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Yearbooks: SOLD OUT

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For one of the first times in years, the Parkview Yearbook has sold out before the end of the school year. With students clamoring for their bound memories, order forms and money just came pouring into the Yearbook office. "It was amazing to watch," said Advisor Kate Weston. "Students just really seemed to want a piece of Parkview history and this was the easiest way for them to do it."

Others have speculated however that the increase in sales, along with the early sellout, is due to the book's incentive. This year the Parkview Yearbook was giving away free yearbooks for life to a particular student drawn from all entries submitted before Spring Break. This of course seemed to be the fire that lit the students to purchase so many books. "I knew that if I didn't have these memories that I wouldn't know how to remember the experiences I had here at Parkview," stated Senior Zack Gorton.

So what of the students that still wanted a yearbook? For those that have waited and procrastinated the yearbook staff is developing some program to perhaps get students a yearbook. "I tried to remind my mom to get me the money," announced Freshman Sam Wells. "She just kept yelling at me that I needed to bring home the order form but I know that I already did that. Parents are always forgetting things like that."

And it will be with that forgetful nature that students will soon know and have to accept. No longer will

students be able to fondly look back at their classmates and wonder "What are they doing now?" Instead students will have to hope that their Facebook accounts don't crash or that their friends continue to Tweet them in the years to come. For those select few that quickly snatched up on the great opportunity of the Parkview Yearbook, they will bask in the memories for years to come. And for that select student that wins the lifetime of yearbooks, they will be able to enjoy generations of Parkview students. Happy April Fools to all.

A Trip Halfway Around the World: Spring Break Plans for 47 Parkview Students

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Early in February the students at Parkview High School realized that there just wasn't anything fun to do for spring break. With much deliberation the students decided, with the schools backing, a trip to London for a week. This type of experience would be something that students from the small town of Orfordville would remember forever.

The 47 students will embark from Chicago to Canada and then an eight hour flight to London. "I'm nervous about flying but I think that it will be a great experience," mumbled Sophomore Jarred Christopherson. Other students couldn't have been more excited. Senior Allison Garde was found saying "that getting away for a bit is perfect. Plus I love flying and the chance to go with my friends will be a great experience."

But this experience didn't come cheap for students. Having had to fundraise by washing cars and selling baked goods was no easy job. "Do you know how hard it is to raise 1400 hundred dollars one cookie at a time," shouted Junior Storm LaDue. But because of those cookies students will be enjoying fun and sun in London over Spring break. So what are you doing for your break? Happy April Fools!



RUNNING TO THE BORDER: Taco Bell comes to Orfordville

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Finally what every teenager in Orfordville wants to hear! Taco Bell is coming to Orfordville because of recent high sales from the Orfordville area corporate headquarters for Taco Bell. Due to this the city council decided to set up a small restaurant to test the idea. Now that Taco Bell craving you've had will finally be satisfied and you won't have to drive all the way to Janesville to get it. This is a great idea on top of it because it will bring more business to Orfordville, and now the school is going to open campus for lunches!

Now that the school has decided to open campus for lunches there will be a lot more businesses looking into Orfordville. So just more than Taco Bell might be coming into town! Soon you might see some of your favorite restaurants lining the streets. It has been heard that McDonald's, Burger King, and Culver's are looking into setting up business here too! This means more than just having open campus lunches in Orfordville.

Other than open campus lunches this will bring more money and people to the Orfordville area. The great idea about this is that it will bring more money into the city. Not only this, but you teenagers out there with the late night cravings or obsessions about those delicious cheesy, greasy burgers can finally have it your way! More people will be coming to Orfordville to fill those cravings and needs. Sooner than you think these fast food joints will be coming to Orfordville as well.

Construction dates have been set to begin soon in Orfordville. This is really exciting to know that so soon Orfordville will be filled with more people and business. Construction begins this year as soon as April Fool's Day, 2012... that's right gotcha! Happy April Fool's Day!

Loss of an Icon: Teacher Moves On

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Throughout time there have been dedicated professionals that have attempted to reach the troubled students at Parkview. Sometimes that teacher is successful and the students improve beyond the mere limitations that they themselves place upon themselves. At other times students wear away at a teacher like a rushing, rolling river tearing away at the countryside. It is the later that claimed the passion that Ms. Acker possessed towards teaching at Parkview High School in Orfordville WI.

Having taught for the last six years, Ms. Acker has been a loyal and dedicated community member for the Parkview School District. Having founded the first chapter of the Meat Eaters Of America, as well as developing a progressive hunting program, Ms. Acker was extremely passionate for the student body. "I always wanted the students to feel that they had a place to go and be themselves. I just realized early on that to be themselves they need to have a beef stick and a gun to do it."

But Ms. Acker is more than just her stellar extra curricular activities. Dedicating herself to her craft, Ms. Acker has crafted a curriculum worthy of Walker's praise. Allowing students to write in a more subtle

tone (more of a Facebook/Twitter) mentality, Ms. Acker has developed something that even the most stubborn student could get their minds around.

Sadly though Ms. Acker's passion also got the better of her as she burned the candle at both ends. While students' passion for education rose, Ms. Acker's diligence to create mind blowing activities eventually pushed her to the emergency room with a blown creative bone.

Although the doctors attempted to repair the injury, they unfortunately were unable to repair the bone. However, while they had her opened up on the table the doctors were able to take out some humus and peppers that were clogging her arteries. Yet it is with the loss of that creative bone that Ms. Acker was found will be unable to return to Parkview for the 2012-2013 school year.

As many of you will lament and weep for the loss, do not carry on so. "I know that teaching is something that I've always meant to do," stated a tearful Ms. Acker. "If students still want to learn they can clearly meet me under the floor boards of my old portable."

So next year when you're sitting in the portable with a young, ambitious teacher, remember that the soft works of Frost or Hemingway drifting around the room is Ms. Acker whispering you a wonderful English class hello from under the floorboards. Aprils Fools!



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