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June 2026 - Activities Director Board Report

Tomahawk High School:

As we wrap up and put a bow on the 2025 - 2026 school year, the focus has already begun to shift to the upcoming 2026 - 2027 school year and solidifying we are off to another great start for when our students return. When I reflect on this past year, we again can look at a lot of success throughout the Activities Department. We won our first conference football title since 1989, hockey continued their success with their 3rd straight conference title, the One-Act play continued their streak of qualifying for the State Theatre Competition, and we also had multiple conference players of the year recognized along with individual conference championships individually. The graduating Class of 2026 will be greatly missed within our halls, overall as a class, they truly drove the successes both academically and in activities for our school. I often view them as the core to the renaissance that has occurred and their leadership will leave a legacy for the classes to come.

Spring sports are all but wrapped up this week. We again have state qualifiers noted below for the WIAA State Track and Field meet, along with our golf team reaching the team sectional round for the first time in many years.

Items to Note for 2026 - 2027:

- All Activities within the Activities Department will begin to utilize **SportsYou App** in the 2026 - 2027 School Year. Students, parents, and parties of interest will receive codes to sign up for their specific activity to improve the communication from the District with all parties involved.
- Athletic scheduling will now be completed through Arbiter as rschool has been bought by that company.
 - <https://www.arbiterlive.com/Teams?entityId=23522>
 - There will be some growing pains for all schools associated with the WIAA for this change. We will utilize SportsYou and other forms of communication throughout the year as this new process is learned and implemented statewide.
- High School Fall Sports / Parent Meeting - Monday August 3, 2026 - 6:00 PM - TSD Auditorium

Baseball:

- Finished 9 - 11 Overall (7- 7 GNC - 5th Place)
 - Baseball was around .500 the entire season, our nonconference SOS was noticeable when compared regionally (2nd Highest in Sectional)
 - All-Conference Honors:
 - 1st Team: Cash Olsen (Infielder) and Wally Horabik (Outfielder)
 - HM: Jonah Dickens (Outfielder) and Nick Arndt (Infielder)

Golf:

- Finished 5th place in GNC - WIAA Division 2 Sectional Qualifier
 - Finished 3rd @ WIAA Rice Lake Regional to advance as a team
 - All-Conference Honors:
 - 2nd Team: Jake Albert
 - HM: Oliver Childers

Softball:

- Finished 12 - 12 Overall (6 - 8 GNC - 5th Place)
 - Similar story to the baseball team this spring. Softball played around .500 all spring. Lost in the 1st round of the WIAA Tournament Series to Prescott High School who is currently in the Sectional Finals with a trip to state on the line.

- All-Conference Honors:
 - 1st Team: Averi Petta (Outfield)
 - 2nd Team: Camryn Kraklow (Pitcher)
 - HM: Autumn Merrigan (Utility) and Aubrey Seubert (Catcher)

Track and Field:

- Boys Finished 6th Place and Girls Finished 2nd Place in GNC
 - All-Conference Honors:
 - Girls Runner of the Year: Elise Gibeault
 - 1st Team: Elise Gibeault (100m, 200m, 400m (New Conference Record)), 4x100m Relay (Siannah Calkins, Aliyah Nelson, Alicia Voermans, Ellie Micke), Ellie Micke (High Jump), Siannah Calkins (Triple Jump)
 - 2nd Team: Lauren Riebe (300m Hurdles) and Alicia Voermans (Pole Vault)
 - HM: Beau Stromberg (High Jump), Alicia Voermans (100m), 4x200m Relay Team (Siannah Calkins, Ellie Micke, Lauren Riebe, Aliyah Nelson), 4x800m Relay Team (Faith Derleth, Lydia Shaney, Norah Mann, Abbie Rosenmeier)
 - WIAA Sectional Qualifiers
 - Connor Zorn - 100m and Long Jump
 - Beau Stromberg - 400m
 - Alicia Voermans - 100m and Pole Vault
 - Elise Gibeault - 200m and 400m
 - Faith Derleth - 400m
 - Lauren Riebe - 300m Hurdles
 - Ellie Micke - High Jump
 - Siannah Calkins - Triple Jump
 - WIAA Division 2 State Qualifiers
 - Elise Gibeault - 200m and 400m
 - Ellie Micke - High Jump

UPCOMING HIGH SCHOOL DATES:

Weight Room Open Monday - Friday: 6:30 AM - 9:00 AM and Monday - Thursday: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM
 Monday August 3 - High School Fall Sports Parent Meeting - 6:00 PM (TSD Auditorium)
 Tuesday August 4 - 1st Day of Football Practice
 Tuesday August 11 - 1st Day of Girls Swimming Practice
 Monday August 17 - 1st Day of Cross Country Practice
 Monday August 17 - 1st Day of Volleyball Practice

Tomahawk Middle School:

UPCOMING HOME MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENTS:

Weight Room Open Monday - Thursday: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM
 Monday August 10 - 1st Day of Football Practice
 Monday August 10 - Middle School Fall Sports Parent Meeting - 6:00 PM (TSD Auditorium)
 Thursday August 20 - 1st Day of Cross Country Practice
 Monday August 24 - 1st Day of Girls Swimming Practice
 Monday August 24 - 1st Day of Volleyball Practice.

Lastly, I always like to thank and recognize the individuals that have gone above and beyond for our students outside of their daily jobs or contract hours to truly give our students a wonderful experience while at The School District of Tomahawk. The following individuals have resigned from their positions or retired, but their efforts for these students provide invaluable moments that are not possible without them. A big Hatchet Thank You to: Nichole Scholz (MS Volleyball), Amber Troutman (MS Volleyball), Raleigh Jahn (MS

Football), Eric Neve (MS Football), Michele Balda (Drama Department), Stephanie Ahrens (HS Cross Country), Ava Magee (HS Girls Swimming), Keith Hanse (HS Volleyball), and Nate Mickelson (HS Wrestling) for everything they have provided.

We also would like to Welcome the new staff in place for the upcoming 2026 - 2027 season: Morgan Ernst (MS Volleyball), Gina LeTempt (MS Volleyball), Kaylie Svacina (MS Swimming), Megan Backes (HS Swimming), Mike Krich (MS Football), John Duplayee (MS Football), Kasie Holt (HS Volleyball).

As always, thank you everyone for your time and efforts in representing our district and giving our students better opportunities of growth as they attend our schools. Remember, I have an open-door policy and you are always more than welcome to stop by or call in regards to anything Activities related in the school district.

GO HATCHETS!

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