

# March 2023 Activities Report

- **The winter sports seasons** have come to a close. Each team represented our school district nicely. We would especially like to congratulate the following individuals who were honored for their efforts:

## **Girls' Basketball**

Molly Wegner- IGCA Academic-All-State

Taylor Ries- 2nd Team NEIC All- Conference  
IGCA All-District

Ava Leichtman- 2nd Team NEIC All-Conference

## **Boys' Basketball**

Cael Laures - 2nd Team NEIC All-Conference

## **Wrestling**

Braden McShane                      1st place at state (215 lbs.)

Karson Kolbet                        5th place at state (157 lbs.)

## **Bowling**

The initial B/G bowling teams completed a successful season. The season ended with regional meets held at Bowlaway Lanes in New Hampton on 2/12 and 2/13. Jamison Porath competed as an individual at the State Bowling meet in Waterloo on 2/20.

**Spring Sports** are now underway.

**Boys' and girls' track** - The girls' have 26 participants and the boys have 24 participants. This year we will host track meets on the following dates: April 11th, April 15th, and April 29th.

**Girls' and Boys' Golf/Soccer** all started on March 11th.

- Girls golf - 7 participants
  - Boys golf - 12 participants
  - Girls soccer - 25 participants
  - Boys soccer - 14 participants
  - Esports - 8 participants
- **Trapshooting** started on March 1st.

- The **Parade of Bands** was held on March 11th.
- **Individual Speech Contest**  
Individual speech students performed at districts in Mason City on Saturday, February 24th. We had 6 out of 10 events make it to state individual speech that was held at Hampton-Dumont on Saturday March 9, 2024.
  - Skyler Bugenhagen received an overall district 1 rating in poetry, earning two ones and a two from the three judges.
  - Karla Pickar received an overall district 2 rating in poetry, earning one one and two twos from the judges.
  - Karla Pickar also received an overall district 2 rating in radio news broadcasting, earning three twos from the judges.
  - Brooke Vestel received an overall district 2 rating in literary program, earning three twos from the judges.
  - Beth Pickar also made it to state for Storytelling, but did not perform due to a scheduling conflict with FFA districts.
- The **Jazz Band** held a jazz dessert concert on March 1, 2024 at 7:00 PM in the middle school cafeteria.
- The **Variety Show** will be held on Friday, May 3, 2024 starting at 7:00 PM.
- The **High School Spring Play** will be held on Friday, April 19th and Saturday April 20th, 2024 starting at 7:00 PM.

**Volunteer Coaches.**

- Jeff Monteith shared that she would like to have the following people serve as volunteer soccer coaches:
  - David Coltrain - folder #992208

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