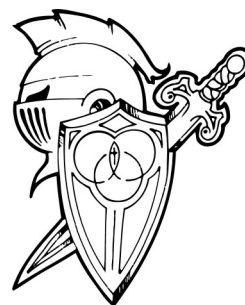


# The Armory



## PASTOR WADE COMMITS TO WTCS

By: Alyssa Ellvanger, Ashley Melby, and Mrs. Swanson

### Sports Update

Football: 3 — 5

Season ended:  
October 7th

Cross Country:  
Team overall improved by 30 sec.

Season ended:  
October 22nd

Volleyball: 5 — 9

Season ended:  
November 7th

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Wade Nelson is the new Dean of Students and Director of Development at WTCS.

Pastor Wade says that being Dean of Students is like being “the on-staff pastor, counselor, and coach of academic success,” whereas being the Director of Development is being “in charge of fundraising, sponsorships, and financial vision for the school.” He wants to build strong relationships involving the community in WTCS.

Building relationships is important to Nelson, since as a child, he moved around a lot. He attended 11 schools in 12 years, lived all over the US, in San Juan, Puerto Rico, and graduated from boarding school in London, England. These experiences were hard because of having to say goodbye, but helped him learn to adapt quickly.

Nelson’s family moved a lot because of his father’s job. His dad was the biggest influence in his life because he was big on honor, integrity, work ethic, and keeping your word. He often told Nelson,

“You only have one name; don’t mess it up.”

He was brought up going to church but never understood having a relationship with Christ. When he was older he came across a Billy Graham broadcast and saw Graham say “Others should be able to tell you’re a Christian by how you act”, and Nelson realized he was not doing a good job at this. He credits Graham with changing his life.

A few years ago, Nelson was approached by Dennis Jenson to become a leader in Williston Youth for Christ, but denied the position because he said he would never move to Williston. Now that he works at WTCS, he has said, “I truly believe that God has called me here!”

He currently lives in Minot with his wife, who is “amazing woman of God”, and his step-daughter. Nelson considers driving every day from Minot as more of a blessing than a

hassle, as it has given him the opportunity to pray more.

BY ASHLEY MELBY

WTCS is drumming up interest in cheerleading for next year, due to an increase in interest in the sport by the junior high. The school is hopeful to start up the



## CHEERLEADING RETURNS TO WTCS

sport next year with a full team of interested cheerleaders.

Several high school students became interested in cheer team when the junior high team started to form.

The cheer team will be split into junior high and a high school cheer team. They will only cheer for home games.

Practices will most likely be held in the cafeteria and will begin after volleyball season. Both teams will be coached by Mrs. Ransom, the high school math teacher.

Ransom said that she got the idea to coach from her daughter who has always dreamed of being a cheerleader when she got older.

The last time Trinity had a cheer team was in 2007.

# SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

## Beau Skurdal

*What is your favorite verse?*

"2 Timothy 1:7—For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline."

*What is your favorite quote?*

"It'll feel better when it quits hurtin'."

*What is your favorite song?*

"Bohemian Rhapsody"

*What is your favorite WTCS memory?*

"8th grade trip to Medora"

*What are your future plans?*

"Play college football and study Mechanical Engineering."

*Where do you see yourself in 5 years?*

"Starting a life and career."

*Who is your favorite teacher?*

"Mrs. Blotsky (8th grade) and Mr. Sievert (9th grade)."

*What is some advice for future seniors?*

"Take advantage of every moment, it goes by too fast."



*What is your favorite verse?*

"Psalm 46:5—God is within her, she will not fall; God will help her at break of day."

*What is your favorite quote?*

"Do not follow where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."

*What is your favorite WTCS memory?*

"My favorite memory would be every weekend the guys would come to my house and we would go mudding"

*What are your future plans?*

"Go to college for a career that I love"

*Where do you see yourself in 5 years?*

"Finished with college and have a really awesome job."

*Who is your favorite teacher?*

"Mr. Crawford and Mrs. Corneliuson"

*What is some advice for future seniors?*

"Focus and be happy and enjoy every moment."

**Shelby Theige**



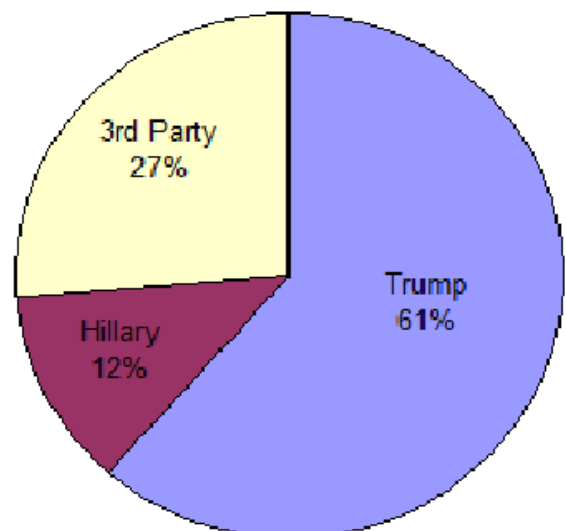
## POLITICAL POLL

A poll was given to grades 1-12, asking "If you could vote, which candidate would you vote for?"

