

NEW HAMPTON HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES DEPARTMENT

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Activities Report March 2025

ATHLETICS

- With the start of all spring sport practices, the winter sports season is finished and the following student-athletes earned postseason honors:
 - Boys Basketball: Caden Rochford All-Conference 2nd Team
 - Girls Basketball: Ava Leichtman All-Conference 1st Team; Cora Schwickerath All-Conference 2nd Team
 - Boys Bowling: Jamison Porath All-State 1st Team & All-District 1st Team; Kody Kleen All-District 1st Team; Landon Marr All-District 2nd Team (Coach Andrew Aries District Coach of the Year)
 - Boys Wrestling: Carter Cajthaml State Runner-Up (132); Jayden Bucknell 8th Placewinner (138)
 - Girls Wrestling: Sophie Glaser State 7th Placewinner (130); Ava Trende State 7th Placewinner (235)

FINE ARTS & SPEECH

- The following students earned I ratings at individual speech competition on March 1 and advanced to state competition on March 15 (TBA): Skyler Bugenhagen: Acting & Solo Musical Theatre; Aleah Eichenberger: Poetry; Sydney Laures: Original Oratory; Maddi Malta: Acting; Beth Pickar: Literary Program & Poetry; Karla Pickar: Radio News Announcing & Storytelling; Josi Singewald: Storytelling.
- Several band students played in the Dorian Honor Band at Luther College on March 3 and performed at the Jazz Dessert Show on March 7 as well as the NEIBA Jazz Festival on March 8.
- Practices continue for the spring play entitled "Murder by Indecision" and will be performed on April 11 and 12.

DANCE

• Kylee Junk and Madi Shawver were selected for the All-lowa Honor dance team and performed at the girls state basketball tournament on March 7-8.

FFA & CTSO'S

- The following students earned gold at district competition on March 8: "Job Interview Beth Pickar; "Experience the Action" Kaidance Hall, Alexa Mashek, Brooklyn McShane, Braelyn Rosonke, Carrie Schwickerath.
- Tanner Hubka earned 2nd place at the iJAG state career conference competition on March 3.

STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

• Several students have made significant increases in their maximums in our new curriculum-based S & C program.

BUDGET & FACILITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

• The General Athletics balance is healthy at \$12,163.68 while all projects are proceeding as scheduled.

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