

UIL Excellence Regional Qualifiers

Debaters, spellers, Watson advance to State

CX Debate

The CX Debate teams of Cassye Snyder and Sarah Jones and Vanessa Walker and Justin Cole each qualified for the state meet by placing first and second respectfully at the district meet. Snyder and Jones made it all the way to the octofinals at state. By reaching this prestigious level, they became eligible to apply for TILF scholarships as seniors. Ms. Bette Lee Drake is the CX coach.



High Point Student

Senior Raven Watson was the high point individual at the District 8 1A UIL Meet for the second consecutive year. She took 1st place in science, mathematics, and calculator applications and 4th place in number sense.

Social Studies Team

- E. Stodghill
- R. Lindsay
4th place
- S. Jones
- J. Cole
1st place



First place team

Accounting

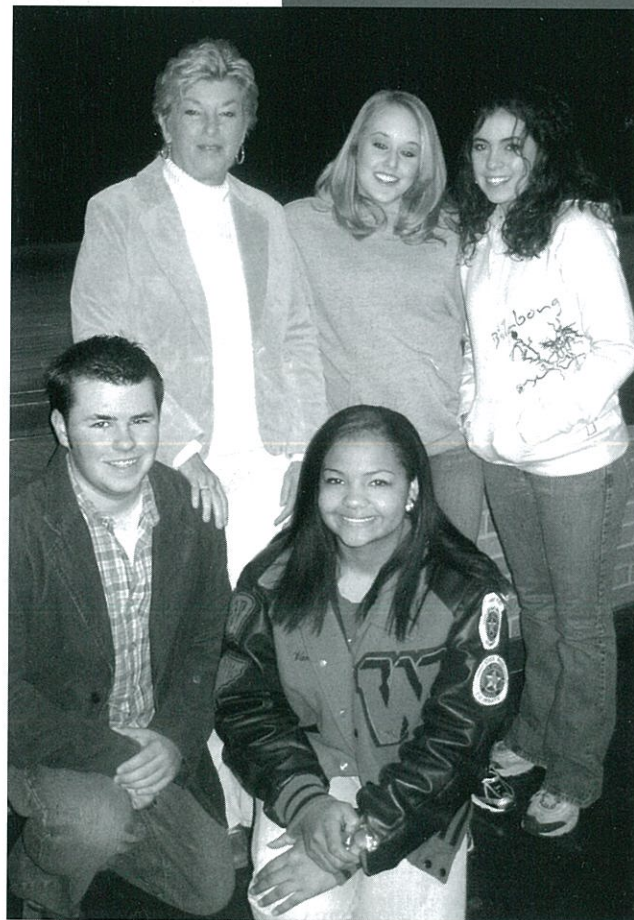
- Abi Montoya
- Cassye Snyder
1st place
- Daniel Ray
2nd place



First Place Science Team

- R. Watson
1st place
- D. Gray
3rd place
- R. Lindsay
3rd place

Team members:
Gregg Garner and Sarah Jones
J. Clayton is not pictured



State Qualifiers in Calculator and Spelling

Raven Watson advanced to state for the first time by placing third at the Region I meet while the spelling and vocabulary team of Erin Whitmire, Kendra Kerley, Alexys Dodd and James Swanson made it to Austin for the second straight year as a group after winning the team competition at Levelland where Whitmire placed second, Kerley - fourth, and Dodd - sixth, individually. This was the fourth year in a row for Dodd to compete at the state meet in spelling and the third for Kerley. Wink spellers have advanced to the state level for eleven consecutive years.

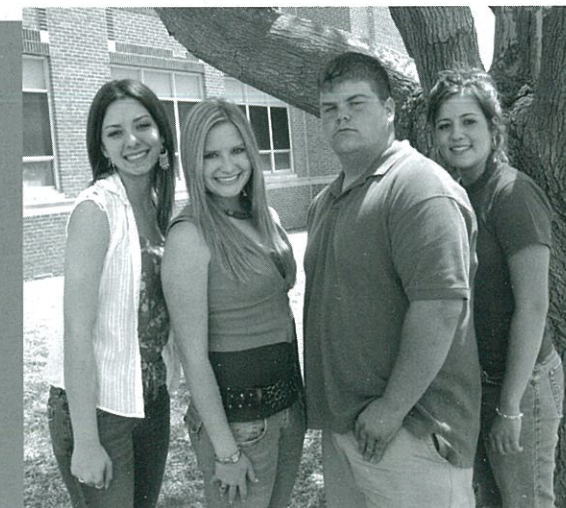
Journalism Events

- Ashely Sellers
1st, feature writing
2nd, news writing
- Jessica Youngblood
1st, news writing
1st, headline writing
- Kristen Boggess
3rd, editorial writing
- Vanessa Walker
2nd, editorial writing



Speaking Events

- Erin Whitmire
3rd, poetry interpretation
- Kendra Kerley
1st, prose interpretation
- Larry Burrows
2nd, Lincoln-Douglas debate
5th, persuasive speaking
- Lyndsey Wolf
2nd, prose interpretation
6th, persuasive speaking



Computer Events

- C. Hazelwood
1st, computer science
- G. Garner
5th computer science
- Kevin McGehee
2nd, computer applications
- J. Swanson
3rd computer science
- J. Cole
3rd computer applications.