Students voted primarily for Donald Trump, at 61% of the popular vote.

Third party candidates were the second most popular of the options, with many students writing in "Mr. Crawford".

No matter the outcome of the 2016 election, prayer is encouraged for the new President and elected officials.



## 8TH GRADE SPOTLIGHT

### Connor

#### **Favorite verse:**

Romans 12:21- Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

#### **Favorite quote:**

It's not the dark I'm afraid of it's what's in the dark I'm afraid of

#### **Favorite WTCS memory:**

Mandan trip

#### **Favorite teachers:**

Mrs. Nible, Mrs. Shirk, Mr. D

#### **Where do you see yourself in 5 years?**

College

#### **Advice to incoming 5th graders:**

Do your homework! Don't make excuses!



#### **Favorite verse:**

Jeremiah 29:11—For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

#### **Favorite quote:**

Failure does not mean you are a failure. It just means you haven't succeeded yet.

#### **Favorite Song:**

Water Fall by Chris Tomlin

#### **Favorite WTCS Memory:**

When we told stories on the way to Bismark!

#### **Favorite Teachers:**

I like them all!!

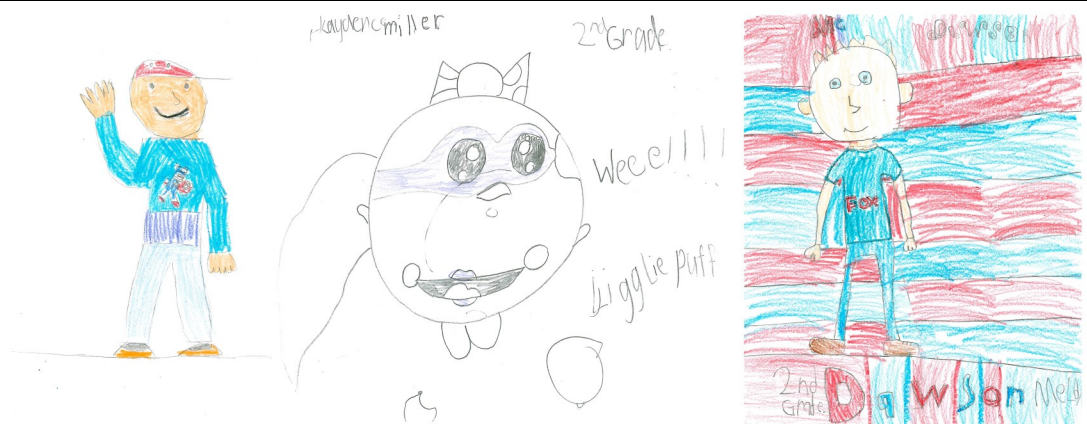
#### **Where do you see yourself in 5 years?**

Playing college basketball



### Caleb

STUDENT  
ART  
FROM  
SECOND  
GRADE



## MEET MRS. RANSOM

#### **Where did you go to college?**

"Williston State College- 2 year degree, and Mayville State University - Bachelor in Math Education Minor in Business"

#### **Where did you grow up?**

"Phoenix Arizona until 2nd grade, then Williston, ND 2nd grade through high school"

#### **Who did you grow up with?**

"My mother, Cass (brother), Scarlett (Sister)"

#### **Did you play any high school sports? If so, what were they?**

"Swim team, Cheer team, Dance team, and Drama"

#### **How long have you been teaching?**

"This is my 4th year teaching high school math."





