

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
UMATILLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 8R, HERMISTON**

There will be a Special Meeting of the  
Board of Education of the Umatilla County School District 8R  
at Hermiston School District Offices  
Boardroom  
305 S.W. 11th Street.  
Hermiston, Oregon 97838  
Monday, August 22, 2022, 6:30 PM

**Briana Cortaberria**  
Executive Assistant to the  
Superintendent and Board of Education

**AGENDA**

1. **CALL TO ORDER SPECIAL MEETING\* (6:30 p.m.)** *Chair Goller*
2. **INTRODUCTORY ITEMS (6:30 p.m.)** *Chair Goller*
  1. Pledge of Allegiance
  2. Adoption of Agenda 3
3. **PRESENTATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS (6:35 p.m.)**
  1. Bond Projects Update *Mr. Rogers*
4. **REPORTS (6:55 p.m.)**
  1. Board of Education *Chair Goller*  
**Board of Education Goals**
    1. Academic Achievement. Schools will demonstrate continuous improvement in all measured areas for each student.
    2. Stewardship. Maintain sound fiscal stewardship of community resources consistent with board policy.
    3. Community. Schools will provide specific community outreach, at least twice annually, in culturally relevant ways to encourage parent/guardian partnerships in advancing student achievement.
  2. Superintendent's Office *Dr. Mooney*
5. **STUDY ITEMS (7:10 p.m.)**
  1. Athletic Success Coach Report *Mr. Usher* 4
6. **PUBLIC COMMENTS (7:40 p.m.)** *Chair Goller* 15

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**7. CONSENT ITEMS\*\* (7:50 p.m.)**

1. Human Resources Department

1. Personnel Appointments

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2. Personnel Resignations

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**8. CALENDAR/FUTURE ITEMS (7:55 p.m.)**

1. Future Agenda Item Discussion *Mr. Goller*

2. Calendar Review *Ms. Cortaberria*

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**9. ADJOURN (8:00 p.m.)**

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**SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION**

**2.0 INTRODUCTORY ITEMS**

**2.2 TOPIC:** Adoption of the Agenda

It is recommended. . . . .

**RECOMMENDATION:**

. . . . . that the Board of Education adopts the agenda as presented.



# CELEBRATE SUCCESS



## CADEN HOTTMAN



**EASTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY**

**TRACK**



## SAM CADENAS

**EASTERN OREGON UNIVERSITY**

**FOOTBALL**



## BRIAN NAVA

**BLUE MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**TIMBERWOLVES**

**SOCCER**



## KAM BAKER

**LOWER COLUMBIA Community College**

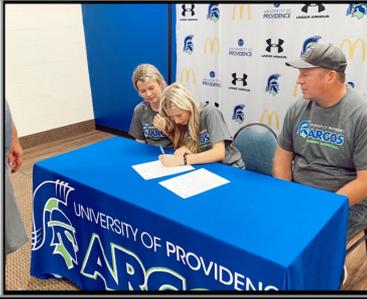
**VOLLEYBALL**



## KATE HEIDEMAN

**UNIVERSITY OF PROVIDENCE**

**BASKETBALL**



## BAILEY YOUNG



**EASTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY**

**TRACK**



THIS IS WHERE RECRUITING BATTLES ARE WON!

# COLLEGE SIGNED ATHLETES



# 2021 2022

Athlete	Sport	College
Hunter Dyer	Wrestling	University of Providence
Gracia Vertrees	Volleyball	Blue Mountain Community College
Katalyn Heldeman	Basketball	University of Providence
Chase Elliott	Baseball	Mount Hood Community College
Kam Baker	Volleyball	Lower Columbia Community College
Vinny Trevino	Lacrosse	Newberry College
Bailey Young	Track	Eastern Washington University
Myckayla Shaver	Volleyball	Blue Mountain Community College
Sydney Seavert	Soccer	Ottawa University
Sam Suarez Cadenas	Football	Eastern Oregon State University
Caden Holtman	Track	Washington State University
Kael Holtman	Football	South Dakota School of the Mines
T'Lee Burk	Dance	Oklahoma City University
McKenna Christensen	Softball	Missouri Valley College
Mattheon Christensen	Softball	Southern Virginia University
Kylee Dickman	Track	Bushnell University
Andrew Guerrero	Lacrosse	Adams State University
Grant Anderson	X-Country	Carban University
Anahl Avila	Soccer	Blue Mountain Community College
Careon Bradshaw	Lacrosse	Rockhurst University
Callin Anderholm	Soccer	Green River College
Jesse Vasey	Wrestling	Eastern Oregon State University
Thomas Raegan	Football	Lewis & Clark (Portland, OR)
Lindsey Pasena Littlesky	Soccer	Whitman College
Ezela Sepent	Wrestling	Oklahoma City University
Brian Nava	Soccer	Blue Mountain Community College
Anthony Villegas	Soccer	Pacific Northwest Christian College

