

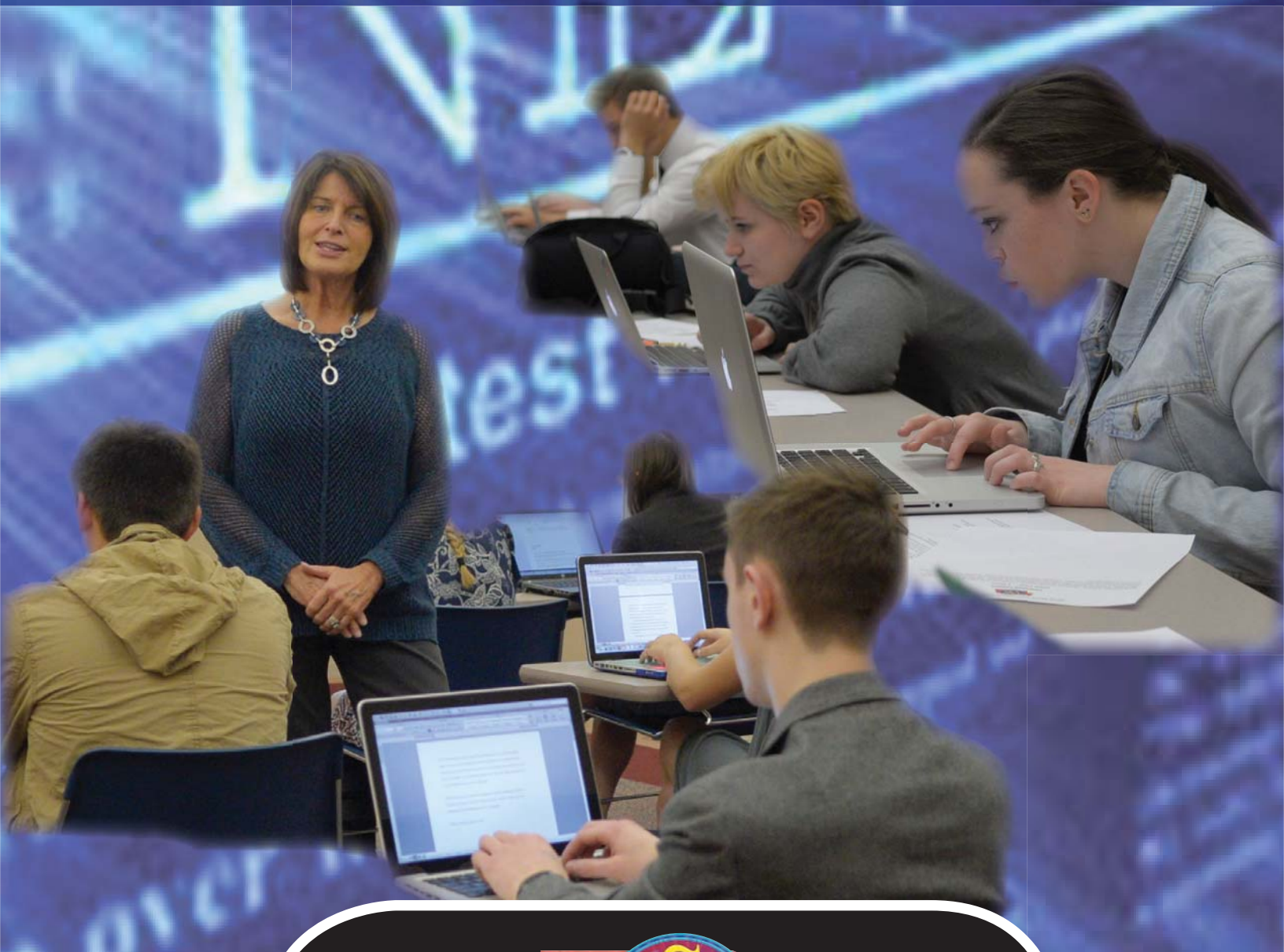
NSAA STATE

# JOURNALISM

April 24, 2017

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Norfolk



*"NSAA activities...the other half of education"*

Dear Friends,

Welcome to another competition of Nebraska's state championship games!

Congratulations to the students who have earned a chance to represent your school at this event. This is a very exciting time, and you should all be proud of all of the time and hard work you put in to get to this point.

Thank you to the coaches, parents and guardians who play an important role in supporting our talented young Nebraskans. Participants, make sure you also thank all of those who have supported you and helped you get to this point in your life.

When students are involved in extracurricular activities they are able to build the character and discipline needed to succeed long after graduation. These outside of the classroom competitions encourage the development of important values such as sportsmanship, hard work, and responsibility.

As you partake in these activities in the upcoming days, remember that it's not just about winning and that you will take away experience, friends and memories that will last long after your time in high school.

Best wishes for a safe and exciting competition!

Pete Ricketts  
Governor



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Competing for a state championship is the goal of most students who participate in sports and performing arts. So to those high school students who have reached this championship, we say congratulations and good luck!

Students participate in high school sports and performing arts for a wide variety of reason, not the least of which is to have fun. It is important that the NSAA and member schools regularly strive to cultivate high school activities as educational activities. The positive life lessons learned while participating help make the case for sports and activities in our high schools.

Many studies have shown the value of participation. Studies have shown that students not only have the enjoyment of participating in high school activities, but such students generally attain higher academic achievement, exhibit healthier behaviors, experience fewer discipline referrals and drop out of school less frequently. High school activities are, indeed, the other half of education.

