

Bergan Blommers (11), Jackie Egemo (11), Annie Cassutt (11), Kara Hawker (11), Kaitlyn Steffen (11), and Erika Hill (11) sing "Carol of the Bells" during the Holiday Assembly.

Sarah Weber (9), Becca Hermann (12), Anna Brown (12), and Olivia Neuzil (9) play instruments along with the other jazz band members to kick off the assembly.



Portraying the song "The Very First Christmas To Me," from "SpongeBob," Tristan Voelker (10) and Maxwell Weber (10) perform during the Holiday Assembly.



Playing the drums, Activities Director Mike Morrison plays along to the beat of "Bang the Drum all Day."

Teacher Taylor Lake uses her hairbrush as a microphone as she dances along with other female faculty members to "Only in My Dreams."



Dancing In Sync With The Holiday Spirit

Who wouldn't want to see their teachers topple onto the stage, perform a surprising choreographed routine, shake their rump, or bang their drums? At the Holiday Assembly, students witnessed all of these events.

Taking on a new challenge, teachers competed against one another in a lip-sync competition.

First up were "Baby and Swayze," also know as teachers Jennifer Huehnergarth and Jordan Pollock, singing to the song "Time of My Life."

"I thought it was interesting how Pollock started from the crowd with the spotlight on him and worked his way to the stage," junior Derik Foster said.

Next in line were the ladies. Missed-It-Tones consisted of a dozen teachers who danced a choreographed routine to the song "Only in My Dreams." The teachers didn't receive the outcome they expected.

"I will not do this again because they booed us," said teacher Joan Salow.

Wearing crazy rock star outfits, four rowdy male faculty members were next with "Bang The Drum All Day." Corey Coates, Brett Mather, Mike Morrison, and Mark Philgreen had all the props to make for a great show. Philgreen blared his trumpet, Coates pounded on the electric keyboard, Mather strummed the electric guitar, and Morrison hammered on the drums.

This brought up the last performance of the day. The "Mole Dance" was presented by Tom Fetter who was accompanied by some members of his Bio 248 class.

"Baby and Swayze" was the crowd favorite in spite of their lack of preparation. "We went to the auditorim and looked at the stage and said 'we're good,'" Huehnergarth said.

Macy Gudenkauf (12) enjoyed the twist to the Holiday Assembly.

"It was interesting to see the teachers act in a different way then you see them in class," Gudenkauf said.

Cookies for Paris



In support of the Paris attack victims, FCCLA member Courtney Klein (12) adds sprinkles to the cookies.

Jhovana Castillo (11) carefully places cookie dough onto the tray.

Makenzie Recker (12) prepares and sells cookies to raise money for the cause.

A Winning Combination



Taking home first place was not what Austin Schuhmacher (12) and Alex Fangmann (12) expected. Both boys participated in the DMACC auto skills contest December 11, taking home first place. This advanced the boys to nationals held in March in New York City. Both won \$4,500 in tools and scholarships.

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Coloring For A Cause



FBLA members Kielyn Tutton (12), Isabelle Breitfelder (12), and Cassidy Oberreuter (12) display the cards they made for residents at the Good Neighbor Home.

Spreading The Love



Attaching Christmas cards to various stuffed animals, YADC members prepare over 150 animals to give to the Can Do Redemption Center.

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