

**Athletic Director Report**  
**February 19, 2025**

Winter seasons are winding down. Our high school girl's basketball team ended their season with a well-played game against a very talented Okawville team in the semifinals of the class 1A regional. We are hosting that regional and it will conclude February 20 when Okawville takes on Sandoval for the regional championship.

Our high school boy's team has two more games in the regular season. They will play at East Alton Wood River on Wednesday, Feb. 20 and then at Steeleville on Feb. 21 (makeup game due to the inclement weather on Tuesday). They will play in the quarterfinal regional game on Monday, Feb. 24 @ Carrollton (7:00 pm start time).

We would like to congratulate Adrienne Latimer on her State Qualification in dance. Adrienne performed her hip hop solo on Saturday, Feb. 15. Even though she did not advance to the next round, her performance was amazing! Our dance team worked extremely hard this year and was less than two points away from a state qualifying score (that close a couple of times actually). Their coach was so surprised that they did not qualify as their performances improved with each competition.

Junior High volleyball is in full swing though this weather has canceled quite a bit of practices and games. The girls have not let that get them down. They are working hard and excited for their tournament this weekend at Columbia. They play at 9:45 am against Columbia. This is a bracket style tournament and they will play games throughout the day.

Spring sports are just around the corner. Our high school teams have been scheduling open gyms since the beginning of January. High School Track starts their indoor season on Feb. 20 with practice and their first indoor meet is March 7 and 8 at SIU Carbondale.