1048 E King Road Tomahawk, WI 54487 Fax: 715-453-6736 Wendell Quesinberry District Administrator (715) 453-5555

# February 2025 - Activities Director Board Report

# **Strategic Planning Update:**

Please see the live working scorecard for the Activities Department. Key notes listed below:

- **Student-Academic Eligibility Goal:** Percentage of students who have received a failing grade at the progress or quarters for their respective school has decreased for the 2024 2025 season.
  - AD continues to send out notices of D/F list to Head coaches two weeks prior to grades.
  - AD has also started sending the week before to try and prevent any academic ineligibilities.
- <u>Student-Engagement Surveys Goal:</u> Currently, percentage is above the goal for 2024 2025 school year through the completion of the fall activity season.
  - AD has followed the plan, and is getting the surveys out sooner to the students and multiple reminders in regards to filling out so their voices are heard.
- <u>Student-Participation Numbers Goal:</u> Currently, percentage is above the goal for 2024 2025 school year through the participation levels of clubs and winter athletics.
  - O Put on a "Career Fair" type event during Link Crew day. The advisors noted this helped reach out to the incoming freshmen and had multiple new sign ups, which is being reflected in the numbers.
  - o Growth of Girls' Wrestling program has helped bolster athletic numbers with a group of individuals this being the first athletic based activity they have participated in while in high school.
  - District Surveys will have a large piece asking the public and students what we should have available to our students which will help direct future growth while working with Superintendent Wendell Quesinberry.
- Student Retention in Activities Goal: On Going
  - Currently date collecting to set a benchmark for future implementation and growth.
  - Overall trend, both Girls and Boys Basketball have lost the most students from the previous year
    without addition of students to the program resulting in low numbers. Wrestling program has gained
    the most students both on the boys and girls side of the program when compared to the previous year
    without suffering any losses.
- Aid Community Education Program's Growth Goal: On Going
  - Currently continuing to work with Taylor Remington on needs, facility usage, and implementation of her program.
  - Continuing to date collect what classes are being offered when, while identifying community usage of the facility to better program facility usage in the future.
- Community Communication Goal: On Going
  - o Continuing to get feedback from community members on what needs to be improved.
  - Pushed the new Hatchet App, and rschool App at the parent meetings so parents will receive updates as they happen.
- Open-Line Communication Goal: On Going
  - Continue to work with Coaching Staffs on implementation of the Coaches Handbook, School Policies, and proper communication protocol.

- Available at all times for Coaches to come in and communicate. Continue to forward any information I
  receive email in regards to games, tournaments, or WIAA to them directly.
- <u>Coaches / Advisor Satisfaction Goal:</u> Currently above the goal for the 2024 2025 season. As of right now 87.5% of Fall coaches have communicated they plan on returning next season.
  - Continue with Head Coach evaluations and implementing the Open-Line Communication Goal so that our Coaches feel valued and their voices are heard.

# **Tomahawk High School:**

### **Boys' Basketball Update:**

- Current Record: 4 13 (0 7 Great Northern Conference)
- The Boys' Basketball team has sustained a multitude of injuries this season, along with schedule changes due to school cancellations, and recently sickness.
- The students continue to come to practice with good energy and work their tails off for Coach Neve no matter what adversity they are facing.

### Girls' Basketball Update:

- Current Record: 10 8 (4 4 Great Northern Conference)
- This is the program's most wins in the regular season since the 2002 2003 season (20+ Years) while also the most conference wins since that season.
- Claire Albert broke the school record for career assists in their game against Prentice this past week.

### **Boys' Hockey Update:**

- Raised over \$1000 for local Breast Cancer Charity during their Paint the Rink Pink Night.
- Jonah Dickens has broken the school career goals record.
- Currently ranked #1 in the Wisconsin Prep Hockey Coaches Poll
- Were featured again as the Wisconsin Prep Hockey Game of the Week when they hosted D1 #4 Ranked St. Mary's Springs Academy.

### **Boys' Swimming Update:**

- Current Record: 4 1 in the Great Northern Conference Dual Standings
- Conference Meet this Friday in Rhinelander followed by the WIAA Sectionals the following weekend in Ashwaubenon

#### **Wrestling Update:**

- Finished 5-0 in the GNC Dual Meet Portion of the Schedule, Conference Tournament on Saturday in Lakeland.
- Following week begins the WIAA Regionals with the Girls at Wausau West on Friday, and the Boys in Hayward on Saturday
- Boys won the Ashland Invite
- Girls placed 3rd at the Eau Claire North invite behind two D1 Minnesota High Schools.

### **Musical Update:**

• Continues to practice for their upcoming performances. Public performances will be on Friday March 7, Saturday March 8, and Sunday March 9 Matinee Performance

### **Student Council Update:**

• Held their Winter Bowl Dance on Saturday January 25. Landon Plantenberg and Tamara Stenberg were crowned King and Queen.