The NSAA staff and its member schools are pleased to be able to offer participation opportunities to this state's high school students in athletics and performing arts activities annually.

Please join us in saluting the students participating in this Championship! The "future" competes here!

Dr. Jim Tenopir  
NSAA Executive Director



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# NSAA MISSION

The public and non-public high schools of Nebraska voluntarily agreed to form the Nebraska School Activities Association for the following purposes:

- To formulate and make policies which will cultivate high ideals of citizenship, fair competition, sportsmanship and teamwork which will complement the member schools' curriculum programs;
- To foster uniformity of standards in interscholastic activity competition;
- To organize, develop, direct and regulate an interscholastic activity program which is equitable and will protect and promote the health and physical welfare of all participants.

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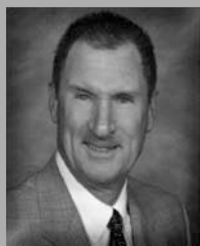
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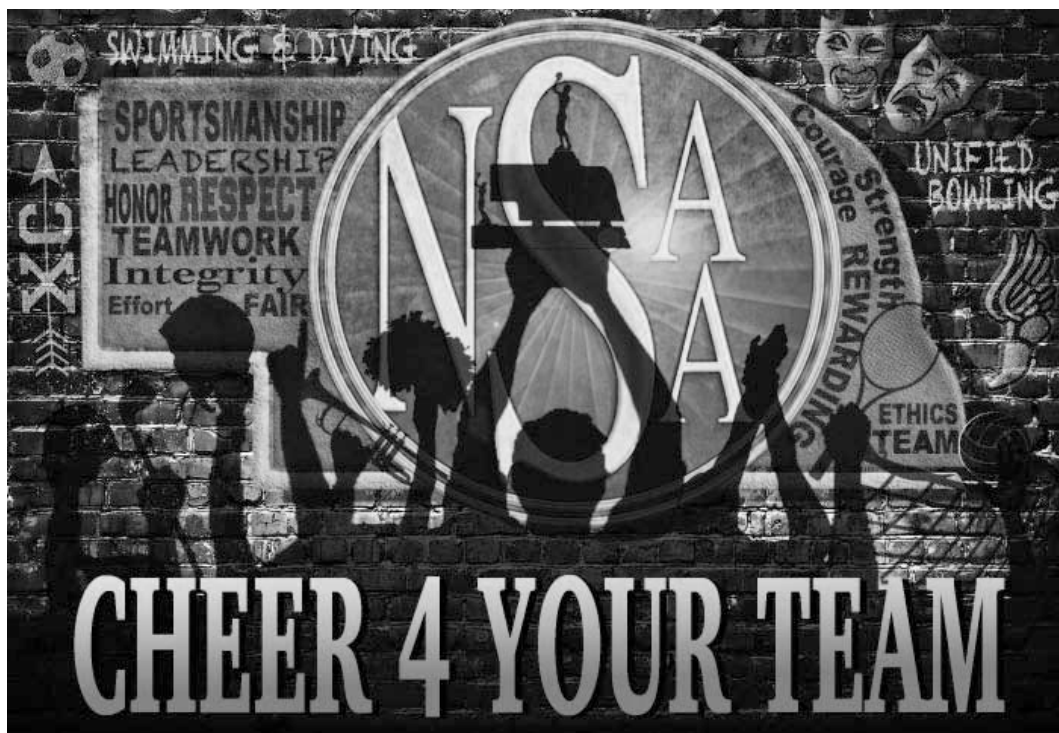
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# 2017 NSAA State Journalism Championship Schedule

|            |                                                                    |                                        |
|------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| 8:00 a.m.  | Registration                                                       | Cox Activities Center                  |
| 8:15 a.m.  | Welcome                                                            | Cox Activities Center                  |
| 8:30 a.m.  | Proctor Meeting                                                    | Suite G – Lifelong Learning Center     |
| 8:45 a.m.  | <b><u>Events</u></b>                                               | <b><u>Lifelong Learning Center</u></b> |
|            | Newspaper Column Writing                                           | Suite I                                |
|            | Photo/Artistic Illustration                                        | Suite L                                |
|            | Entertainment Review Writing                                       | Suite E                                |
|            | Newspaper Feature Writing                                          | Suite A                                |
|            | Newspaper News Writing                                             | Suite B                                |
|            | Newspaper Sports Feature Writing                                   | Suite J                                |
|            | Yearbook Layout                                                    | Suite H                                |
|            | Yearbook Feature Writing                                           | Suite C                                |
|            | Yearbook Sports Feature Writing                                    | Suite K                                |
|            | Double-Entry Room                                                  | Suite F                                |
| 10:30 a.m. | <b><u>Events</u></b>                                               | <b><u>Lifelong Learning Center</u></b> |
|            | Advertising                                                        | Suite A                                |
|            | Editorial Cartooning                                               | Suite B                                |
|            | Headline Writing                                                   | Suite K                                |
|            | Info Graphic                                                       | Suite L                                |
|            | Newspaper Layout                                                   | Suite H                                |
|            | News/Feature Photography                                           | Suite C                                |
|            | Sports News Writing                                                | Suite J                                |
|            | Yearbook Theme Copy Writing                                        | Suite E                                |
|            | Editorial Writing                                                  | Suite I                                |
|            | Double-Entry Room                                                  | Suite F                                |
| 2:30 p.m.  | Awards Ceremony –<br><i>Webcasting by News Channel Nebraska TV</i> | Cox Activities Center                  |

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# 2017 NSAA State Journalism Championship Qualifiers

