

# UMATILLA HIGH SCHOOL



## Board Report

February 2026

**1st Semester Academic Awards:** We had a great turnout for our Academic Awards Ceremony. We were able to honor 229 students with awards. 78 students had a 3.5-3.875 GPA and 38 students had a perfect 4.0. We had four students with perfect attendance. Our Viking Award winners were Evelyn Christensen, Evalynn Campos, Jordyn Escamilla and Daniela Lopez Ordaz.



## Our Students Impacting Our Community:

The UHS SchnitzerCare (formerly CommuniCare) team has raised \$900 so far this year to give to local non-profit organizations. SchnitzerCare is giving us \$15,000 in addition to the \$900 raised. This year's focus is to help organizations that help prevent and educate youth about the dangers of drug abuse. They will be interviewing three non-profits in the month of February and decide who to give the money to based on them meeting our mission statement.



**At the game versus Nyssa last Saturday, David Garcia needed 8 points to reach 1000 career points. As only David can do, the clock was ticking down at the end of the first quarter. David caught the ball well past the 3 point line and with a defender right in front of him, he launches a 3 pointer as the buzzer sounds. The shot goes in and the stands erupt in cheers. David is an amazing player and an even better teammate. It has been great to watch him over the past 4 years.**





# Sports Report

## Winter Sports

### Girls Basketball:

The girls continue to play hard and give it their best. We are seeing a lot improvement in our young team. We head into our final game of league play against Vale. The girls will finish up the season in 4th place.



### Boys Basketball:

The boys had a great past weekend against Burns and Nyssa. We will finish out league play against Vale and will secure 3rd place. They will travel to Burns next week to get a chance to play against Riverside to see who goes to state in 1st place.



### Wrestling:

Wrestling comes down to the District tournament. The season record doesn't mean a thing. If you win at districts, you move on. We will be taking KJ Carlton to Mac Hi for the boys District tournament Feb.13 & 14. K.J has been wrestling really tough this year and has a good chance to make it to state as a freshman.

Girls Districts will be in LaGrande on Feb. 20-21. Rylee and Brooklyn Sanchez will be representing us there. The top 5 wrestlers at Districts move on to state.

