# February 2023 Activities Report

### **Large Group Speech Contest**

Large Group Speech Event participants performed at the District competition held at Turkey Valley High School on Saturday, January 21st. The five groups receiving a district 1 rating and moving on to State contest on Saturday, February 4, are:

- Choral Reading Grace Baker, Emily Manweiler, Beth Pickar, Izabel Willadsen, and Kaydence Zack
- Ensemble Acting Miranda Buckley, Natalie Hidding, and Catherine Pethoud
- Group Improv Miranda Buckley, Annala Elliott, Syd Hyer, and Izabel Willadsen
- Group Improv Madi Dreckman, Catherine Pethoud, and Caydence Phillips
- Radio Broadcasting Cam McMorris and Lee Reicks

The three groups who received a district two rating are:

- Readers' Theatre Grace Baker, Piper Hackman, Jarrin Robinson, and Shelby Springer
- Ensemble Acting Elleri Eike, Karla Pickar, Jarrin Robinson, and Shelby Springer
- Group Improv Piper Hackman, Tanner Hubka, Xander Meyerhoff, and Easton Monteith

# Speech results from State on Saturday, February 4, 2023 at Waterloo West HS:

Three groups received two district one ratings and one district two rating, therefore receiving an overall one rating:

- Group Improv Madi Dreckman, Catherine Pethoud, and Caydence Phillips
- Group Improy Miranda Buckley, Annala Elliott, Syd Hyer, and Izabel Willadsen
- Radio Broadcasting 88.9 KNIA Cam McMorris and Lee Reicks

One group received one district one rating and two district two ratings, therefore receiving an overall two rating:

• Choral Reading - "Learning to Let Go" - Grace Baker, Emily Manweiler, Beth Pickar, Izabel Willadsen, and Kaydence Zack

One group received three district two ratings and therefore an overall two rating:

• Ensemble Acting - "91366" - Miranda Buckley, Natalie Hidding, and Catherine Pethoud

#### **Individual Speech Contest**

Individual Speech Event participants will be performing at the District competition to be held at Decorah HS on Saturday, February 25<sup>th</sup>. Those qualifying for the State Individual Events Contest will perform at Starmont HS on Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup>.

## **Spring Sports**

Girls' & Boys' track and field starts on February 20th
Trap Shooting starts March 2nd
Girls' golf starts on March 13<sup>th</sup>/Boys' golf starts on March 13<sup>th</sup>/Soccer starts on March 13th

#### **High School Variety Show**

The High School Variety Show will be held on Thursday, March 30th at 7:00 p.m. in the MS gym.

#### Parade of Bands

Middle school & high school Parade of Bands will be held on Monday, March 6th at 7:00 p.m. in the HS gym.

# Female wrestlers who made it to state:

Keira Myers at 140 - 4th place (State Qualifier)
Ali Russler at 145 - 1st place (State Qualifier) \*PLACED 3rd AT STATE
Aleah Eichenberger at 170 - 4th place (State Qualifier)

# Male wrestlers who made it to state:

Peyton Anderson at 138 Karson Kolbet at 160 Ben Tenge at 170 Braden McShane at 220

**Girls' Basketball** lost in the first round of postseason play on Saturday, February 11th to Monticello 37-74.

**Girls' Bowling** participated in the district meet at Legacy Lanes in Monticello on Monday, February 13th. **Boys' Bowling** participated in the district meet at Legacy Lanes in Monticello on Tuesday, February 14th.

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