



# NEW HAMPTON HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES DEPARTMENT

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## Activities Report September 2024

### CROSS COUNTRY

- So far this season, the boys & girls cross country teams have ran at Oelwein, Waverly-Shell Rock, and Decorah.
- New Hampton will host our own cross country meet on October 10 at Plum Creek Golf Course in Fredericksburg.
- The NEIC conference meet will be hosted by Decorah at Oneota Golf and Country Club on October 15.

### FOOTBALL

- The football teams have played Denver, Clear Lake, and MFL MarMac this season.
- The football team will play Oelwein for our Homecoming game. Organized by Student Senate, the Homecoming theme is “We’re Kind of a Big Deal!”

### VOLLEYBALL

- The volleyball team hosted our 40th annual varsity tournament on September 7 as well as our JV tournament on September 14.
- Senior Night will be on September 19.

### FALL PLAY

- Practices have started for the fall play entitled “Chickenheart from Pioneer Drama Services” and will be performed on November 16 and 17.

### MUSIC

- All-State Chorus and Band auditions will be on October 26 at Hampton-Dumont.

### CULTURE & SPIRIT

- IHSAA Executive Director Tom Keating commended New Hampton for being in the “good 50%” of Iowa high schools that had no coach or student-athlete ejections last year. Also, NEIC announced that New Hampton ranked #1 overall of all conference schools in the 2023-2024 sportsmanship ratings.
- Character development and our H.E.A.R.T. initiative continues with “Mac’s Monday Morning Minute Message,” et al.

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