## In-depth Newspaper Coverage

### **CLASS A:**

Emma Creamer, Jacob McNeill, Erica Courtney, Lauren Dietrich, Keland Potthoff, Elkhorn South

Ellie Pittman, Lauren Dietrich, Cassidy Moore, Keland Potthoff, Elkhorn South

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Brianna Wessling, Elizabeth Mulligan, Emily Doll, Omaha Marian

Elizabeth Seline, Celena Shepherd, Madigan Brodsky, James Schueneman, Sophie Knight, Malia Battafarano, Omaha Westside

Camryn Bowers, Alexa Busby, Isabella Haave, Brittany Kellner, Taryn Moore, Delani Watkins, Papillion-LaVista

Camryn Bowers, Alyssa Foral, Chloe' Grimm, Hannah Im, Nicole Ludden, Faith Workman, Papillion-LaVista

### **CLASS B:**

Aubrie Lawrence, Peyton Stoike, Safyre Yearling, Alliance

Amberly Parker, Eastyn Klink, Haley Faust, Kira Dreher, Matthew Hoenk, Matt Strecker, Columbus Scotus

Kelsea Swartz, Delaine Stewart, Joy Ondrak, Fairbury

Mary Lawrence, Evangeline Schwab, Paige Livingston, Fairbury

Andrew Ahn, Benjamin Bies, Joseph Recker, Miles Hock, Hudson Hohman, Mt. Michael

Nicholas Orr, Joseph Recker, Mt. Michael

Cassie Perry, Margaret Rieckman, Audrey Fischer, Genesis Ramirez, Gavin Keeler, Molly Dane, Sandy Creek

Nienke Peursum, MicKayla Mandel, Victor Zamora, Scribner-Snyder

MicKayla Mandel, Harley Cooley, Madison Smutz, Scribner-Snyder

John Grinvalds, Natalie Lothringer, Lauryl Hebenstreit, Shelby Fenner, Julia Kennedy, Machala Woodcock, Yutan

Noelle Josoff, Haley Herman, Shelby Fenner, John Grinvalds, Julia Kennedy, Yutan

Jaymie Schroeder, John Grinvalds, Natalie Lothringer, Machala Woodcock, Julia Kennedy, Haley Herman, Yutan

## Yearbook Theme Development

### **CLASS A:**

Elizabeth Getty, Bailey Bartelson, Emma Schrick, Blair

Dylan Miettinen, Carly Brune, Elkhorn

Hannah Henry, Mary Kardell, Elkhorn South

MaKenzie Johnson, Lexington

Mekenzie Looney, Brooke Staashelm, Emma Lueck, Millard West

Karen O Connor, Gabrielle Becton, Nicole Ostrander, Omaha Bryan

Claire Lavender, Omaha Central

Rebecca Williams, Annika Rose Zimmerman, Megan Szwaneck, Omaha Marian

Maddie Jarosik, Karlie Pieper, Omaha Skutt Catholic

Kathryn Keller, Matthew Williamson, Papillion-LaVista

Ansley Gates, Arabelle Jackson, Sydney Schneider, Lincoln Southwest

Ian Galindo, Emily McDaniel, Jordin Mundt, Scottsbluff

### **CLASS B:**

Megan Schumacher, Hannah Mielak, Emerson Belitz, Columbus Scotus

Brittney Zoubek, Makenna Bird, Michelle Kotas, Dorchester

Lexi Barnes, Libby Dunn, Haylee Heits, FCSH

Mary Lawrence, Emily Burkley, Paige Livingston, Fairbury

Joshua Andersen, Dillon Williamson, Kacie Hahn, Johnson-Brock

Timothy Brinamen, Vianney Marentes, McCook

Nash Kelly, Nicholas Orr, Michael Ecker, Mt. Michael

Cassidy Borgmann, Molly Knake, Drue Pieper, Norfolk Catholic

Molly Dane, Barbara Rodriguez, Addison Kuta, Sandy Creek

Arielle Wiedenbeck, Aelyn Thompson, Waverly

Sydney Stoner, Haley Parlin, Destiny Campos, Wood River

Haley Herman, Julia Kennedy, John Grinvalds, Yutan

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### **CLASS A:**

Jiefei Dong (11), Creighton Preparatory School  
Mary Radicia (11), Elkhorn  
Aaron Mercado (11), Fremont  
Ansley Gates (12), Lincoln Southwest  
Sydney Irlbeck (12), Millard North  
McKenna Krueger (12), Millard South  
Catherine Cowell (12), Millard West  
Jakob Tague (11), Omaha Bryan  
Dana Cox (12), Omaha Westside  
Olivia Washburn (11), Omaha Westside  
Madyson Mathison (11), Papillion-LaVista  
Zachary Meier (12), Scottsbluff

### **CLASS B:**

Peyton Stoike (12), Alliance  
Catherine Fox (11), Broken Bow  
River Liebig (12), Columbus Scotus  
Anthony Sprunk (12), Columbus Scotus  
Zoe McKnight (11), Dorchester  
Kelli Spike (11), Hayes Center  
Molly Dane, Sandy Creek  
Madison Smutz (11), Scribner-Snyder  
Brecken Preitauer (9), Southern Valley  
Marissa Asche (12), Thayer Central  
Emily Fisher (9), Yutan  
Julia Kennedy (11), Yutan

