



Superintendent Update January 8, 2026



Vision

What we intend to create

Inspire dreams,

build integrity,

instill hope

*in our students, our staff, our families
and our communities.*



Mission

Purpose of our work

***Partner** with students, families and communities*

*to challenge all students to achieve their **greatest potential***

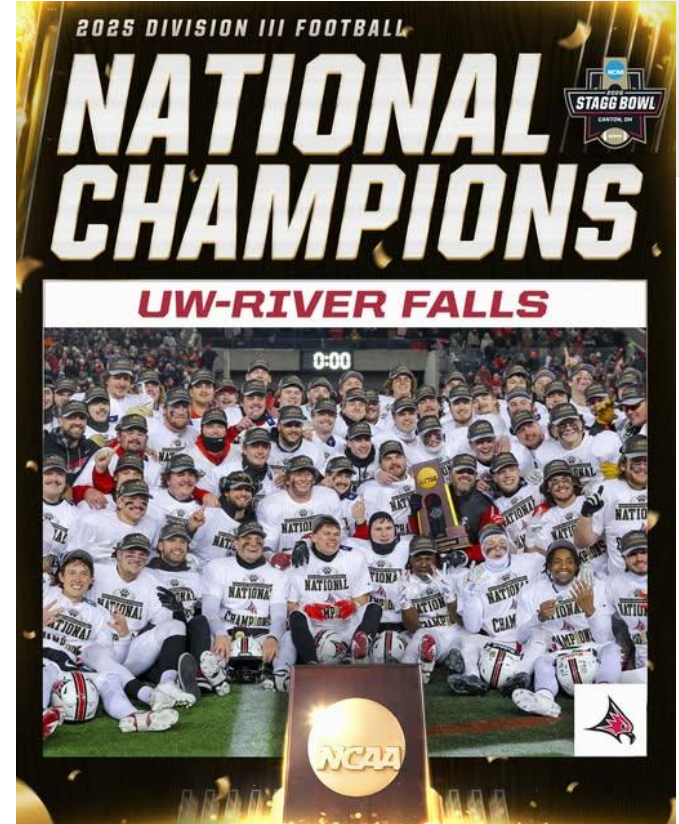
and become informed and engaged citizens.

Vikings Spotlight



SKOL! and congratulations to NBAPS grads Tyler Schneidewind and Adam Johnstone. They are part of the UW River Falls football team that won a DIII national championship on Sunday!!

- River Falls won the Division III football championship with a 24-14 victory over defending champion North Central College



Upcoming MSBA Panel Presentation Clear Expectations that Protect Learning



The Why video



Parent Perspectives



High School Student Expectations Video



Upcoming MSBA Panel Presentation

Viking Innovation: Teacher Apprenticeships

- Overview of Registered Teacher Apprenticeships as a sustainable workforce strategy
- Addresses teacher shortages in high-need licensure areas
- Uses an earn-while-you-learn model with paid employment, mentorship, and licensure
- Confirms the model is fully compliant and state-aligned
- Shares early outcomes showing strong licensure progress and positive impact

Child Care Champions

REGISTER NOW

CHILD CARE CHAMPIONS TRAINING DAY

Saturday, January 31, 2026
8am - 3:30pm (doors open at 7:30am)

North Branch Area High School

Early bird registration ends 12/31/25 - \$50
Registration after 12/31/25 - \$60
Register at nbaceonline.org or 651-674-1025

Calling all child care providers! Join us for a full-day event dedicated to advancing your skills, connecting with peers, and having fun!

Why Attend?

- Professional Development: Earn six hours of Develop-approved training by attending three engaging sessions, with nine topics to choose from.
- Networking & Resources: Connect with other providers and explore vendor booths and on-site resources designed to support you.
- Perks & Prizes: Enjoy tasty snacks, and a delicious lunch. Have a professional photo taken. Plus, you'll have the chance to win exciting door prizes!

Attention child care providers!



On Saturday, Jan. 31, North Branch Area High School will host Child Care Champions Training Day.

- 8 am to 3:30 pm
- A full day of learning, networking, and fun designed to support and celebrate child care providers

NBAPS and the Max Impact



- NBAPS is committed to helping every student see real-life possibilities through confident, applied learning.
- 1958 alum and former valedictorian Max Malmquist has donated \$100,000 to create long-term scholarships for NBAPS graduates.
- In addition, the Max Impact continues with two, \$2,500 scholarships, to be awarded at our annual scholarship night.
- AND, this spring, NBAPS will launch The Max Advantage Finance Challenge, a personal finance competition focused on budgeting, saving, investing, and practical money management.
- This partnership brings learning to life, strengthens community connections, and advances our mission to help all students reach their greatest potential.