# **FBLA Update:**

- Competed in Edgar in the Regional Leadership Conference with 8 students: Freya Alberg, Galen Schmidt, Faith Derleth, Jennie Frederickson, Mathian Vojcik, and Lydia Shaney in person. Abbie Rosenmeier and Alli Palmer competed virtually at the competition.
- Mathian Vojcik finished 2nd place and qualified for the State Leadership Conference in Green Bay.
- The FBLA will also be attending the Milwaukee Bucks FBLA day festivities as a club to gain first hand experience of the inner workings of an NBA Front Office.

### **Forensics Update:**

• Continue to work on their individual and group pieces with competition season beginning this month.

## **Upcoming Dates - High School Activities (Home Events / WIAA Date):**

Fri. February 7 - Varsity Boys' Swimming @ Rhinelander (GNC Meet) - 5:00 PM

Fri. February 7 - JV/V Boys' Basketball v. Rhinelander - 5:45 PM / 7:15 PM (TSD Fieldhouse)

Sat. February 8 - Varsity Wrestling @ Lakeland (GNC Conference Meet) - 10:00 AM

Tues. February 11 - JV/V Girls' Basketball v. Lakeland - 5:45 PM / 7:15 PM (TSD Fieldhouse)

Tues. February 11 - Varsity Boys' Hockey v. Northland Pines (GNC Round 2) - 7:00 PM (Sara Park)

Wed. February 12 - FCCLA @ Regional Competition at Wausau West - 2:00 PM

Thurs. February 13 - School District of Tomahawk Showcase Night

Fri. February 14 - Varsity Girls Wrestling @ Wausau West - WIAA Regional - 5:00 PM

Fri. February 14 - JV/V Boys' Basketball v. Mosinee - 5:45 Pm / 7:15 PM (Fieldhouse)

Sat. February 15 - Varsity Wrestling @ Hayward - WIAA Regional - 10:00 AM

Sat. February 15 - Varsity Boys' Swimming @ Ashwaubenon - WIAA Sectional - 12:00 PM

Sat. February 15 - Varsity Hockey @ Rhinelander (GNC Round 3) - TBD

Tues. February 18 - JV/V Girls' Basketball v. Northland Lutheran - 5:45 Pm / 7:15 PM (TSD Fieldhouse)

Thurs. February 20 - Varsity Hockey v. TBD - WIAA Regional

Fri. February 21 - JV/V Boys' Basketball v. Medford - 5:45 PM / 7:15 PM

Fri. February 21 - Varsity Girls' Wrestling @ Shawano - WIAA Sectional - 6:00 PM

Fri. February 21 - Varsity Boys' Swimming @ Waukesha South - WIAA State - 5:00 PM

Sat. February 22 - Varsity Wrestling @ Amery - WIAA Sectional - 10:00 AM

Tues. February 25 - Varsity Hockey v. WIAA Sectional - TBD

Tues. February 25 - Varsity Girls' Basketball v. WIAA Regional - TBD

Thurs. February 27 - March 1 - Varsity Girls + Boys' Wrestling @ WIAA State Tournament - Madison

Fri. February 28 - Varsity Hockey v. WIAA Sectional - TBD

Fri February 28 - Varsity Girls' Basketball v. WIAA Regional - TBD

Sat. March 1 - Band / Choir @ Northland Pines High School - Solo / Ensemble Competition

Sat. March 1 - Varsity Girls' Basketball v. WIAA Regional Final - TBD

Tues. March 4 - Boys' Varsity Basketball v. WIAA Regional - TBD

Thurs. March 6 - Saturday March 8 - Varsity Hockey v. WIAA State - TBD

Fri. March 7 - Boys' Varsity Basketball v. WIAA Regional - TBD

Sat. March 8 - Boys' Varsity Basketball v. WIAA Regional Final - TBD

# **Tomahawk Middle School:**

### Girls' Basketball Update:

• Girls Basketball is at the midway point of their season. We were able to schedule 11 games for the girls.

## Wrestling Update:

• Season is off and going, have lost one meet to Cold Weather Snap and Closures

# **Forensics Update:**

• Level 2 Forensics Competition in Crandon to finish out their season

## **Upcoming Dates - Middle School Activities (Home Events):**

Thurs. February 6 - MS Girls' Basketball v. Rhinelander - 4:30 PM (HS Gym) Tues. February 18 - MS Girls' Basketball v. Marshfield - 4:30 PM Thurs. February 20 - MS Wrestling v. Invite - 4:15 PM (Fieldhouse) Sat. March 1 - Band / Choir @ Northland Pines High School - Solo / Ensemble Competition

As always, if you have any questions or need additional information, feel free to contact me at any time!

#### **GO HATCHETS!**

Report Respectfully Submitted by: Ryan Flynn Activities, Recreation, and Pool Director Tomahawk School District Work Phone: (715) 453 - 7112 Cell Phone: (715) 966 - 3953

Cell Phone: (715) 966 - 3953 Email: flynnr@myhatchets.org