## **Newspaper Column Writing**

### **CLASS A:**

Trevi Ray (10), Elkhorn  
Madison Snodgrass (12), Fremont  
Seini Toa Mila (11), Grand Island  
Erin Dolph (12), Lincoln Pius X  
Tyler Collins (12), Millard North  
Syble Heffernan (12), North Platte  
Will Stone (12), North Platte  
Eric Parsons (12), Omaha Benson  
Ellie Frans (12), Omaha Bryan  
Sierra Roseby (12), Omaha Bryan  
Yoseline Lopez (11), Omaha Bryan  
Molly Schmeits (10), Omaha North

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Kaylie Rocha (11), Columbus Scotus  
Layne Schroeder (12), Columbus Scotus  
Connor Miller (12), Logan View  
Rabea Hally (10), Logan View  
Brian Schneider (12), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Hudson Hohman (11), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Miles Hock (12), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
McKensi Uecker (12), Sandy Creek  
Joshua Dominguez (12), Scribner-Snyder  
Lauryl Hebenstreit (11), Yutan

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### **CLASS A:**

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Kaycee Schmidt (12), Gering  
Geordana Gonzales (12), Millard North  
Brayden Vickers (12), Millard South  
Corey Hadfield (12), Millard West  
Delaney Nordbrock (11), Millard West  
Avery Munson (10), North Platte  
Brianna Parsons (11), Omaha Benson  
Megan Szwaneck (12), Omaha Marian  
Kathryn Keller (12), Papillion-La Vista  
Mollee Swift (10), Papillion-La Vista

### **CLASS B:**

Megan Ohnoutka (12), Columbus Scotus  
Nikki Hiner (12), Columbus Scotus  
Mary Lawrence (12), Fairbury  
Mikasa Lierman (10), Fairbury  
Felicity Petty (12), McCook  
Zhaoliang Xu (12), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Cassie Perry (10), Sandy Creek  
Mackenzie Turman (11), Sandy Creek  
Samantha Janda (10), Sandy Creek  
Savanah Ellis (10), Southern Valley  
Ashley Stevens (12), Yutan  
Emma Lloyd (9), Yutan

## **Entertainment Review Writing**

### **CLASS A:**

Cassidy Moore (11), Elkhorn South  
Sage Reiger (12), Fremont  
Grace Fitzgibbon (12), Lincoln Southeast  
Eden Loveridge (12), Millard North  
Alannah Goode (12), Norfolk  
Lacie Nelson (12), Northwest  
Paul Peer (11), Omaha Bryan  
Derrian Davis (11), Omaha Central  
Allison Morrissey (12), Omaha Marian  
Lily Yates (11), Omaha Skutt  
Julia Harker (11), Papillion-La Vista  
Trevor Kalal (12), Papillion-La Vista

### **CLASS B:**

Emma Ruskamp (12), Columbus Scotus  
Tate VunCannon (12), Columbus Scotus  
Hannah Farmer (11), David City  
Evangeline Schwab (11), Fairbury  
Sara Wertenberger (11), Falls City Sacred Heart  
Timothy Brinamen (12), McCook  
Benedict Murray (12), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Joseph Recker (11), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Katrina Anderson (12), Sandy Creek  
Baylor Brandon (10), Waverly

## **Newspaper Feature Writing**

### **CLASS A:**

Katerina Fricke (10), Blair  
Katelyn Aksyonov (9), Elkhorn South  
Lauren Dietrich (11), Elkhorn South  
Amelia Jarecke (11), Lincoln Pius X  
Alyssa Soppe (12), Millard South  
Elizabeth Nosal (10), Millard West  
Kaitlynn Johnson (12), Millard West  
Alec Rome (11), Omaha Central  
Elizabeth Seline (12), Omaha Westside  
Nicole Ludden (12), Papillion-La Vista  
Chase Wells (11), Scottsbluff  
Krista Holzworth (12), Scottsbluff

### **CLASS B:**

Traiven Campbell (10), Broken Bow  
Eastyn Klink (12), Columbus Scotus  
Olivia Couch (11), David City  
Rebecca Meusch (12), David City  
Joshua Andersen (12), Johnson-Brock  
Krista Riley (12), Johnson-Brock  
Joseph Recker (11), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Makenzie Svoboda (11), Sandy Creek  
Suzanne Hodges (12), Scribner-Snyder  
Brianna Gable (10), Waverly  
John Grinvalds (12), Yutan  
Natalie Lothringer (11), Yutan

## **Newspaper News Writing**

### **CLASS A:**

Jaela Hardin (10), Gering  
Migdahi Garcia (11), Gering  
Grace Fitzgibbon (12), Lincoln Southeast  
Claire Neemann (9), Lincoln Southwest  
Leila Stewart (9), Lincoln Southwest  
Emily Pemble (12), Omaha Bryan  
Yoseline Lopez (11), Omaha Bryan  
Cormac O'Brien (10), Omaha Central  
Carmen Miller (12), Omaha Marian  
Madigan Brodsky (10), Omaha Westside  
Alyssa Foral (11), Papillion-La Vista  
Chloe' Grimm (10), Papillion-La Vista

### **CLASS B:**

Sarah Burwell (11), Aquinas Catholic  
Matthew Hoenk (12), Columbus Scotus  
Evangeline Schwab (11), Fairbury  
Celina Chrisman (9), Harvard  
Julio Marquez (9), Harvard  
Andrew Nigro (11), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
John Avilla (11), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Nicholas Orr (11), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Brittany Godtel (11), Sandy Creek  
Katrina Anderson (12), Sandy Creek  
Abigail Borgman (12), Silver Lake  
Natalie Lothringer (11), Yutan