# C H U R C H   I N F O R M A T I O N

**LifeChurch Assembly of God**

1905 26th Street West, 701-572-5042  
www.lifechurchwilliston.org

Church Service: Sundays, 8:30, 10am & 11:30am

Awesomeville, K-6th grade, Sun. 8:30, 10 & 11:30am

Royal Rangers (boys) & MPact Classes (Girls), K-6th grade, Wed. 6:30pm

Remedy Youth, 7th-12th grade, Wed. 6:30-8pm

**Cornerstone FBC**

1320 19th Ave W, 701-572-2724  
www.cornerstonefbc.us

Church Service: Sundays, 10:45am

Sunday School, Sun. 9:30am

AWANA!, Wed. 6:30pm

**St. Joseph's Roman Parish**

106 6th St. W., 701-572-6731  
www.stjparish.com

Faith Formation, K-6th grade, Wed. 6-7pm; 7th-9th grade 7:15-8:30pm

Youth Group, Wed. 7-8:30pm

**Gloria Dei Lutheran Church**

1821 9th Ave. W., 701-572-2667  
www.gloriadeiwill.org

Church Service: Sundays, 8:30 & 10:45am; Sat., 5pm

Church School, PK-4th grade, Sun. 9:30-10:30am & Wed. 6-7pm

Confirmation, 8th grade, Wed. 6pm

4:12 Youth, 5th-7th grade, Wed. 6pm

Youth Group, 8th-12th grade, Sun. 7pm

**Emmanuel Free Lutheran**

1213 3rd Ave. W., 701-572-0138  
www.emmanuelfree.com

Church Service: Sundays, 11am

Sunday School, Sun. 9:30am

Confirmation, Wed. 5:30pm

Youth Group (7th-12th grade), Wed. 6:30pm

**Good Shepherd Lutheran**

2517 9th Ave. W., 701-774-8919  
www.williston shepherd.com

Church Service: Sundays, 11am

**Liberty Evangelical Free Church**

506 14th St. W., 701-572-8767  
www.lefcwilliston.org

Church Service: Sundays, 9am & 10:30am

Children's Ministry, Sun. 10:30am

Base Camp (Youth), Wed. 6:30pm

**Calvary Baptist Church**

521 13th Ave. W., 701-572-7839  
www.calvarybaptistwilliston.com

Church Service: Sundays, 11am

Sunday School, Sun. 10am

**Concordia Lutheran Church**

1805 Main Street, 701-572-9021  
www.concordiawilliston.com

Church Service: Sundays, 9:30am

Sunday School, Sun. 11am

**Williston Basin Fellowship**

2419 9th Ave W., 701-770-0039  
www.willistonbasinfellowship.com

Church Service: Sundays, 10:30am

**Church of Christ**

508 26th St. W., 701-572-2368  
www.churches-of-christ.net

Church Service: Sundays, 11am & 6pm

Sunday School, Sun. 10am & Wed. 7pm

**Faith United Methodist Church**

219 1st Ave W., 701-572-7694  
www.faithchurchwilliston.org

Church Service: Sundays, 10:30am

Sunday School, Sun. 9:15-10:15am

**Church of the Nazarene**

1601 1st Ave W, 701-572-9018

**Seventh Day Adventist Church**

250 7th Street W

**Our Redeemer Lutheran**

1024 6th Street W., 701-572-3724  
www.orlcwilliston.org

Church Service: Sundays, 9am & 11:15am

Sunday School, Sun. 10:10am

Confirmation, Wed. 5:30-6:30pm

Youth Group, Wed. 6:30-8pm

**St. Peters Episcopal Church**

111 14th St. E., 701-572-9278  
www.stpeterswilliston.org

Church Service: Sundays, 11am

Youth Group, Wed. 6:30-8pm

**Light Christ Lutheran Church**

512 17th St. W., 701-774-3827

Church Service: Sundays, 9:30am

**Saving Grace community Church**

1701 4th St. W., 701-570-7169  
www.savinggracecommunitychurch.org

Church Service: Sundays, 10:15am

Children's Church (4yrs.-11yrs.), Sun. 10:15am

Youth Group, Sun. 6:00pm

**Break Forth Bible Church**

Badlands Town Center, 701-572-8952  
www.breakforthbiblechurch.com

Church Service: Sundays, 10:30am

**New Hope Wesleyan Church**

721 26th Street West, 701-572-4673  
www.newhopehere.com

Church Service: Sundays, 9:30 & 11:15am

Quest Kids, 4yrs-5th Grade- Wed. 6:30-7:30pm

Encounter Student Ministries, 6th-8th, Wed. 6:15-7:30pm

9th-12th, Wed. 8-9:30pm

**Lutheran Brethren Fellowship**

213 26th St. E., 701-572-6256  
www.thelbchurch.com

Church Service: Sundays, 10:30am

Kids Club (PS-6th grade), Wed. 6:15-7:30pm

**Directions:** Mr. Fleck's computer crashed and he lost a student's class schedule! Help him figure out who teaches what class, in which room, and during what period by using the clues!

## Clues:

- The class in room 218 is held sometime before Mr. Daluge's class.
- The course in room 112 is held 1 period after Ms. Blotsky's class.
- Neither the Art class nor the class in room 112 is the fourth period class.
- The fourth period class is Chemistry
- The Art class is either Mr. McKenney's class or the third period class.
- Of the English class and Mrs. Ransom's class, one is in room 113 and the other is held during first period.
- Mr. McKenney does not teach Algebra.

	Room	Teacher	Class
	112 113 115 218	Mr. Daluge Mrs. Ransom Mr. McKenney Ms. Blotsky	Algebra Art Chemistry English
1st			
2nd			
3rd			
4th			
Algebra			
Art			
Chemistry			
English			
Mr. Daluge			
Mrs. Ransom			
Mr. McKenney			
Ms. Blotsky			