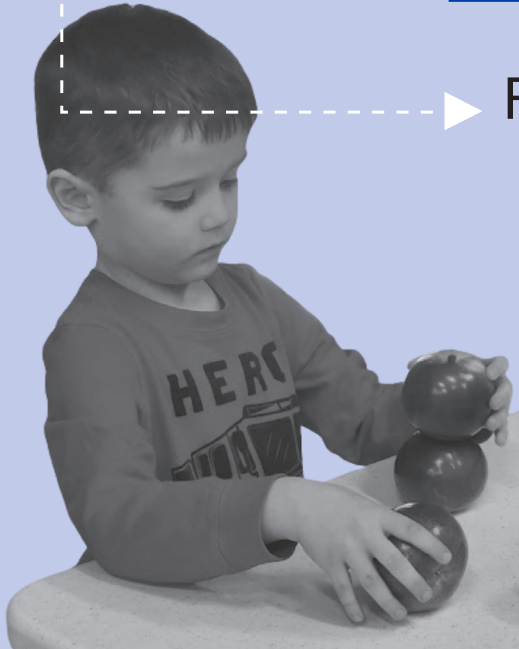


NOW ENROLLING



FOR 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR

Join our Family!



To enroll, visit npsd.k12.wi.us/district/join-us.cfm or contact Stacy Swenson, our Enrollment Secretary, at (715) 479-4123 or email sswenson@npsd.k12.wi.us.

Our mission as a school and community is to guarantee rigor, relevance, and relationships to prepare all learners for life. ALL staff believe in ALL students, which inspires students and provides a foundation so each student can reach his/her dreams and goals. We provide high quality instruction, innovative learning experiences and an individualized education for every student. We are blessed to have a supportive community and fortunate to have state of the art technology, small class sizes, and amazing facilities. We have a dedicated, talented, and experienced staff that collaboratively works to create a rigorous and joyful learning environment for all students so they each gain a love for learning.

Summer Strength & Conditioning

For grades 7-12

7:00-9:00 am

JUNE 12 - JULY 24

LED BY FOOTBALL COACH KEN WOLF

PARENT REMINDER!

Physicals are valid for two years. Valid physicals must be dated April 1, 2022 to the present.

ACTIVITY REGISTRATION MATERIALS:
<https://www.npsd.k12.wi.us/schools/high/athletics/activityregistration.cfm>



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Attention Non-Residents of the Northland Pines School District: This newsletter is provided to all residents of the Northland Pines School District. The most affordable process used to circulate this newsletter through the district is to use saturation mailing. It is costly to avoid a few non-residents from receiving our newsletter. We apologize for any inconvenience but wish to provide information to all residents. Thank you for understanding.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR MORE SUBSTITUTES!

- Eagle River Elementary
- Land O' Lakes Elementary
- St. Germain Elementary
- Montessori Learning Center

- SOAR Middle School
- SOAR High School
- Northland Pines Middle and High School

*Benefits include a free lunch, free coffee, free smiles, and the OPPORTUNITY TO WORK WITH THE BEST STUDENTS AND STAFF!
Interested? Please contact Susie Block at the number listed below.*

We are looking for more wonderful educators, support staff and coaches to join our family!

Certified Staff positions open:

- Please monitor our website and social media for openings

Support Staff positions open:

- Please monitor our website and social media for openings

Coaching positions open:

- Please monitor our website and social media for openings

*You're our missing piece!
Join the Pines family today!*

Interested?

Contact Susie Block at 715-479-6487 Option 3, Ext. 2

Please visit our website for more information on positions now open: www.npsd.k12.wi.us/district/career-opportunities.cfm



Northland Pines Eagles

VOICE OF THE PINES

2023-24 year in review

IN THIS EDITION

Class of 2024 Graduation

Scholarships Awarded

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Eagle Camp

Family Food Helpline

ERES New Administration

Thank You for your Service

Pines Community Wellness Center

District Awards & Achievements

Career Opportunities

MISSION

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CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2024!



What another amazing year for our students and staff! The 2023-24 school year was again filled with many highlights, so many that they do not all fit in this edition of the Voice of the Pines, so we can only share a few of them. Any time you have an "event" like a school year, you reflect on the positives and also some of the challenges. All the positive moments do not happen by chance; they are the product of a great student body, staff, parents and a community that makes sure they can happen.

Over my 24 years being part of the district, one thing has been consistent; we want to continuously improve for our students and community. This year was no different as we focused on training in reading, offered new classes, field trips, projects and improved school safety. We have plans in place to focus on these areas as well as continue to work on the impacts of cell phones, mental health, attendance and behaviors with our students and families next year. If we focus on what we do well and use those strategies, as well as new innovations, we will continue to get better at the things our student feedback and parent surveys data tells us.



