Freeman High School



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FEBRUARY 18, 2022

<u>Upcoming Events:</u>

February 21st No School - President's Day

February 24th School Board Meeting - 6pm

February 28th Spring Sports Begin

March 2nd Late Start for Students

March 4th

Regular school day (Snow Day makeup)

March 7th

No School - Teacher Professional Development

May 7th

PROM @ Center Place

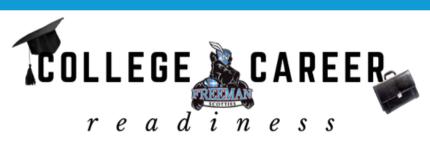
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Mask Mandate to End Soon

Governor Inslee announced the mask mandate for Washington State will be lifted beginning Monday, March 21. They will continue to be required on school buses until further notice. (This will be reviewed by the CDC in mid-March.) This notice pertains to K-12 schools. Other environments may continue to require masks in spite of this change for school buildings, and the public should look to those entities for guidelines.

In the interim, please remain diligent about sending masks with your children and wearing masks when visiting. Once the mandate is lifted, masks will be voluntary and will not be available from your child's school. It is important that students understand that wearing masks remains important to some, and to prepare for the fact that they will see classmates and some staff continue to wear them, and need to understand this is a personal choice.

We appreciate your continuing support the next several weeks. Noncompliance is a violation of law and places the district at risk of losing funding. Our goal is to remain committed through the end of the mandate. Thank you for your cooperation to date and as we look forward, together, to March 21.



Check here for all College & Career events and news each week!

- Feb. 22: Navy presentation during Advisory
- Feb. 24: Business After School: Fairchild Airforce Base 3:30 5:00pm
 These events are sponsored by Greater Spokane Inc. They are designed so MS & HS students can get real world information about the career they are interested in. See more info here.
- Feb. 25:SCC Technical Programs presentation during lunch in the Shared
Classroom
- Mar. 2: Washington State Opportunity Scholarship deadline
- Mar. 9: Business After School: Health Sciences WSU Spokane 8:30 11:30am

Spring Sports Begin February 28th

If your student is planning to participate in Baseball, Softball, Track, Tennis or Golf please make sure they have a current sports physical on file and that they are signed up for that sport in <u>Final Forms</u>. Questions? Call Mr. Ripke or Mrs. Hayek in the office at 291-3721. Fees can be paid online <u>here</u>.



Scotties! Registration for the 2022-2023 school year is coming!

Students have already begun to hear from teachers about the courses they offer and will continue to do so over the next couple of weeks.

Beginning February 28th, the counseling team will be meeting with students in their classes to walk through the scheduling process. This includes addressing what courses they are required to take and what options they have for electives. We'll get specific dates out to students and families soon, but be on the lookout for information regarding next steps and how to prepare for the registration process.

Students, if you have questions about your credit and graduation requirements, set up an appointment with Ms. Holm to go over what's happening in your world!

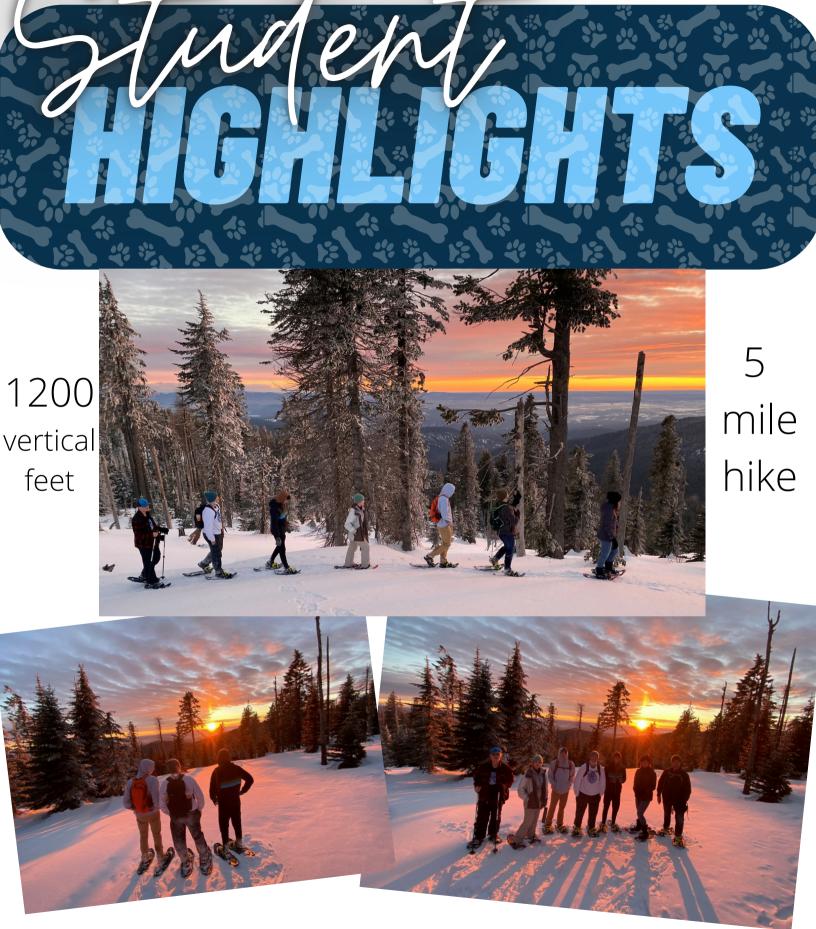
Parents and guardians, if you have questions regarding registration or your student's course loads and graduation requirements, please reach out to Ms. Holm via email at kholm@freemansd.org.