## **Newspaper Sports Feature Writing**

### **CLASS A:**

Erica Courtney (12), Elkhorn South  
Austin Knippelmeir (10), Fremont  
McKenna Hackett (10), Gering  
Jada Johnson (12), Lincoln Southwest  
Camryn Mottl (12), Millard North  
Tyler Collins (12), Millard North  
Elizabeth Nosal (10), Millard West  
Jaden Cover (11), Millard West  
William Morris (12), Millard West  
Sierra Roseby (12), Omaha Bryan  
Chloe' Grimm (10), Papillion-La Vista  
Claire Neil (12), Papillion-La Vista

### **CLASS B:**

Amberly Parker (12), Columbus Scotus  
Matt Strecker (11), Columbus Scotus  
Rebecca Meusch (12), David City  
Terra Newman (12), Johnson-Brock  
Breanna Smith (11), Logan View  
Connor Miller (12), Logan View  
Holli Ecker (12), McCook  
Brittany Godtel (11), Sandy Creek  
Madison Smutz (11), Scribner-Snyder  
Mickayla Mandel (12), Scribner-Snyder  
Emily Pogue (11), Yutan  
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## **Yearbook Layout**

### **CLASS A:**

Hannah Cunningham (11), Bellevue East  
Amarillo Mullen (10), Blair  
Emma Lentsch (12), Elkhorn South  
Samantha Bernt (12), Fremont  
Jade Melroy (12), Gering  
Emma Mays (11), Hastings  
Geordana Gonzales (12), Millard North  
Kaitlin Smith (12), Millard North  
Holly Reisis (11), Omaha Bryan  
Destiney Chitrodrom (12), Omaha Burke  
Kassidy Hart (11), Omaha Burke  
Emily Evans (12), Omaha Marian

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Kaylyn Segebart (12), Bennington  
Mikasa Lierman (10), Fairbury  
Addison Kuta (12), Sandy Creek  
Marissa Asche (12), Thayer Central  
Aelyn Thompson (12), Waverly  
Arielle Wiedenbeck (12), Waverly  
Destiny Campos (12), Wood River  
Dusty Butler (10), Wood River  
Rachel Cooper (11), Wood River  
Julia Kennedy (11), Yutan  
Machala Woodcock (11), Yutan  
Shelby Fenner (11), Yutan

## **Yearbook Feature Writing**

### **CLASS A:**

Elizabeth Getty (11), Blair  
Emma Schrick (10), Blair  
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Allison Wilson (12), Gering  
Madison Wasson (12), Gering  
Arabelle Jackson (12), Lincoln Southwest  
Grace Chacon (10), Lincoln Southwest  
Sydney Schneider (12), Lincoln Southwest  
Kaitlin Smith (12), Millard North  
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Kelsea Swartz (12), Fairbury  
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Alexandra Cole (11), Elkhorn  
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Collin Clapp (12), Omaha Benson  
Cashari Frazier (12), Omaha Bryan  
Jayden Jacobs (9), Omaha Bryan  
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Erin Kruger (12), Omaha Westside

### **CLASS B:**

Autumn Hoff (11), Alliance  
Kira Dreher (12), Columbus Scotus  
Easton Vonderschmidt (10), Falls City Sacred Heart  
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Gavin Keeler (12), Sandy Creek  
John Uecker (12), Sandy Creek  
Samantha Stapleman (10), Sandy Creek  
Ashley Peters (10), Scribner-Snyder  
Brandon Noel (12), Scribner-Snyder  
Mackenna Hunt (11), Southern Valley  
Nathan Miller (12), Yutan

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### **CLASS A:**

Ellie Pittman (11), Elkhorn South  
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Heather Davis (10), Gering  
Madeline Condon (11), Lincoln Pius X  
Leily Zhu (11), Millard North  
Carina Covington (10), Millard South  
Jessica Kistaitis (12), Millard West  
Katherine Smallwood (12), Northwest  
Isabelle Swanson (12), Omaha Marian  
Saunders Cohen (10), Omaha Westside  
Chase Wells (11), Scottsbluff

### **CLASS B:**

Layne Schroeder (12), Columbus Scotus  
Dillon Williamson (12), Johnson-Brock  
Daniel Jewell (12), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Charlotte Okraska (11), Sandy Creek  
John Uecker (12), Sandy Creek  
Tyler Schweer (11), Sandy Creek  
MacKenzy Schreck (12), Scribner-Snyder  
Andrea Rojas (11), Wood River  
Ellie Petersen (12), Yutan  
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Syann Engelhard (10), Lincoln Southeast  
Ashley Bierwirth (12), Millard South  
Taylor Shipley (12), Millard West  
Bethany Szczepaniak (11), Omaha Bryan  
Emily Pemble (12), Omaha Bryan  
Claire Lavender (12), Omaha Central  
James Schueneman (11), Omaha Westside  
Camryn Bowers (12), Papillion-La Vista  
Julianne Plourde (12), Papillion-La Vista  
Mollee Swift (10), Papillion-La Vista

### **CLASS B:**

Tanner Butler (10), Broken Bow  
Haley Faust (12), Columbus Scotus  
Mary Lawrence (12), Fairbury  
Rabea Hally (10), Logan View  
Kevin Arul (12), Mt. Michael Benedictine  
Alisha Schnakenberg (11), Sandy Creek  
Kaylee Yost-Marcotte (11), Sandy Creek  
Samantha Janda (10), Sandy Creek  
Harley Cooley (12), Scribner-Snyder  
Jalin Kube (11), Yutan  
Johanna Vandennack (9), Yutan  
Julia Kennedy (11), Yutan