SCOTT FOSTER
District Administrator

Congratulations to the Class of 2024 and good luck to all of our graduates in their future. A recent social media post asked for people to share a teacher who had a great impact on them. The response was incredible and it was great to see educators from all grade levels and many generations recognized. These Seniors are no different, whether it was a teacher, paraprofessional, administrator, bus driver, administrative assistant, food service worker or custodian, they will remember as much about the people that support them. I want to personally thank our staff and the community that made this year memorable for our students.

We will continue to reflect on this past school year and all our students and staff accomplishments as we prepare for next year. We have a very busy summer ahead and we are even more excited for the 2024-25 school year! Have a great summer and GO EAGLES! #PinesPride

OVER \$352,461 IN SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED!



Thank you to our generous community!



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WE ARE OPEN, ACCEPTING NEW MEMBERS AND EVEN HAVE SOME NEW EQUIPMENT READY FOR YOU TO USE.



WE HAVE GROUP CLASSES AVAILABLE THIS SUMMER AND FALL.
PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

WE HAVE SO MANY THINGS TO CELEBRATE!

A special thank you to all staff, students, families and our community for supporting our school district throughout the year. We truly appreciate each and every one of you!



Jessie Zyhowski, Social Studies Teacher
Jessie was named a 2024 James Madison Fellow. This award is given to one social studies teacher from each state. This fellowship supports the graduate study of American History by aspiring and experienced secondary school teachers. This funds up to \$24,000 of each Fellow's course of study towards a Master's Degree.



Amber Tilley, English Teacher
Amber was selected as this year's Wisconsin High School Teacher of Excellence Award winner by the Wisconsin Council of Teachers of English.

The first class of Firefighter 1 comprised of 7 students from Northland Pines and 1 from Phelps. These students earned both high school and college credits, while becoming certified in Firefighter 1.



Jerry Award Winners



Our 2024 Jerry Award recipients: Malia Remme for Outstanding Supporting Performer and Davis Beyer with the Spirit Award. Malia and Davis performed at the Jerry Awards on June 9th in Madison. Kaemyn Herritage also performed as part of the Jerry's Ensemble.



Nicholas Fluegel, Class of 2024
Nick was awarded, as part of Quest-Bridge National College Match program, a full four-year scholarship to attend Claremont McKenna College in Claremont, CA. He will be studying Economics & Data Science.

Nora Gremban, Class of 2024

WIAA Scholar Athlete, Gatorade WI XC Player of the Year. She has 15 GNC 1st Team All Conference Awards, 6 time State Champion and 6 time Runner of the Year in Cross Country and Track. Nora has committed to run both Cross Country and Track at the University of Wisconsin.



NEW ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL AND ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Gretchen Smart-Hall will begin her role as Eagle River Elementary Principal starting July 1, 2024. Gretchen has been teaching at Northland Pines since 2015, and is currently the Director of Teaching and Learning. Brooke Johnson will also begin her role starting July 1, 2024. Brooke started with the district in 2023 as an Instructional Coach.



If you have any Eagle River Elementary related questions for the 2024-2025 school year, please feel free to contact Gretchen or Brooke, at 715-479-6471.

email: gsmarthall@npsd.k12.wi.us
email: brjohnson@npsd.k12.wi.us



NORTHLAND PINES SCHOOL DISTRICT EAGLE CAMP

FREE BREAKFAST

FREE LUNCH

If you have any questions or would like to sign your student up for these summer enrichment activities, please contact Carie Nordine at 715-547-3619.

Current students in grades 4K-6 welcome
8:15 AM - 12:30 PM

Week 1 (July 22-26)
Explore The World of Science

Week 2 (July 29-August 2)
Traveling Around the World

Week 3 (August 5-9)
Northwoods Adventure

THANK YOU

Thank you for all the lives you have touched during your time at Pines. We wish you the best of luck in your future endeavors.



Nick Stemper
HS English Teacher
25 Years at NPSD



Don Anderson
ERES Principal
18 Years at NPSD



Forrest Mann
Band Director
12 Years at NPSD



Eric Becker
ERES Assistant Principal
6 Years at NPSD



Kellie Wagoner
Reading Specialist
6 Years at NPSD



Marcus Kral
4th Grade Teacher
5 Years at NPSD



Judy Evans
Custodian
3 Years at NPSD



Julie Vakos
Speech-Language Pathologist
2 Year at NPSD



Hailey Baumann
6th Grade Teacher
1 Year at NPSD