



**Vision**

Empowering all students to be socially responsible, life-long learners in an ever changing world.

**Mission**

The School District of Tomahawk will become the school District of choice known for its high levels of student achievement, the excellence of its programs, and its sound stewardship.

| Teaching Learning & Relevance             | The Whole Student  | Communication & Community Engagement   | District Workforce                              | Operational Excellence  |
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| Adaptive and focused pathways for growth. | Acknowledgment of the balance of student needs for social emotional development. | Engaging our parents and community stakeholders through excellence in communication. | To attract, retain, and support district staff. | Providing quality facilities and budgeting to support student, staff and community success. |

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**Teaching, Learning & Relevance**

- The PreACT was administered on April 17th and the Forward Exam took place over the course of two days, April 18th and 19th. There was extensive training and preparation that took place in order to run a successful assessment environment. Test administration ran smoothly and observations were noted for next year. Thank you to all staff who helped in creating a positive testing environment.
- Juniors attended an information session on the college admissions process on May 1st. Mai Yia from UW Help presented to the class on a variety of topics within the application process. She shared resources and ideas for students to consider when applying to colleges.
- On May 2nd, THS 9th graders attended a Career Fair at Rhinelander High School. Students were able to meet representatives from 58 businesses and organizations. THS and RHI counselors coordinated to provide topics for students to discuss with employers to learn more about career fields. This event was developed through community partnerships to support students in their ACP processes and generate excitement about career opportunities in our area.
- Advanced Placement and Project Lead The Way courses will be conducting their end-of-course exams throughout the month of May. Student achievement on these exams will determine eligibility for college credit attainment.
- Our High School Community Partnership Highlight for May is Louisiana Pacific. Roxan Reas and Dave Thomas from LP presented to the high school teaching staff about the

company and various position types at LP. They focused on high-demand employee attributes and how employees with these skills have great opportunities within LP's organizational structure. THS teachers will incorporate these examples into their classes to help our students graduate Career Ready. Thank you to Roxan and Dave for sharing your expertise with the THS!

- Enterprise Wood Products, a school-based enterprise, has partnered with Standard Mercantile to sell Hatchet themed cribbage boards in the store. Students created a business plan to design and manufacture a product to sell the goods through a local vendor. Enterprise Wood Products is a great example the impact business partnerships can have on student learning and community growth.
- Career & Technical Education and Academic & Career Planning team members attended the National Association of Career & Technical Education (ACTE) Work Based Learning Conference to share and learn ways to develop our work based learning programs, such as Youth Apprenticeship. Over 1,000 education professionals were in attendance from around the country representing K12 and postsecondary education institutions. THS attendees included: Connor Ahrens, Allison Ewart, Dawn Huseby, Dan Reiter, and Ryan Huseby.

### **The Whole Student**

- The Senior Class took their annual Senior Class Trip to the Mall of America on April 24th. Thank you to the advisers for working with the class officers to organize such a memorable trip.
- The Class of 2025 hosted Prom at THS on April 27th. Grand March took place in the Auditorium with the public in attendance. This was followed by the dance in the THS Cafe. It was a great night with over 125 students attending. Thanks to the Junior Class Officers and advisers for their hard work planning the event.
- As a part of Appreciation Week celebrated May 6th - 10th, staff also wanted to show appreciation for students. FBLA facilitated the coordination of activities for the students and sign. Some of these activities included 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament, outside yard games, Murder Mystery Game, RC Flying, biking to Dairy Queen, Theater Games/Improv Acting, Euchre & Cribbage Tournaments, Innovation Lab, and many others.

### **District Workforce**

- Staff Appreciation was celebrated the week of May 6 - 10 with the help of many of our organizations. Student Council took the lead in determining a theme and coordinating something each day to show their appreciation. This year's theme was "Western Fun" and all treats and decorations revolved around this theme.

### **End of the Year - Seniors**

- May 22 - Annual Senior Service Project
- May 22 - Co-curricular Awards Ceremony, 6:00 PM
- May 22 - Senior Scholarship Awards Ceremony, 7:00 PM
- May 24 - Senior Last Day. Locker Cleanout, Graduate Celebration Walk, Rehearsal, etc
- May 24 - Graduation Ceremony, 7:00 PM