

# East middle chorus heads west for spring musical production

by CHERYL KRAJNA

"When the buffalo were roaming and the wagon wheels were groaning, but beware of Whistling Skull Rock and the 'snake,'" reads a sign in a display case at East Middle School, where chorus members are putting the final touches on their upcoming production of "Westward Whoa!"

"Westward, Whoa!" (rhymes with go) takes place in the town of Vinegar Bottle along the Santa Fe Trail. A wagon train bound for California has broken down at Whistling Skull Rock just outside of town. Never fear, for the handsome honest leader of the group, Chuck Wagon, will lead his party to town to get wagons fixed.

"I'm bound to be rowdy but gentle inside, and I'm infatuated with Sue Flay" said Chuck, as played by eighth grader Jeff Filipink.

Other members of the wagon train include Josiah Aimless, played by eighth grader Phillip Munson.

"I'm coming west to look for gold and make my dreams come true," he said.

Candy Kane, played by Anne Gunia, is everybody's sweetheart.

"She's sweet and innocent," Gunia said.

Vinegar Bottle resident Sue Flay, played by eighth grader Tracy Fuller, associates with those on the wrong side of the law.

"It's fun playing the villainess," Fuller said.

Working with her are the Hamm Sisters, Virginia Hamm, Glazed Hamm and Hamm off the Bone, saloon girls.

"They have attitude," said Virginia Hamm, as played by eighth grade student Christina Nicolas.

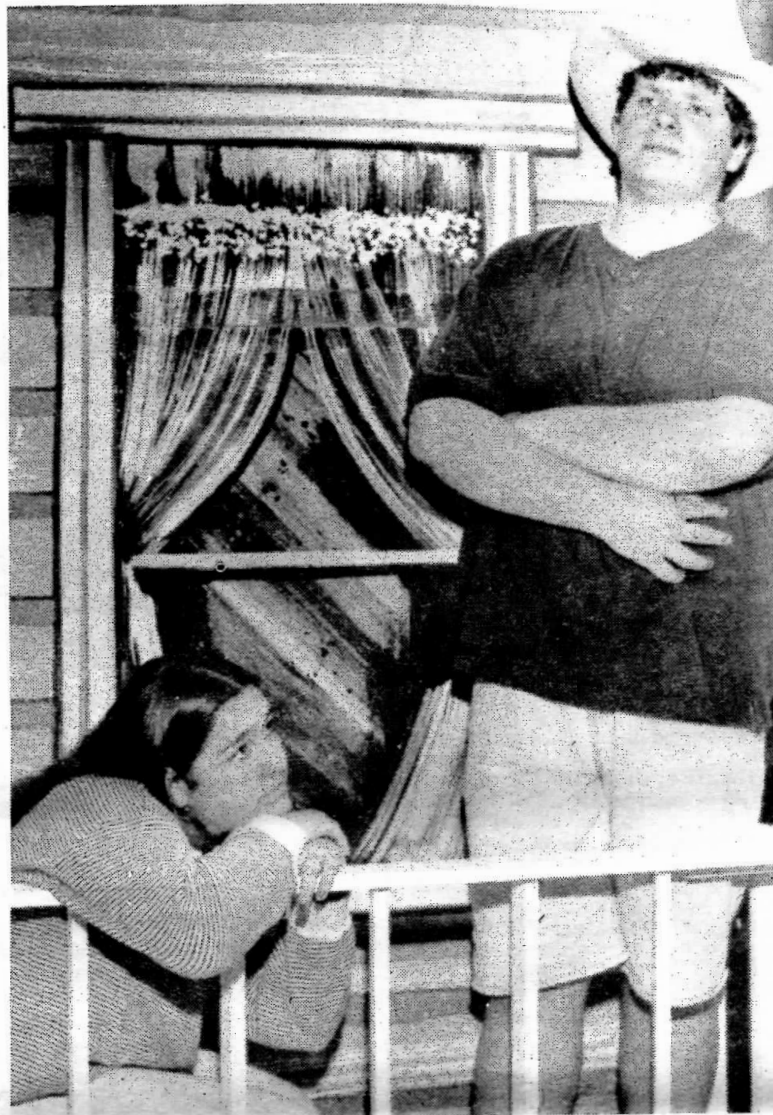
Another town resident is Clementine Splinters, who longs to be mayor but cannot because of her gender.

"So she uses her brother, Dusty (played by Dan Porzio) and kind of makes him be mayor," explained eighth grader Dara Ziggrossi, who plays Clementine.

What would the wild west be without its outlaws?

Straight-Shootin' Sam "is really dumb. I'm kinda confused," said eighth grader Scott Yager who plays the part.

