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Red Cross blood drive set for Thursday
-Katie McNeil
The Red Cross is sponsoring a blood drive on Thursday, Oct. 3, from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Leavenworth Community Center, 100 Village Place. The drive is open to all ages and is free of charge.

School board sets date for public comment on grading program
-Katie McNeil
The Leavenworth School Board will hold a public hearing on Oct. 15 to discuss a proposed grading program. The board will meet at 7 p.m. at the Leavenworth Community Center. The program would change the way students are graded in elementary school.

2013 LHS Homecoming Parade
Participants in the 2013 Leavenworth High School Homecoming Parade took their place in the parade on Thursday, Oct. 3, along the parade route through town. The parade was held in honor of the school's 100th anniversary.

Govt. closes Omaha Beach in Normandy during shut-down
-Katie McNeil
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