## GO DAWGS!





**2 - NCAA Division I**  
**4 - NCAA Division II**  
**3 - NCAA Division III**

**10 - NAIA**

**8 - Community College**





**14 Women**

**13 Men**





# WOMEN SPORTS

- 3 - Volleyball
- 2 - Track
- 2 - Softball
- 1 - Wrestling
- 1 - Basketball
- 1 - Dance
- 4 - Soccer

# MEN SPORTS

- 2- Soccer
- 1 - Track
- 1 - Baseball
- 2 - Wrestling
- 3 - Lacrosse
- 3 - Football
- 1 - Cross Country





**Estimated Value**

**\$810,000**





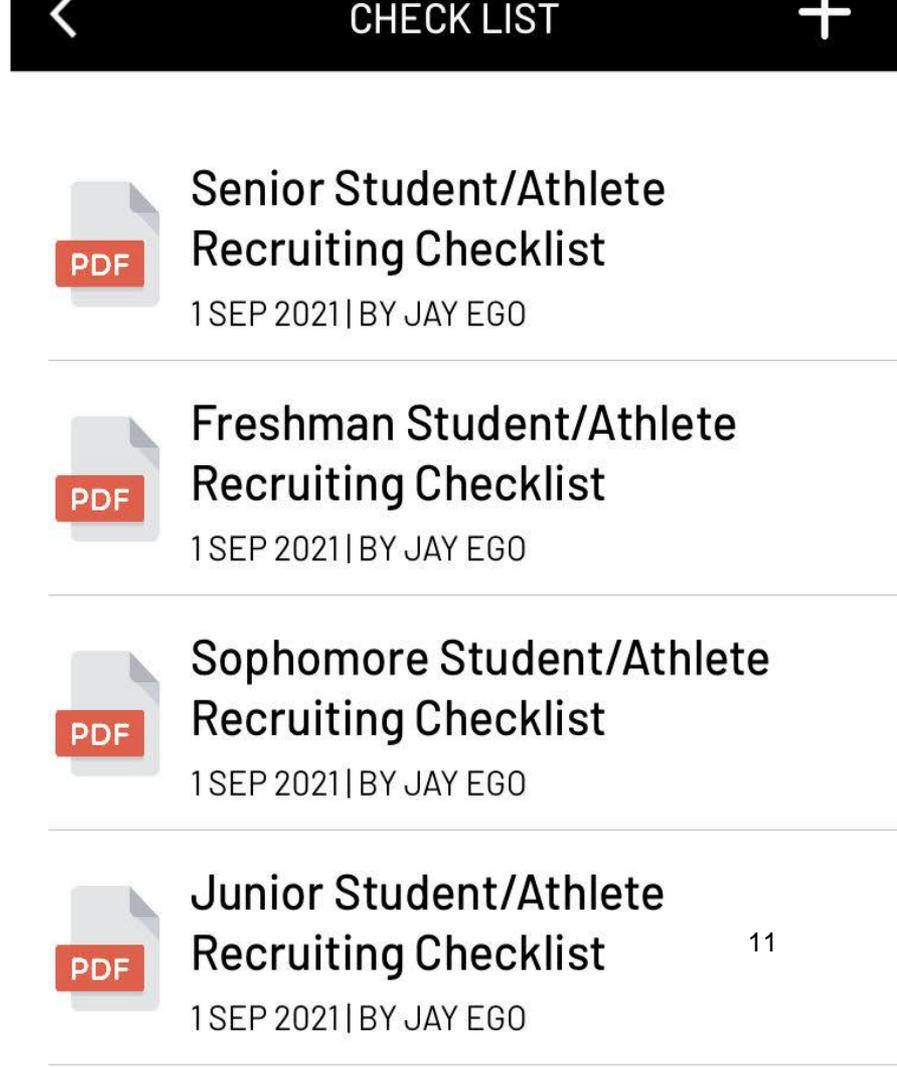
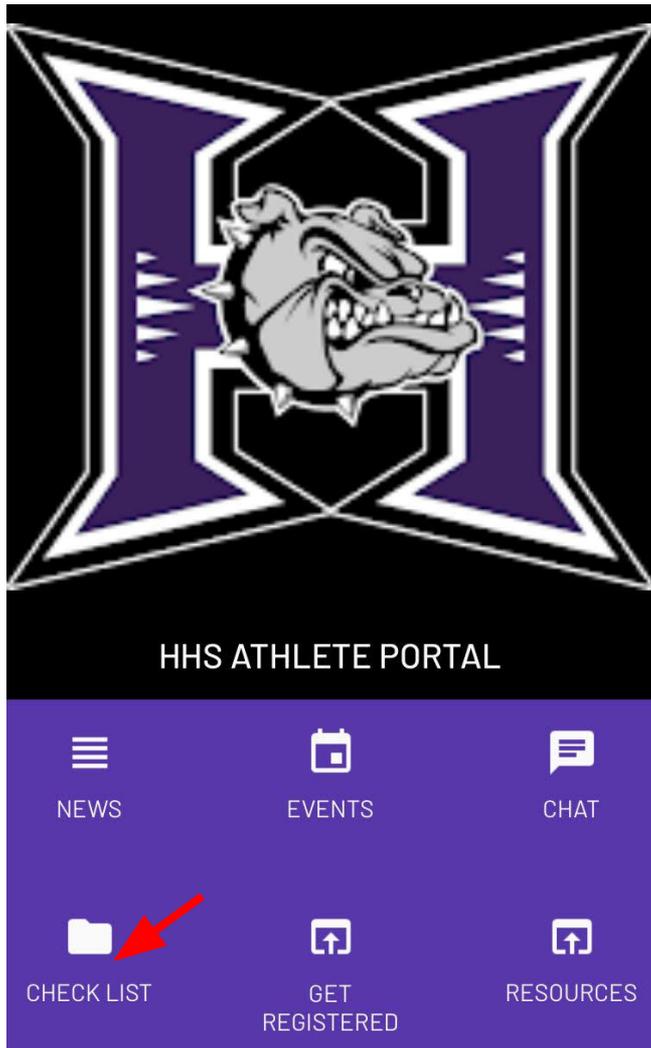
# TEAM APP



