

# News/Notes

Our Winter Sports teams are preparing for the Playoffs while a couple have concluded their season.

## **Athletics Updates**

#### **Dance**

• The Rangerettes finished up their season this past weekend at the MSHSL Class A State Championships. They qualified for both Kick & Jazz by defending their Section 4A titles in both competitions. At the State Championships they finished 4th overall in Kick and 5th overall in Jazz with four athletes being named to All-Tournament teams (JAZZ-Raylin Daraitis/Brenna Nelson, KICK-Isabella Haukos/Aaliyah Young). Those four athletes were also named to the All-State teams for their accomplishments this season.

## Hockey

• The Girls Northern Lakes team finished up their season with a 11-16 overall record and fell to Fergus Falls in the Section 6A Championship game. The Boys Northern Lakes team are currently ranked #8 in Class A and finished the regular season at 16-8-1. They won their Quarterfinal game of the Section 6A playoffs over Wadena-Deer Creek 18-1 and will play Breckenridge in the Semifinals on 2/22 looking to advance to the Section Finals.

### **Boys Basketball**

• The Ranger Boys are currently 9-13 as they enter the last week of the regular season. They are 6-6 in Great River Conference and 5-5 in Section play so far this season. Having won their last two games on the road they currently are the #11 seed in Section 7AA but could jump into the top eight with a strong finish to the season.

### **Girls Basketball**

• The Lady Rangers are 25-0, ranked #2 in Class AA and were ranked #5 by the Star Tribune for all Girls teams in Minnesota. They have clinched the Great River Conference Big School division Title and the overall #1 seed in Section 7AA with one game remaining in the Regular Season. Individually Tori Oehrlein became the fastest player in History to reach 4000 career points scored on 1/28 and this past weekend became the Girls All-Time Minnesota Career Leader in Rebounds. Regan Juenemann was named a finalist for the 2024-25 Miss Minnesota Basketball Award by the Minnesota Coaches Association.

## Wrestling

The Wrestling team is gearing up for their Individual Section Championships this coming weekend. They won
their 1st Round match in the Section 7A Team Competition 40-36 over Blackduck/Cass Lake-Bena before falling
to the eventual Section Champions Staples-Motley. They had three individuals place 4th at the Great River
Conference Championships (Parker Cash-114lbs, Deacon Larson-160lbs, Naomi Ridlon-Girls 112lbs) and two 5th
(Ezra Jacobson-121lbs, Weston McKay-152lbs).

## **Upcoming Home Events**

- Thursday, February 20th: Girls Basketball vs Ogilvie.
- Friday, February 21st: Boys Basketball vs Pine City.
- Monday, February 24th: Boys Basketball vs Esko
- Tuesday, February 25th: Girls Basketball SECTION 7AA 1st Round. vs TBD.

Respectfully submitted, Cley Twigg Activities Director/Dean of Students

For updated scores and schedules visit: cirangers.org

