



Frederic School District

District Administrator Report

April 2023

Virtual Learning Options

32 students (29 HS and 3 MS) are engaged in 48 online courses this year. Nearly 25% of our high school students are taking courses through Acellus, Educere, and/or Wisconsin Virtual School, which are the three platforms we most often use. A variety of courses are taken by our students, such as Japanese, Spanish, German, Medical Terminology, Anatomy, Environmental Science, and a number of Advanced Placement courses, such as AP Macroeconomics, AP Language and Composition, and AP US History. Students are taking courses based on their interests, graduation requirements, and schedules.

Professional Development

I appreciate the staff's engagement in the Culturize book study we implemented for the final three months of the year. The principals did a great job of coordinating the effort and building a platform for staff to share thoughts, reflections, and identify areas we could target for improvement. Although we have a ways to go, it's been successful thus far and a system we anticipate replicating in the future.



Athletic Co-ops

Frederic hosted area superintendents and athletic directors in late March to discuss existing athletic co-op programs. Time was spent reviewing challenges and opportunities in each sport and co-op arrangement. The general consensus at the meeting is that greater opportunities lie within the specific co-ops than if districts were to conduct the sports individually, outside of the co-op. Three significant outcomes of the meeting include the following:

- Greater structure associated with the hockey co-op.
- The conclusion by the Luck and Frederic administration that their collaborative exploration of the co-ops over several months indicates that keeping existing co-ops intact makes the most sense at this time.
- Identification of steps our co-ops can take to strengthen the co-ops and increase student participation rates.



Upcoming Facility Projects

A number of projects are currently being scheduled for the upcoming months, including the following:

- Three full court pickleball lines will be added to the elementary gymnasium so community education can run pickleball leagues.
- Parking lot sealcoating.
- Flat concrete replacement work in various locations throughout the campuses.
- Roots and Branches required classroom exit doors and entrance area safety window.
- Interior and exterior faulty door replacement.
- Football field scoreboard replacement.

Lakeland Conference Scholar Athlete

Congratulations to Ember Rosenau and Ben Ones who are representing Frederic as the first Lakeland Conference Scholar Athletes. This new recognition program honors student athletes for their successes in the classroom and in competition. Ember and Ben are excellent representatives of Frederic and we congratulate both them, their families, and their coaches. Athletes will be attending the event with their parents and their invited guests, Mr. Bergstrom and Mr. Draxler. The Scholar Athlete program is being hosted by the Luck School District this year on April 19.