[teamapp.com](https://teamapp.com)

add - HHS Athlete Portal







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# JUNIOR

## Student/Athlete Recruiting Checklist

### Academic

#### Fall

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- Begin ACT and SAT preparation
- Download NCAA Guide for the College Bound Student/Athlete - look for rule changes.
  - [http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/eligibility\\_center/Student\\_Resources/CBSA.pdf](http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/eligibility_center/Student_Resources/CBSA.pdf)
- Download NAIA Guide for the College Bound Student/Athlete - look for rule changes.
  - [https://play.mynaia.org/media/1091/naia\\_guide\\_college\\_bound\\_student.pdf](https://play.mynaia.org/media/1091/naia_guide_college_bound_student.pdf)
- Read and understand the NCAA core course worksheet to review progress and be sure course requirements are being met.
  - [http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/eligibility\\_center/DI\\_and\\_DII\\_Worksheet.pdf](http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/eligibility_center/DI_and_DII_Worksheet.pdf)
- Meet with your HS counselor to discuss:
  - your interest in playing college athletics.
  - review your core curriculum to make sure it matches with the NCAA approved core courses.
- Narrow down the list of colleges you would like to pursue
  - Consider course major offerings
  - Consider location/region
  - Consider level of play (DI, DII, DIII, NAIA, Community College)
- Register with the NCAA Eligibility Center (if you have not done so already)
  - <https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>
- Register with the NAIA Eligibility Center (if you have not done so already)
  - <https://play.mynaia.org/>
- Begin NCAA amateurism certification process
  - [http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/eligibility\\_center/Student\\_Resources/How\\_to\\_Reqest\\_Final\\_Amateurism\\_Certification.pdf](http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/eligibility_center/Student_Resources/How_to_Reqest_Final_Amateurism_Certification.pdf)

#### Winter

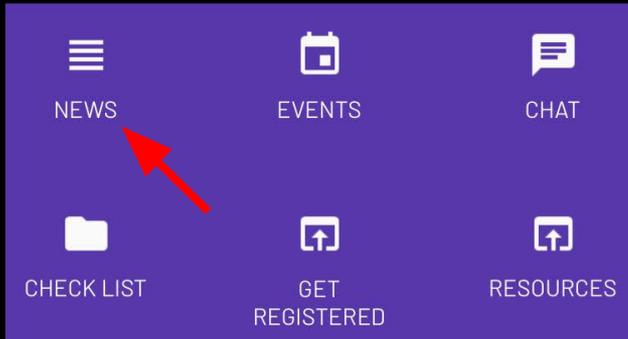
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- Take the ACT and/or SAT
  - Request test score be sent to the NCAA Eligibility Center