## **Newspaper Layout**

### **CLASS A:**

Arianna Jensen (9), Blair  
Katerina Fricke (10), Blair  
Keland Potthoff (12), Elkhorn South  
Jessica Blum (11), Gretna  
Emily Seaton (12), Millard West  
Katherine Smallwood (12), Northwest  
Bethany Szczepaniak (11), Omaha Bryan  
Kayley Anderson (12), Omaha Skutt  
Camryn Bowers (12), Papillion-La Vista  
Peyton Cose (12), Papillion-La Vista  
Melanie Pool (12), Papillion-La Vista South

### **CLASS B:**

Amberly Parker (12), Columbus Scotus  
Haley Faust (12), Columbus Scotus  
Patrick Ondrak (12), Fairbury  
Shaye Stall (12), Fairbury  
Connor Sandall (10), McCook  
Timothy Brinamen (12), McCook  
Barbara Rodriguez (12), Sandy Creek  
Molly Dane (12), Sandy Creek  
John Baker (12), Scribner-Snyder  
MacKenzy Schreck (12), Scribner-Snyder  
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## **News/Feature Photography**

### **CLASS A:**

Aaron Mercado (11), Fremont  
Jose Romero-Duarte (11), Lexington  
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Corey Hadfield (12), Millard West  
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 1996 Heather Hunter, Brad Davis, Jessica Phares, Jennifer Mosier, Bellevue East  
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 2013 Courtney Van Hoosen, Millard West  
 2012 Brent Griffiths, Millard North  
 2011 Elizabeth Johnson, Millard North  
 2010 Elizabeth Johnson, Millard North  
 2009 Scott Wexler, Millard North  
 2008 Alexa Warren, Lincoln East  
 2007 Dan Girmus, Millard South  
 2006 Jordan Pascale, Millard North  
 2005 Jordan Pascale, Millard North  
 2004 Taylor Kohl, Omaha Westside  
 2003 Justin Ptacnik, Blair  
 2002 Michael Bruntz, Millard North  
 2001 Michael Bruntz, Millard North  
 2000 Lincoln Arneal, North Bend Central  
 1999 Brian Christopherson, Omaha North  
 1998 Rebecca List, West Point  
 1997 Chris Collura, Omaha Westside  
 1996 Adam McGinnis, Grand Island  
 1995 Heather Hunter, Bellevue East  
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 2013 David Daniel, Papillion-La Vista South  
 2012 Gary Grinvalds, Yutan  
 2011 Abbey Furlow, Omaha Marian  
 2010 Zach Tegler, Waverly  
 2009 Lance Kush, Grand Island  
 2008 Daniel Hoppen, Millard North  
 2007 Phil Ervin, Mt. Michael Benedictine  
 2006 Sky Rotert, Omaha Westside  
 2005 Tess Mandell, Omaha Central  
 2004 Jon Crawl, Millard West  
 2003 Travis Rhoades, Blair  
 2002 Ben Van Kat, Omaha North  
 2001 Jeff Salem, Lincoln Southeast  
 2000 Ben Flickinger, Omaha North  
 1999 Ryan Malashock, Omaha Burke  
 1998 Ty Dilts, Omaha North  
 1997 Chris Collura, Omaha Westside  
 1996 Ka'Ron Johnson, Omaha North  
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 1993 Tim James, Omaha Central

1992 Rob Bentley, McCook  
 1991 Cliff Brunt, Omaha North  
 1990 Keith Mann, Platteview  
 1989 John Adkisson, Ainsworth  
 1988 Cory Golden, Bellevue East  
 1987 Tim Siedell, Lincoln Southeast  
 1986 Jeff Gromowsky, Beatrice  
 1985 Tom Rooney, Bellevue West  
 1984 Bill Doleman, Fairbury  
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 1982 Bart Qualsett, Grand Island  
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 2014 Sarah Pogue, Yutan  
 2013 Madison Egr, Yutan  
 2012 Adam Lawson, Hayes Center  
 2011 Elizabeth McGinn, Millard West  
 2010 Madeline Hutt, Scottsbluff  
 2009 Elisabeth Loeck, Omaha Westside  
 2008 Laura Tracey, Omaha Westside  
 2007 Laura Tracey, Omaha Westside  
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 2005 Melinda Myers, Omaha Central  
 2004 Alyssa Martin, Lincoln Southwest  
 2003 Katherine Warner, Bellevue West  
 2002 Tessa Commers, Omaha North  
 2001 Kristen Geissinger, Omaha Burke  
 2000 Ashley Sutton, Omaha Westside  
 1999 Jessica Votipka, Exeter  
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 1996 Michelle Lee, Millard North  
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 2004 Alex Jacobson, Blair  
 2003 Savannah Wissig, Fremont  
 2002 Hannah Kalina, Omaha North  
 2001 Jeanne Allemann, Wayne  
 2000 Kelli Olechoski, Omaha Gross Catholic  
 1999 Erin Mann, Wayne  
 1998 Sarah Wiese, Omaha Westside  
 1997 Ashley Anderson, Centennial  
 1996 Leigh Gordon, Omaha Westside  
 1995 Jeni Eitzman, Scottsbluff  
 1994 Kal Hollister, Omaha North  
 1993 Trina Koehn, Scottsbluff  
 1992 Tricia Riha, Omaha Gross Catholic  
 1991 Shontelle Peterson, Beatrice  
 1990 Julie Knutsen, Kimball  
 1989 Jenny Fair, Elkhorn  
 1988 Alex Zinga, Omaha Central  
 1987 Jennifer Gillogley, Omaha Central  
 1986 Beth Simmons, Omaha Westside  
 1985 Del Slagle, Omaha Northwest  
 1984 Dianna Gilliland, Fairbury  
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 2013 Sadie Green, Hailey Morgan, Miranda Wieczorek, Grand Island  
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 2011 Hannah Bargman, Ryan Ortega, Natalie Ketzler, Millard West  
 2010 Mercedes McClure, Amy McConnell, Paige Stone, Papillion-La Vista South  
 2009 Catelyn Cantril, Scottsbluff  
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 2005 Sarah Danowski, Brittany Estep, Kaiti Jorgenson, Bellevue East  
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2003 Aly Carstens, Jen Neuberger, Millard North  
 2002 Libby Skiles, Scottsbluff  
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 1999 Jamie Goldsmith, Bridget Miller, Jen Zagozda, Omaha Gross Catholic  
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# NSAA State Journalism Team Results