"I'm the dumbest one. I say something and get us all in trouble," said eighth grader Gary Iwankow who plays the Arizona Kid.



**East Middle School** chorus members and eighth graders Anne Gunia, who portrays Candy Kane, and Jeffrey Filipink, who plays Chuck Wagon, practice their lines and staging Monday afternoon in preparation for the school's production of "Westward, Whoa!"

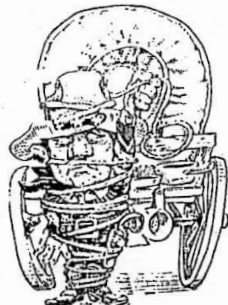
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Rounding out the cast are Steven Dunning as Wild Bill Hiccup; Amanda Cleesattel as Dulcy; Christina Coleman as Matilda; Heather Pazyck as Lullaby; Beth Rapin as Mother Rogers; Sarah

Miss Bonnie Lindentree; Natalie Szymanski and Lindsay Weyand as Judy; Crystal Tedesco and Robin Folaron as Sally; Beth Zastempowski as Cookie; Justin Plunkett as Alibi Crabtree; Jordana Pellow as Juanita Fandango; Brent Josefiak as Lt. Ample Porridge; and Pat Weber as Sgt. Masterson Maypo.

Also: Jaclyn Piwowar as Dallas; Hannah Kempinski as San Antonio; Jessica Welker as Houston; T.J. Zydel as Crazy Joe; Charles Mancuso as The Kaz; and Andy Hurd as Judge Pettigrew.

The students are played by Jen Thompson, Becky Freund, Lisa Gaiser, Jill Krempa, Kim Nadolski, Bojana Pavlov, Deanna Schneider, Heather Sciabarrasi, T.J. Zydel, Maria Ferrone and...



Salisbury as Cactus Kate; Jill Rizzo as Evening Star; Shannon Tubbs as Letty; Bonnie Bacon as Glazed Hamm; Lauren Richard-

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## Third quarter listed for

The following students have been to the third quarter honor roll at Seneca West Senior High School:

### Grade 12

Sarah Wass, Crystal Gardner, Stets, Kristie Ventura, Tracey Grzak, Mary Hoffman, Rocco Russo, Wrobel, Michael Lewandowski, Schoenhals, Dawn Kibler, Lynn Krak, Erica Kurtzhalts, Lisa Griffin, Mi Wannemacher, Jennifer Perrone, Zeeb, Jennifer MacLaughlin, Kristentha, Jessica Schenck, Lisa Zabawa, Kwitowski, Kristin Daley, Paula Froniak, Jennifer Ballanca, Brenda Brenda Bloom, James Buss, Nicole Swicz, Radana Uhlir, Michele Jentz, Pascucci, and Daniel Bond.

Also Benjamin Eckley, Sara Maxoria Comerford, Melissa Lemieux, Ann Davis, Kelly Witucki, Renee Abram, R Wilson, Kristen Poole, Alicia Tripp, Mock, Kelly Telecky, Kathryn Weber, Bachmann, Carrie Barbuto, Suni Kristin Wall, Sherri Aguglia, Elena Kski, Shannon Moran, Joshua Wojtasz, Julie Farrel, Leondra Kasprzyk, Sha Steves, Carrie Besecker, Stacy Beres, Gabamonte, Andrew Gregory, Jillian Jolene Maw, and Scott Sainsbury

### Grade 11

Jeffrey Balikowski, Joseph Deana, Amanda Russo, Adrian Levesque, Dziedzina, Seth Galley, David Pietraszki, Joshua Kittner, Jennifer Larish, Jfer Bonk, Stephen Miller, Andrew Mara, Jennie O'Brien, Michelle Cole, S Bystrak, Jennifer Toomey, Jennifer nors, Kimberly Lockwood, Eric Dolphando Ricci, Kari Shriver, Brian Komski, and Janelle Chlebowy.

Also Benjamin Kelcey, Ronald T. Brian Kester, Joseph Plandowski, M Harrer, Jason Draper, Daniel Sleb Lynnae Fenton, Shannon Borow, Mar rhart, Michelle De Marie, Ryan Odea, ip Czekalski, Leah Comella, Terrance le, Julie Wick, Sean Baker, Michelle G Jennifer Kruder, Carl Radtke, C Zheng Guo, Alexandra Nicoloff, Chpher Van Remmen, Erin Lingle, M Cullinan, Joshua Zielinski, Perry Dur Paul Pratt.

### Grade 10

Julie Rustay, Julie Sullivan, K Fleischmann, Jeffrey Parker, Eliza

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