

Northland Community Schools

Independent School District #118



School Board Report

Date: March 9, 2026

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DISTRICT MISSION STATEMENT: *To educate and inspire all learners to reach their full potential.*

- The Northland Eagles dance troupe and drum group have been invited to sing for this year's Leech Lake career fair this month and have been invited, along with our dance troupe to exhibition or attend school powwows and organizations in the next few months. This month is the Rockford Area Schools powwow, the University of Minnesota Duluth and the MN Indian Education Association.

- Our Indigenous Education Department would like to say Miigwech to everyone who help to plan the school powwow, participated, and contributed their time or assistance during this day! Miigwech to our invited powwow staff/dancers/drum groups/surrounding schools for attending! Our students to recognize for their planning, hardwork and management for this year's powwow are our Ogichidaa club in planning, our drummers & dancers. Miigwech to our families attending, American Indian Parent Advisory Committee representatives. The Leech Lake Tribal College. The Bemidji State University and the Leech Lake Family Preservation department.

- March 14th is Pi Day. An annual celebration of the mathematical sign Pi. As a way to celebrate, students, all are challenged to say the Ojibwe word for blueberry pie to Mrs. Monroe at any time on March 14th. This word is the longest Ojibwe word in the language.
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Requests: overnight for the quiz bowl team to International Falls quiz bowl in April and the JOM quiz bowl at Cloquet in May.

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