

# School Talk: Homecoming

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Special Guest: Megan Crombie, Student Council President

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One of the time honored traditions for school districts is Homecoming Week. Homecoming is an opportunity to recognize our past and create a sense of spirit and community for our current students and staff. Many people have been hard at work this Homecoming Week to make each event a great experience. Window painting, dress-up days, float building, lip-synchs, and the dance are a few of the activities our students have engaged in that will make Homecoming 2010 a memorable time in their lives.

Our School Talk Webcam Video for Homecoming 2010 features Megan Crombie, Student Council President. Megan has been the lead person for most of the activities this week. Watch the School Talk video (at [www.columbus.k12.wi.us](http://www.columbus.k12.wi.us)) as Megan shares her perspective of Homecoming 2010 and what she enjoys the most about this exciting week.

## Highlights in the School District also include:

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- The Columbus High School Band continued their award winning ways by achieving top performances in their recent band competition. Congratulations to Director Tim Meinholz and all of the students for their hard work. They will be featured in our Homecoming Parade and at half-time of our Homecoming football game. Keep up the great work!

- In 2009-2010, 85% of the Columbus Middle School students scored Advanced or Proficient of the state test in Science. This is almost 10% over the state average and among the highest test scores we have achieved in the last five years of testing. Congratulations to our teachers on a great job of preparing our students. These results are more evidence of the excellent education our students are receiving here in the Columbus School District.
- Over 86% of Columbus Elementary School Third Grade students scored advanced or proficient in Reading during the 2009-2010 school year. This is among the highest Reading test scores our students have achieved over the last five years and is 7% higher than the state average. Congratulations Columbus Elementary! Keep up the great work!

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