaissance Committee members recognized academic and activity excellence this morning in the gym at HonorFest 2004.

Recognized were seniors who have completed their high school career with a perfect 4.0, including Kari Anderson, Daniel Boeve, Jenna Chaplin, Jody Coburn, Spencer Cook, Randi Knutson, Sarah Marnach, Sergey Mazan, Andy Mortenson, Matt Olson, Robb Schlimgen, Katie Severson, Luke Sharpe, Justin Simundson, Kayla Tramp and Kendra Trites.

The highlight of the Honorfest was the presentation of the Top Ten Seniors of the year, including Sharpe, Tramp, Knutson, Severson, Chaplin, David Ngor, Emily Murren, Katie Moberly, Carrie Burns and Garrett Hansen.

Students of the year were also recognized. They were selected from the students of the month for each grade level. Jenna Schmidt is the freshman of the year, Sabrina Vasa is the sophomore of the year, Becca Labat is the junior of the year and Ngor was the senior of the year.

Activity Leaders of the Year include Burns, Schlimgen, Sharpe and junior Elizabeth Hunstad.

Activities Principal Kevin Kennedy said HonorFest is a great way to recognize active students.

"HonorFest is an opportunity to honor all at Washington that give dedication and time to the school," Kennedy said. "HonorFest is honoring students, parents, faculty, volunteers and anyone who participates in the WHS community."

Another highlight of the event was the recognition of the Teacher of the Year. This year's honor was presented posthumously to math teacher Jane Morey who passed away earlier this year after a long battle with cancer. Her family accepted the award on her behalf.



Luke Sharpe  
Top 10 Senior



Kayla Tramp  
Top 10 Senior



David Ngor  
Top 10 & Senior of Year



Katie Severson  
Top 10 Senior



Emily Murren  
Top 10 Senior



Jenna Schmidt  
Freshman of Year



Sabrina Vasa  
Sophomore of Year



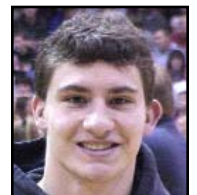
Becca Labat  
Junior of Year



Katie Moberly  
Top 10 Senior



Carrie Burns  
Top 10 Senior



Garrett Hansen  
Top 10 Senior



Jenna Chaplin  
Top 10 Senior



Randi Knutson  
Top 10 Senior

# Track teams list top performers of season

| Event       | Boys  | Girls                              |
|-------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Shot put    | . . . Aaron Grunewaldt 44'7.25"                         | Chelsea Kinyon 33'1"               |
| Discus      | . . . Sam Soholt 144'                                   | . . . Chelsea Kinyon 120'10"       |
| Long jump   | . . . Francis John 20'2"                                | . . . Jenna Schmidt 15'2"          |
| High jump   | . . . Kyle Sexe 6'                                      | . . . Jenna Schmidt 5'             |
| Triple jump | . . . Francis John 41'5"                                | . . . Erica Sieler 34'3"           |
| 100 dash    | . . . JaRon Harris :10.5                                | . . . Kelsey Madsen :12.8          |
| 110 hurdles | . . . Will Brooks :16.7                                 | . . . Courtney Nordquist :17.7     |
| 200 dash    | . . . JaRon Harris :22.7                                | . . . Erica Sieler :27.2           |
| 300 hurdles | . . . Francis John :43.5                                | . . . Jenna Schmidt :51.0          |
| 400 dash    | . . . Dwaine Adams :50.6                                | . . . Kayla Kammerer 1:02.6        |
| 800 run     | . . . Yei Ngor 2:05.6                                   | . . . Michaela Steinborn 2:27.5    |
| 1600 run    | . . . Eric Lindquist 4:40.2                             | . . . Michaela Steinborn 5:32.1    |
| 3200 run    | . . . Kyle Warren 10:20.2                               | . . . Michaela Steinborn 12:22.2   |
| 4x100 relay | . . . M. Elliott, R. Routh, . . . A. Aanenson, C. Burns |                                    |
|             | . . . . . A. Stanga, J. Harris :43.2                    | . . . S. Green, E. Sieler :53.2    |
| 4x200 relay | . . . M. Elliott, R. Routh, . . . K. Madson, S. Green   |                                    |
|             | . . . . . A. Stanga, J. Harris 1:30.8                   | . . . M. Mydland, E. Sieler 1:49.6 |

| Event        | Boys   | Girls                                 |
|--------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| 4x400 relay  | . . . K. Sexe, A. McGuire . . . . . E. Sieler, K. Kammerer, . . . . . D. Adams, R. Routh 3:29.9      | . . . M. Mydland, C. Costello 4:16.2  |
| 4x800 relay  | . . . B. Harms, T. Ryan, . . . . . M. Steinborn, K. Kammerer, . . . . . A. McGuire, K. Warren 8:20.1 | . . . G. Parker, C. Nordquist 10:17.4 |
| Medley relay | . . . E. Neisteadt, W. Brooks, . . . S. Green, M. Mydland, . . . . . T. Torok, A. McGuire 3:48.2     | . . . K. Kammerer, G. Parker 4:37.7   |

The Warrior track teams "Top Dawgs" is a listing of top performers by event for the season to date.

Today's results reflect the teams' performance through the Legion Relays April 23 in Pierre. The team is in action today and Saturday at the Howard Wood Dakota Relays in Sioux Falls beginning at 4 p.m. today



## Two Marines Killed in Fallujah Attack

BAGHDAD, Iraq —Two U.S. Marines were killed and six wounded Friday in a suicide car bombing near the Marines' camp in Fallujah, the U.S. military said.

Brig. Gen. Mark Kimmitt said the attack occurred Friday morning.

However, the attack did not appear to have slowed down moves to turn over security inside Fallujah to an Iraqi force made up mostly of former Iraqi army members.

The latest deaths bring the number of U.S. service members killed since the Iraq war began in March 2003 to 738. A total of 128 U.S. troops have been killed by hostile fire this month, the bloodiest for American forces since the war began.

## Track teams in action at Dakota Relays this weekend

By Dylan O'Donnell

Warrior boys and girls track team will be competing in the 80th Annual Howard Wood Dakota Relays this weekend.

The meet is the region's largest two-day meet with over 3,000 athletes participating. Student-athletes from middle school, high school and college track programs will be competing.

The first session will begin today at 4 p.m., and end around 9:45 p.m. The second session will begin at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday and conclude at 3:40

p.m. The third and final session will begin at 5:45 p.m. on Saturday and finish up after the last race of the day at 9:25 p.m.

The Dakota Relays will also feature two highly competitive "special" races tonight. The girl's special race will be the 800-meter run at 7:45 p.m. and the boys will be the 200-meter run at 8:10 p.m. Senior JaRon Harris was scheduled to run in the special event, but will no longer be competing at the relays due to an injury.

The varsity athletes competing in the meet have been working hard to

prepare for this important meet. They will face some of the toughest competition they will face all year.

Coach Mike Peiper said he has high expectations for the meet.

"I think that we can compete well and hopefully medal in all five relays," Peiper said. "This is a very unique meet with very few open events but some of the toughest competition in the region."

Visit the official Dakota Relays website at [www.dakotarelays.com](http://www.dakotarelays.com) for details, schedules and full results throughout the weekend.

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## Juggle

Freshman Jordan Lakatos performs a juggling act during this morning's HonorFest. He was one of several student acts.

Photo by Becca Forsyth



## Wise words from Larry Lundeen

We proudly present a regular feature of the Friday NOW, words of wisdom selected from various sources by math teacher Larry Lundeen. "Your mind is like a parachute. It works better when open."

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