

Activities Director Report

April 25th, 2018

The snow has melted, fields are dry, and our Ranger teams are finally able to get outside! Thank you to all our coaches, athletes, parents, and fans for their patience this spring with the numerous postponements, cancellations, and schedule changes. The next five weeks will be very busy for all our spring teams as we try to get as many games and events in as we can.

Baseball: The Varsity baseball team is currently 0-1 on the season. They lost to Proctor 14-0 on April 12th and have not been able to play another game since. Upcoming games include April 26 at home vs. Pillager, April 27th at Isle, and April 30th at home vs. Pine City. The Rangers are coached by Bryan Syrstad, Mike Gindorff, Brady Sykora, Nate Ernst, Tim Chandler, Andrew Tuthill, and Adam English.

Softball: The Ranger softball team is currently 0-2 on the season. They lost a doubleheader on April 24th to state-ranked Park Rapids, 7-0 and 20-0. Their next games are April 26th home vs. Pillager and April 30th at McGregor. The softball teams are coached by Brad Hollenhorst, Dennis Wittrock, Angie Holmwig, Minnie Fischer, and James Fort.

Track & Field: The varsity track teams were finally able to get outside for their first meet of the season yesterday at Pequot Lakes. The boys team finished 9th and the girls team finished 7th (out of 10 schools competing). The teams travel to Walker on April 27th and Two Harbors on April 1st. Coaches for the track program are Dallas Dietz, Tom Ringhand, Amelia Udenberg, Erica Perpich, Pete Vukelich, and Bailey Swensen.

Boys' Golf: The boys' golf team kicked off their season on April 20th at Crosswood's Golf Course in Cross Lake. Zach Spalj led the way shooting a 45 for the Rangers. Their next meet April 28th at Cragun's Resort. The JH/JV team has their first meet on April 27th at Cuyuna Rolling Hills. Coaches for boys golf are Rich Aulie and Tom Burgstaler.

Girls' Golf: The girls' golf team has yet to get a competition in this spring. Their first one is April 26th at Crosswood's Golf Course. The girls have a very young team this season and will compete in both Varsity and JV meets as a team. Brian Gaffney is coaching the girls team this season.

Respectfully submitted,

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