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March Board Report

Updated March 13, 2023

Athletics

- Resignation of Erin Limestall as Head HS Scholastic Bowl Coach
- Resignation of Indra Perry as Assistant HS Scholastic Bowl Coach
- Approval of Trent Quarton as Assistant HS Football Coach
- Approval of Cam Cummings and Ryan McDonald as Freshman Football Coach (split stipend)
- Approval of Liz Birch as Head HS Football Cheerleading Coach
- Approval of Earl Green as Volunteer HS Football Coach
- Approval of Nate Prather as Volunteer HS Football Coach
- Approval of Cody Guthrie as Volunteer HS Football Coach
- Approval of Illinois High School Association (IHSA) membership for the 2023-24 school year
- Approval of Illinois Elementary School Association (IESA) membership for 2023-24 school year (will send paperwork to be signed once it is available)
- Approval of Boys Football co-op with Franklin and Waverly (New Berlin hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Boys Baseball co-op with Franklin and Waverly (New Berlin hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Girls Softball co-op with Franklin and Waverly (New Berlin hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Girls Basketball co-op with Franklin and Waverly (Waverly hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Boys & Girls Golf co-op with Franklin and Waverly (Waverly hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Boys and Girls Wrestling co-op with Auburn (Auburn hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Cross Country co-op with Franklin and Waverly (Franklin hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Boys Soccer co-op with Springfield Lutheran (Lutheran hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Approval of Girls Soccer with Pleasant Plains (Pleasant Plains hosts) 2 years/IHSA
- Open coaching positions:
 - Head HS Scholastic Bowl
 - Assistant HS Scholastic Bowl



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Pretzel Positives

- A huge shout out to our JH Cheerleading program! The girls placed 1st at the IESA State Championship! Congratulations to coach Gebhardt and our JH cheerleaders!
- Thank you to everyone who has helped to make the Tri-County Honor Band. A big shout out to Abi Magrath and the New Berlin Pretzel Band for hosting this event. You guys sounded awesome!
- Congratulations to our HS scholastic bowl team on your regional championship! The Pretzel defeated Hartsburg- Emden in the regional championship. We finished the season in second place at the Athens sectional. Well done students and coaches!
- Congratulations to the Pretzel Basketball program on winning the Sangamo Conference. This was the first conference championship since 1966. Congratulations fellas!
- Spring sports are underway! Here's to hoping the weather cooperates so we can get some games in these next few weeks!