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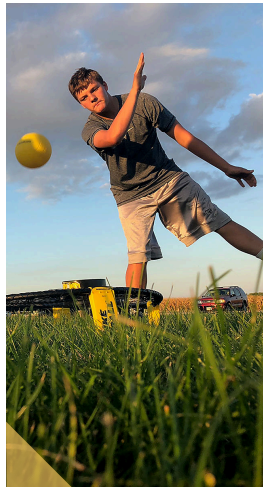


1st grader Grayson Bowman & kindergartener Jace Rhoades pose before going to their first day of school. [] HCSO added six faculty: high school science teacher Madeline Sinnott, elementary music teacher Jennifer Bisstine, high school math teacher Holly Petersen, kindergarten teacher Jordan Hammerand, high school English teacher Jennifer Erstrand, & 2nd grade teacher Olivia Jorgensen. [] Kindergarteners Cole Curley & Jace Kuker take their first back-to-school picture with 3rd grader Camryn Buddie, 6th grader Amelia Klentz, 7th grader Makenzie Stuart, sophomore Caitlyn O'Malley, & juniors Jenna Twait, Orion Polendo, & Payton Stuart.

## Having A Ball

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA), a national organization which began in 1945, started a chapter in Hudson. This group is trying to complete the FCA mission: "We hope to help students grow in their faith and have confidence in who they are," said co-advisor Amanda Schneider, a para educator at the high school.

Freshman Levi Budreau plays Spikeball at the first FCA event held at the soccer fields. Over 50 students attended.

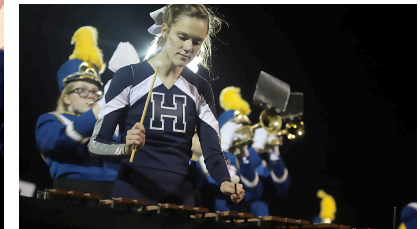
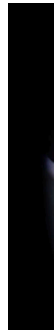


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## Under The Friday Night Lights

The varsity football team entered the season ranked first in their division. At their season's home opener, the Pirates proved they deserved that title. They beat rival GMC by 35 points. [] Before the game, senior Jacob Murray, sophomore Jackson Lehr, along with juniors Aiden Larson & Trey Germain huddle up. [] Senior Mikaela Meyer, one of six new cheerleaders, poses with some of the 15-member squad: dual-enrolled student Kacie Herring; sophomores Jada Gaskill, Hannah Tjepkes, & Mia McNeal; juniors Grace Schwenneker & Emma Kegebein; sophomore Marli Reiser; seniors Maddie Grams & Bailey Johnson; juniors Brooke Busch & Ellie Brown; & senior Rachel Bauler. [] In the student section, sophomore Sam Hansen cheers proudly in his Hawaiian-Out gear.



## Marching Into A New Year

It's only Hudson's second year with a marching band, and director Nicole Davis is already taking it to the next level. During the season opener, the 36-member group took the field during halftime wearing four-piece uniforms purchased by the Hudson Music Boosters.

Some students who participated in the marching band's debut are freshman Zander Young on the bass drum, sophomores Madeline Santman & AbiJo Peet in the clarinet line, freshman Ashlyn Reynolds on trumpet, senior Abi Henderson on bells, & newcomer freshman Theone Thompson on trumpet.

