Superintendent Update

October 24, 2024



At the forefront of educational excellence



WHAT WE INTEND TO CREATE

Inspire dreams, build integrity and instill hope in our students, our staff, our families and our communities.

OUR PURPOSE

Partner with students, staff, families and communities to challenge all students to achieve their greatest potential and become informed and engaged citizens.

First ever Tiny Prom

NBAEC is hosting Tiny Prom for the first time!

- Adults and children are encouraged to put on their finery for dancing and treats!
- Students K and younger are invited
- Free admission
 - o Thursday, Nov. 7
 - o 5:30 7 pm
 - North Branch Area Education Center





Fire Prevention Week

The North Branch Fire Dept. was in the district for Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 6-12.

- Firefighters assisted with fire drills
- Gave students tours of emergency vehicles
- Reviewed important fire safety information









Unity Day at NBAMS





NBAMS hosted its annual Unity
Day on Wednesday, Oct. 16.
Students and staff wore orange
to encourage kindness and
acceptance, and students in all
grades put positive messages on
orange paper that were used to
create chains for each classroom.

The Witches starts Nov. 7





"The Witches," a middle school play brought to you by Community Education, is November 7, 8, and 9 at 7 pm. Tickets are \$12. To purchase tickets, scan the QR code or click here!

Expanding Student Support







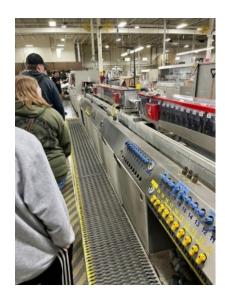


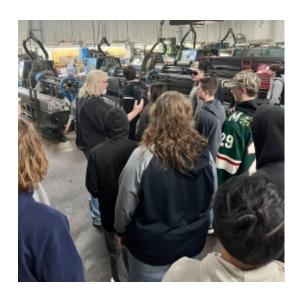
Hands-on Manufacturing Exposure



On October 13, high school students were exposed to a variety of occupations inside the manufacturing industry in our area. Through this experience we hope to gather partnerships for our Viking bridge work based learning program. More importantly, we connected local industry with our high school programs in order to have our learners see/feel possible future occupations.







Garcia Velazquez selected to all-state girls soccer



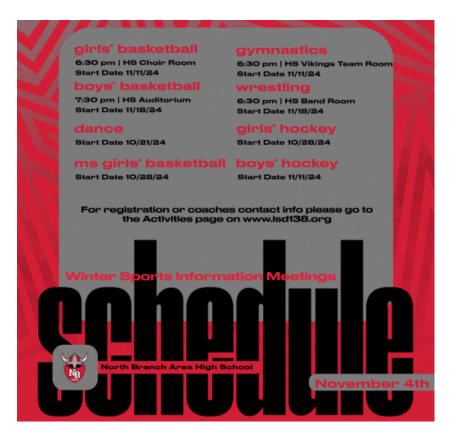
SKOL! and congratulations to NBAHS's Sharleen Garcia Velazquez!

 Sharleen has been selected to the All-State Girls Soccer Team by the MN State HS Soccer Coaches Association.



Winter sports info meeting Nov. 4





Informational meetings for winter sports will be held at NBAHS on Monday, Nov. 4

- Meetings start at 6:30
- For registration or coach contact information, go to the <u>Activities page</u> at the district website

Alumni making waves



Our NBAPS alumni continue to make waves, embodying the spirit of Viking exploration and achievement. Do you know a Viking alum making a difference that we can feature in our Alumni Spotlight? Contact me at spaul@isd138.org with your alumni suggestions!



Viking Class of 2014

Viking Class of 1974



Free seminar on the fentanyl crisis



Fentanyl Free Communities
Foundation, the Chisago County
Opioid Action Council, and North
Branch Area Community Ed are
hosting a free event on the
fentanyl crisis on Tuesday, Nov. 12

- 5 8 p.m.
- NBAHS cafeteria
- Free pizza and water
- All ages welcome