Thanks all and Go Dawgs!



Anyone interested in becoming a board member or getting more information about the Freeman Athletic Booster Club, we encourage you to attend the next meeting on **March 14th at 6:00pm** in the High School MPR.

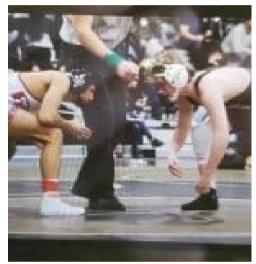
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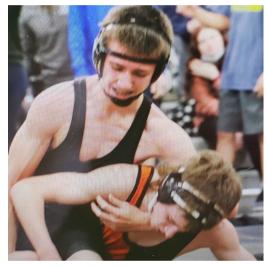


Conservation Club snowshoe trip on Mt. Spokane this week.















WRESTLING REGIONALS

Last weekend Freeman Wrestling competed at Regionals in Royal City. Congratulations to Owen Orndorff and Hunter Hawk - moving on to State this weekend in Tacoma!





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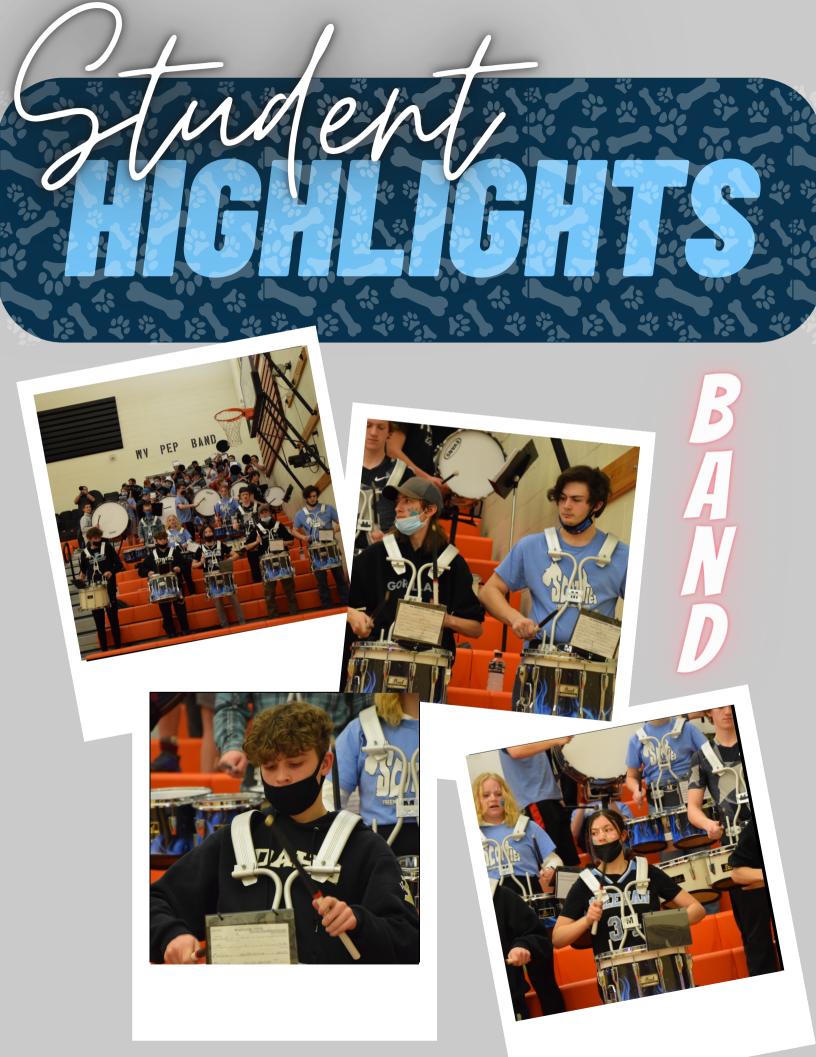






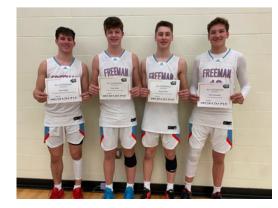


























Congratulations to the following Freeman Athletes AWARDED THE HONOR OF ALL LEAGUE LEAGUE

Wrestling 1st Team: Owen Orndorff

Girls Basketball 1st Team:

Jaycee Goldsmith Sydney McLean

Boys Basketball 1st Team:

Taylor Wells Boen Phelps

Boys Basketball MVP: Quin Goldsmith

Boys Basketball Defensive Player of the Year:

Boen Phelps

Wrestling 2nd Team:

Chase Smith Hunter Hawk

Boys Basketball 2nd Team:

Hayden Oyler