## HHS ATHLETE PORTAL



# NEWS

## How Do You Know You're Being Recruited? (VIDEO)

6 May by jay ego



## Questions College Coaches HATE Getting Asked by Athletes (VIDEO)

5 May by jay ego



## 23 HHS College Signed Athletes and Counting

28 Apr by jay ego



## The Important Role of Highlight and Skills Videos in Recruiting



## HHS ATHLETE PORTAL

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NCAA DIII INFO

NAIA INFO

COM COL INFO

FORMS

HHS COUNSELING

## HHS ATHLETE PORTAL



Welcome to the Hermiston High School/College Sports recruiting portal. This is where you will find the information you will need to assist you with the recruiting process



Get The Team App Here

Get the process started by registering on the HHS Portal below. This is free to HHS student/athletes.

**HHS ATHLETE RECRUITING PORTAL REGISTRATION FORM** (CLICK HERE)

Consider creating a profile on **FIELD LEVEL**.

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**PUBLIC COMMENT GUIDELINES**

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**ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION**

**7.1 CONSENT:** Human Resources Department

**7.1.1 TOPIC:** Personnel Appointment

It is recommended. . . . .

**RECOMMENDATION:**

. . . . . that the Board of Education approves the appointment of the following employees:

Alberta Alatorre	Custodian	Hermiston High School
Alyxas Bonney-Stefani	Special Education Assistant	West Park Elementary
Bree Broyles	Special Education Assistant	Armand Larive Middle
Tyra Carter	Special Education Assistant	West Park Elementary
Lisa Close-McGraw	Grade 6 Teacher	Sandstone Middle School
Brittany Comer	Special Education Assistant	Armand Larive Middle
Sally Leon	English Language Learners Assistant	Armand Larive Middle
Robert Marshall III	Science Teacher	Hermiston High School
Raquel Palacios Flores	Custodian	Rocky Heights Elementary
Joanna Pavana	Special Education Assistant	Hermiston High School
Benjamin Sanchez Castro	Custodian	Armand Larive Middle
Stephanie Thongdy	Operations Secretary	District Office
Jessica Wallis	Special Education Assistant	Hermiston High School

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**ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION**

**7.1 CONSENT:** Human Resources Department

**7.1.2 TOPIC:** Personnel Resignation

It is recommended. . . . .

**RECOMMENDATION:**

. . . . . that the Board of Education approves the resignation of the following employees:

Anna Reuter

Science Teacher

Hermiston High School

## Board Members, HHS Athletics

Mon Aug 22, 2022

### 6:30pm - 8:30pm Board Special Meeting

**Where:** Hermiston School District, 305 SW 11th St, Hermiston, OR 97838, USA  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Wed Aug 24, 2022

### 7:30am - 9am All Staff In-service

**Where:** Kennison Field, 600 S 1st St, Hermiston, OR 97838, USA  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Thu Aug 25, 2022

### All day MS & HHS Open House Placeholder

Thu Aug 25, 2022  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

### 5:30pm - 6:30pm Middle School Open House

**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

### 6pm - 7:30pm HHS Open House

**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Mon Aug 29, 2022

### All day 6-12 First Day of School

Mon Aug 29, 2022  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Tue Aug 30, 2022

### 6pm - 8pm RH Ribbon Cutting & Open House Placeholder

**Where:** Rocky Heights Elementary School, 650 W Standard Ave, Hermiston, OR 97838, USA  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Wed Aug 31, 2022

### 3:30pm - 7:30pm Elementary Open Houses

**Where:** The buildings  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

### 6pm - 8pm LVES Ribbon Cutting & Open House Placeholder

**Where:** 2095 NE 10th St, Hermiston, OR 97838, USA  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Fri Sep 2, 2022

### All day Football vs Hanford

Fri Sep 2, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

Sat Sep 3, 2022

### All day G Soccer @ Hanford

Sat Sep 3, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

## Board Members, HHS Athletics

Tue Sep 6, 2022

### All day G Soccer @ Pasco

Tue Sep 6, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

### All day K-5 First Day of School

Tue Sep 6, 2022  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

### All day Volleyball vs Kamiakin

Tue Sep 6, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

### 8am - 9am Board Finance Meeting

**Where:** District Office  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Wed Sep 7, 2022

### 7:30am - 8:30am Board Agenda Review

**Where:** District Office  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Thu Sep 8, 2022

### All day G Soccer vs Chiawana

Thu Sep 8, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
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### All day Volleyball @ Richland

