

October 2023 Activities Report

CROSS COUNTRY

- The 2023 New Hampton Cross-Country Meet was held on Thursday, October 5th at Plum Creek Golf Course in Fredericksburg. There were 441 registered runners. It was a very successful meet.

VOLLEYBALL

- The first 2 rounds of the Varsity NEIC Volleyball Tournament will be hosted by New Hampton on Thursday, October 12th. Play begins at 6:00 PM. The final 3 rounds will be played at Charles on Saturday, October 14th starting at 9:00 AM.
- The first round of the 2023 Regional Volleyball Tournament will be held at New Hampton on Tuesday, October 17th at 7:00 p.m. The Chickasaws will be playing against Hampton-Dumont. The second round will be held at New Hampton on October 19th with the final round held on October 24th at a site to be determined.

FOOTBALL

- The varsity football team hosted Waukon on Friday, October 13th for their senior parent's night and final game of the regular season. They will open state playoffs on Friday, October 20th.

CHEERLEADING

- The 2023 football cheerleaders have been busy this fall with many community events. Their 2023 Mini Cheerleader clinic had a record 103 students K-8 from both the public school and St. Joe's in attendance. The mini cheerleaders performed at a football pre game in front of the home crowd. This clinic raised almost \$3,000 for the cheer account to help pay for new wrestling cheer uniforms. These uniforms have been designed and ready to purchase. The cheerleaders will also be starting a new tradition- Senior Impact. They will be writing a letter and giving a special cheer bow to a teacher who has helped make an impact on them. As we all know, success on the field doesn't just come from a coach, it takes a village and the classroom teachers are a big part of that village. Coach Lewis appreciates all the time and effort put in by the teachers to help these students be well rounded individuals in both academics and extracurriculars. The cheerleaders are also competing at two competitions in the upcoming weeks, the Triton Challenge at Iowa Central Community College and the Iowa High School Cheerleading State Competition at the Iowa State Fairgrounds. All are welcome to travel and cheer on the cheerleaders!

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