

Student Representative Report

School Board Meeting

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1. Sports and Activities

- a. Dance: The dance team has been approved for contact kick and will be choreographing their kick dance in the near future. Their first competition will be at River Falls on the 16th of January in which they will be performing their pom dance. It has been a great season so far for them, and they can't wait to see what the rest of their season brings.
- b. Swim: Boys swim had a very successful meet on Tuesday against Superior. They defeated Superior 97-66! sd took first place finishes in almost every event; including Dylan Norby in diving, Kody Kazmarek in the 200 free, and Kevin Leach in the 500 free.
- c. The boys and girls Cross Country team were awarded for being outstanding students, with both teams earning Team Academic All-State Awards. To qualify for the award, the team has to compete at the State Meet and have an average GPA of 3.5 or higher for their top 5 GPAs. The girls had the 4th highest GPA of the D1 State teams with an average of 3.95, while the boys topped the list with a 3.99 average, which was actually the highest boys average in not only D1, but all divisions! Also, Adam Topper was named Cross Country District 3 Boys Coach of the Year by the Wisconsin Cross Country Coaches Association. This is his third time winning the award over the past 17 years.
- d. Boys Basketball: The JV2 boys basketball team has been quarantined until this Tuesday in which they are excited to start their season back up again!
- e. Musical: This year's musical is School House Rock Live! This is ironic because the whole musical is going to be virtual. The cast is working hard on memorizing their lines, music, and choreography with virtual lessons! Performances are February 26th, 27th, 28th and March 4th, 5th, and 6th in a virtual format! For more information check out the musical's page on the Menomonie High School website.
- f. DECA has started their competition season! The district conference (which is normally held at UW-Stout) has been moved to a virtual setting for the safety of our competitors. Students are doing online testing and creating role-play videos throughout (last) week.
- g. DECA has also partnered with Make-A-Wish Foundation and Macy's. By sending letters to Santa, Menomonie has raised \$105 for Make-A-Wish foundation during this Holiday Season!
- h. The Menomonie DECA chapter president, Chloe Oehler, was selected by WI DECA as the member of the month in the state for her continued leadership in DECA and involvement in Leadership Council through the state. Congrats Chloe!

2. In School

- a. It seems many students had a good holiday break and we've had a good week back to school. From what I've heard, many classes are moving a very high pace

to stay on track for the semester and students are beginning to prepare for final exams.

- b. The preview night for 8th graders will be completely virtual this year, but our teachers are working hard to create some excellent videos for those students.