## Class A

|         |                                      |
|---------|--------------------------------------|
| 2016    | Papillion-LaVista                    |
| 2015    | Omaha Marian                         |
| 2000    | Omaha North                          |
| 1999    | Omaha North                          |
| 1998    | Omaha Westside,<br>Omaha North (Tie) |
| 1997    | Omaha North                          |
| 1996    | Omaha Westside                       |
| 1995    | Omaha North                          |
| 1994    | Omaha North                          |
| 1993    | Bellevue East                        |
| 1992    | No Results Listed                    |
| 1991    | Lincoln High                         |
| 1990    | Lincoln East                         |
| 1989    | Lincoln East                         |
| 1988    | No Results Listed                    |
| 1987    | Omaha Westside                       |
| 1986    | Lincoln Southeast                    |
| 1985    | Lincoln East                         |
| 1983-84 | No Results Listed                    |
| 1982    | Lincoln East                         |
| 1981    | Lincoln Southeast                    |
| 1980    | Lincoln Southeast                    |

## Class B

|         |                                       |
|---------|---------------------------------------|
| 2016    | Gering                                |
| 2015    | Omaha Skutt Catholic                  |
| 2014    | Gering                                |
| 2013    | Gering                                |
| 2012    | Gering                                |
| 2011    | Gering                                |
| 2010    | McCook,<br>Omaha Gross Catholic (Tie) |
| 2009    | McCook                                |
| 2008    | McCook                                |
| 2007    | McCook                                |
| 2006    | McCook                                |
| 2005    | McCook                                |
| 2004    | Omaha Gross Catholic                  |
| 2003    | McCook                                |
| 2002    | McCook                                |
| 2001    | Waverly                               |
| 2000    | Omaha Gross Catholic                  |
| 1999    | Gretna                                |
| 1998    | Fairbury                              |
| 1997    | Blair                                 |
| 1996    | Blair                                 |
| 1995    | Blair                                 |
| 1994    | Fairbury                              |
| 1993    | Fairbury                              |
| 1992    | No Results Listed                     |
| 1991    | McCook                                |
| 1990    | Sidney                                |
| 1989    | Sidney                                |
| 1988    | No Results Listed                     |
| 1987    | Sidney,<br>Fairbury (Tie)             |
| 1986    | Fairbury                              |
| 1985    | Fairbury                              |
| 1983-84 | No Results Listed                     |
| 1982    | Waverly                               |

## Class A1

|      |                                       |
|------|---------------------------------------|
| 2014 | Millard West                          |
| 2013 | Omaha Westside                        |
| 2012 | Millard North,<br>Millard South (Tie) |
| 2011 | Millard North                         |
| 2010 | Omaha Westside                        |
| 2009 | Omaha Westside                        |
| 2008 | Omaha Westside                        |
| 2007 | Omaha Central                         |
| 2006 | Omaha Central                         |
| 2005 | Omaha Central                         |
| 2004 | Omaha Central                         |
| 2003 | Omaha Central                         |
| 2002 | Omaha Central                         |
| 2001 | Omaha Central                         |

## Class A2

|      |              |
|------|--------------|
| 2014 | Omaha Marian |
| 2013 | Omaha Marian |
| 2012 | Omaha Marian |
| 2011 | Omaha Marian |
| 2010 | Omaha Marian |
| 2009 | Scottsbluff  |
| 2008 | Omaha Marian |
| 2007 | Omaha Marian |
| 2006 | Omaha Marian |
| 2005 | Scottsbluff  |
| 2004 | Scottsbluff  |
| 2003 | Blair        |
| 2002 | Blair        |
| 2001 | Scottsbluff  |

## Class C

|      |                             |
|------|-----------------------------|
| 2014 | Mt. Michael Benedictine     |
| 2013 | Sandy Creek                 |
| 2012 | Sandy Creek                 |
| 2011 | Mt. Michael Benedictine     |
| 2010 | Mt. Michael Benedictine     |
| 2009 | Mt. Michael Benedictine     |
| 2008 | Mt. Michael Benedictine     |
| 2007 | Yutan                       |
| 2006 | Mt. Michael Benedictine     |
| 2005 | Centennial                  |
| 2004 | Centennial,<br>Valley (Tie) |
| 2003 | West Point                  |
| 2002 | Valley                      |
| 2001 | West Point                  |
| 2000 | Valley                      |
| 1999 | West Point                  |
| 1998 | Valley                      |
| 1997 | Valley                      |
| 1996 | Kimball                     |
| 1995 | Valley                      |
| 1994 | North Bend Central          |
| 1993 | Kimball                     |
| 1992 | No Results Listed           |
| 1991 | Kimball                     |
| 1990 | Valley                      |
| 1989 | Centennial                  |
| 1988 | No Results Listed           |

|         |                   |
|---------|-------------------|
| 1987    | Superior          |
| 1986    | Bridgeport        |
| 1985    | Superior          |
| 1983-84 | No Results Listed |
| 1982    | Oxford            |

