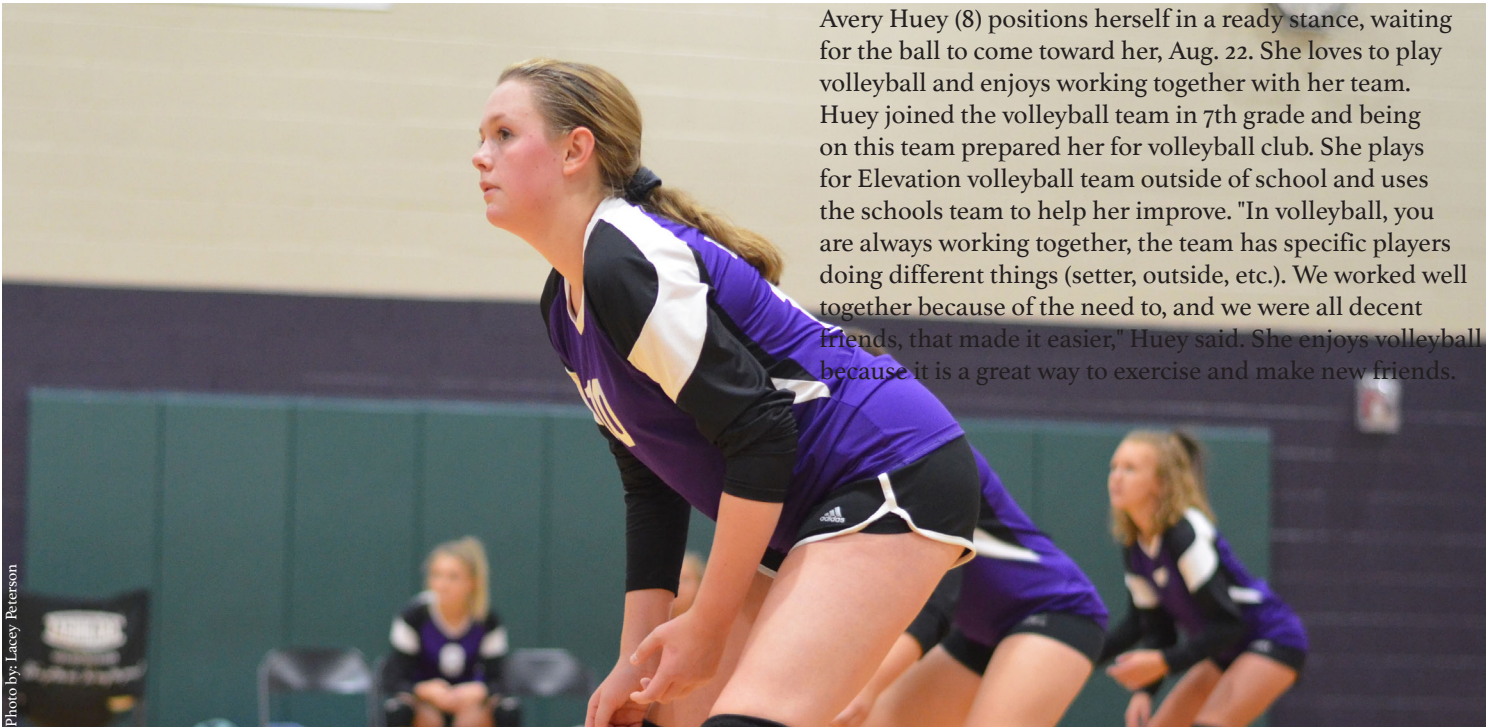


STANCE TOGETHER

Learning to be a team



Avery Huey (8) positions herself in a ready stance, waiting for the ball to come toward her, Aug. 22. She loves to play volleyball and enjoys working together with her team. Huey joined the volleyball team in 7th grade and being on this team prepared her for volleyball club. She plays for Elevation volleyball team outside of school and uses the schools team to help her improve. "In volleyball, you are always working together, the team has specific players doing different things (setter, outside, etc.). We worked well together because of the need to, and we were all decent friends, that made it easier," Huey said. She enjoys volleyball because it is a great way to exercise and make new friends.

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ON THE COURT

Svea Erikson (8) prepares for a pass in volleyball, August 15. She plays for gold crown and also plays club volleyball. She enjoys volleyball a lot and says it is a great way to stay active. "I joined volleyball because when playing with a bunch of people it really teaches you to have communication while on the court." Erickson said.



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HEAD IN THE GAME

Reese Rexroat (8) crouches down to hit the volleyball, Aug. 22. She has a great game face according to Coach Bose. She also loves to celebrate the good plays with her team when she is on the court. "Reese always makes smart decisions on the court and always gives her best effort." Bose said.



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READY FOR THE PLAY

Acelyn McGowan (8) participates in volleyball warm ups before a game, Aug. 22. Volleyball introduced McGowan to some of her best friends and lets her stay active. "I also play for Gold Crown at Rock Canyon." McGowan said

Students featured below: Isabella Harris, Reese Peterson, Katelyn Pocock, Annabelle Girard, Caroline Schriever, Cameron Short, Jamie Zappavigna, Kennedy Paladino, Kya Corones, Adeline Hanley, Grace Watson, Payton Schafer, Kate Record

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"I don't know I think of friends coming to form one." -Adeline Hanley



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ANOTHER DAY, ANOTHER PRACTICE

The football team goes through another week of practice



Photo by: Annabelle Girard

8th grade football practices again to prepare for upcoming games. The team drills and practices their positions to improve their skills. With the team constantly encouraging each other and pushing themselves to do better, they continue to improve with every play.

Ethan Martinez (8) practices with his team to get ready for a game, Aug. 21. He started to play football this year with the school team but has been playing since 3rd grade. "Our team is always helping each other and we are friendly with each other," Martinez said.

1. FIRST TIME PLAYER

Graham Squires (8) takes a knee with the ball after a kickoff, Aug. 20. Squires started to play football this year and has been enjoying it since joining. "Football is a great way to let out a lot of rage," Squires said.



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2. PLAYING THROUGH THE PAIN

Cameron Radi (8) lines up, ready to play, Aug. 20. Even though Radi has a broken hand, he keeps practicing to improve his skills. "I joined football because I wanted some new friends." Radi said.



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FOOD, FRIENDS AND FEET

Cross Country hosts at Runners Roost

Cross country's Maya Vora (7) and Lily Moon (7) pick out a slice of pizza and pose with a shoe at Runners Roost in Lone Tree, Aug. 15. Cross country members bought shoes for their sport with a benefit going to RHMS. There was also food provided. "We just got shoes for running. We also got pizza and jolly ranchers," Vora said."

"When I think of the word unite, I think of a big group of people coming together." -Owen Olds

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