Thu Sep 8, 2022  
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Fri Sep 9, 2022

### All day Football @ Richland

Fri Sep 9, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

Mon Sep 12, 2022

### 6:30pm - 8:30pm Board Regular Meeting

**Where:** Hermiston School District, 305 SW 11th St, Hermiston, OR 97838, USA  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Tue Sep 13, 2022

### All day Volleyball vs Kennewick

Tue Sep 13, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

### 8am - 8:30am KOHU Odds & Ends Show

**Where:** KOHU  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria  
**Who:** Tricia Mooney, kohunews@gmail.com

## Board Members, HHS Athletics

Wed Sep 14, 2022

### 7:30am - 8:30am Board Meeting Debrief

**Where:** DO  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Thu Sep 15, 2022

### All day G Soccer vs Richland

Thu Sep 15, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

### All day Volleyball @ Walla Walla

Thu Sep 15, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

### 7am - 8am HAT Morning Meeting

**Where:** DO Boardroom  
**Calendar:** Board Members  
**Created by:** Briana Cortaberria

Fri Sep 16, 2022

### All day Football vs Walla Walla

Fri Sep 16, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

Sat Sep 17, 2022

### All day G Soccer vs Kennewick

Sat Sep 17, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

Tue Sep 20, 2022

### All day G Soccer @ Southridge

Tue Sep 20, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

### All day Volleyball vs Pasco

Tue Sep 20, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

Thu Sep 22, 2022

### All day Football @ Southridge

Thu Sep 22, 2022  
**Calendar:** HHS Athletics  
**Created by:** Vickie Paola

### All day G Soccer vs Walla Walla

Thu Sep 22, 2022  
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### All day Volleyball @ Hanford

Thu Sep 22, 2022  
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7	8 ● 6:30pm - Board Regular Meeting @	9 ● 8am - KOHU Odds & Ends Show @	10 ● 7:30am - Board Meeting Debrief @ DO	11	12	13
14	15 ● 7:30am - New Teacher Welcome @	16	17 ● 11:30am - Sub Luncheon @	18	19	20
21	22 ● 6:30pm - Board Special Meeting @	23	24 ● 7:30am - All Staff In-service @	25 MS & HHS Open House Placeholder 5:30pm - Middle School Open House 6pm - HHS Open House	26	27
28 6-12 First Day of School	29 ● 6pm - RH Ribbon Cutting & Open	30	31 3:30pm - Elementary Open Houses @ The ● 6pm - LVES Ribbon Cutting & Open	1	2 Football vs Hanford	3 G Soccer @ Hanford

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28	29	30	31	1	2	3
	6-12 First Day of School	6pm - RH Ribbon Cutting & Open	3:30pm - Elementary Open Houses @ The 6pm - LVES Ribbon Cutting & Open		Football vs Hanford	G Soccer @ Hanford
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		G Soccer @ Southridge Volleyball vs Pasco		Football @ Southridge G Soccer vs Walla Walla Volleyball @ Hanford		G Soccer @ Kamiakin
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4 G Soccer @ Chiawana Volleyball @ Chiawana ● 8am - Board Finance Meeting @	5 ● 7:30am - Board Agenda Review @	6 Volleyball vs Kamiakin	7 Football vs Chiawana Homecoming Football Game	8 Volleyball vs Richland
9	10 ● 6:30pm - Board Regular Meeting @	11 G Soccer @ Richland Volleyball @ Kennewick ● 8am - KOHU Odds & Ends Show @	12 ● 7:30am - Board Meeting Debrief @ DO	13 G Soccer @ Kennewick Volleyball vs Walla Walla	14 Football @ Kamiakin	15 G Soccer vs Southridge
16	17 ● 6pm - Listening & Learning Session @	18 G Soccer @ Walla Walla Volleyball @ Pasco	19	20 G Soccer vs Kamiakin (Senior Night) Volleyball vs Hanford 7am - HAT Morning Meeting @ DO	21 Football Senior Night Football vs Pasco (Senior Night)	22 Volleyball @ Southridge
23	24 ● 6:30pm - Board Special Meeting @	25	26 ● 6pm - Think Big Space Ribbon Cutting	27 Volleyball vs Chiawana (Senior Night)	28 Football @ Kennewick	29