## Class D

|      |                   |
|------|-------------------|
| 2014 | Yutan             |
| 2013 | Johnson-Brock     |
| 2012 | Yutan             |
| 2011 | Hayes Center      |
| 2010 | Hayes Center      |
| 2009 | Clay Center       |
| 2008 | Hayes Center      |
| 2007 | Hayes Center      |
| 2006 | Hayes Center      |
| 2005 | Hayes Center      |
| 2004 | Hayes Center      |
| 2003 | Hayes Center      |
| 2002 | Hayes Center      |
| 2001 | Hayes Center      |
| 2000 | Hayes Center      |
| 1999 | Hayes Center      |
| 1998 | Hayes Center      |
| 1997 | Hayes Center      |
| 1996 | Hayes Center      |
| 1995 | Oxford            |
| 1994 | Hayes Center      |
| 1993 | Pleasanton        |
| 1992 | No Results Listed |
| 1991 | Pleasanton        |
| 1990 | Oxford            |
| 1989 | Pleasanton        |
| 1988 | No Results Listed |
| 1987 | Pleasanton        |
| 1986 | Yutan             |
| 1985 | Oxford            |

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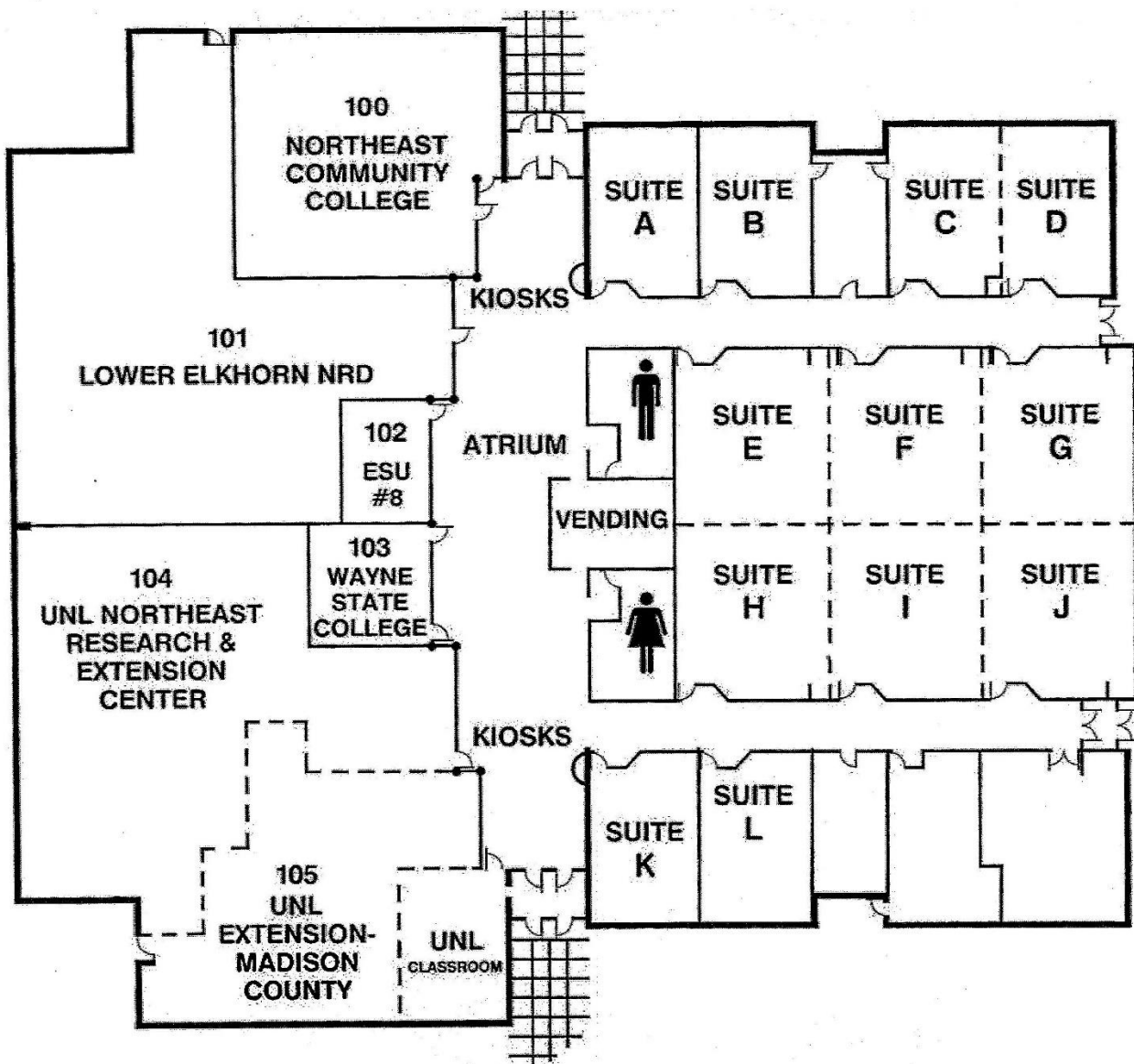
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