

**Athletics/Activities Report**  
**Board Report**  
**January**

### **Napi Athletics**

#### **Boys Basketball**

Napi started basketball on Jan. 6th and was able to fill 5 teams with 13 players each. We are trying to move the boys basketball season in January to help our sports situation of crunching so many sports in early spring. The timing of starting basketball at the Napi level in January will be a trial run. We will evaluate how the season worked for our gym time, our parents time, and our workers time.

### **Middle School Athletics**

#### **Girls Basketball**

Girls basketball started on Jan. 6th and it was a rocky start but some faithful coaches made sure we had a collective first couple practices.

Girls basketball was switched with Volleyball and now will be played in January. This situation is to accommodate the 1B and their number issues of participants playing basketball and volleyball.

This year we have faced our first year having only made up one 8th grade team consisting of 12 players. 7th grade made two teams made up of 18 participants and 6th grade made 2 teams that consisted of 19 participants.

#### *Participants*

*8th grade- 12*

*7th grade- 18*

*6th grade- 19*

### **High School Athletics**

#### **Boys and Girls Basketball**

After making both their cuts and making up their teams the town did not have a lot of backlash with the newly implemented letters we sent out to the kids. Our letters have helped with contentious feelings and environments made throughout the community and are showing positive effects for our programs and our school district.

#### *Boys basketball numbers*

*Varsity - 11*

*Junior Varsity- 14*

*C-Squad - 15*

#### *Girls basketball numbers*

*Varsity - 13*

*Junior Varsity- 8*

*C- Squad - 9*

### **Wrestling**

Girls wrestling had 50 athletes go out for the sport but we have consistently 44 going and making it to practice and events. They are working very hard and took 3rd in the Holiday Classic which is the biggest tournament in the state in CMR Great falls and only lost to 2 Double AA schools.

Boys wrestling had 40 athletes join but are now consistently around 35 going to practice and events.

Wrestling is busy because they are required to have 18 weigh-ins per year and this requires them to attend tournaments all over the state because Duals aren't as prevalent as they used to be. We have some of the best numbers in wrestling in the entire Class A.

### **Cheer**

We had about 40 athletes go out for cheer but unfortunately about 8 quit right as practice started.

Currently we have 22 girls out for cheer when we kept around 30 for 3 squads. The upside to having lower numbers we are able to focus on the girls that are there and progress in the sport.

### **Student Activities**

We hired an activities coordinator and she is being implemented into the job with a focus of helping athletics and collaborating with athletics when it comes to the EEkahkimaht program. We are working on a new eekahkimaht schedule and wanting to try and start it in February if possible. The hiring processes have begun for hiring the eekahkimaht workers.