## April 2024 Athletic Director's report

\*Activities busses to NE at 4:45pm and 6pm.

\*Official grade checks for spring are every two weeks. Athletes on academic probation may still practice. They cannot compete in matches until a 2.0 GPA (with only 1 E) standard is met.

\*I will be in Kennewick at the state AD conference from April 26th through the 30th.

## SPRING

**Baseball:** Stadium baseball is going strong. Varsity has an 11-1 record heading into their series against Mt. Tahoma. We are happy to have several games scheduled for our new C-Team.

**Boys Lacrosse:** Boys LAX has had a rough start of the season with illness and injuries but the 2nd half is looking more healthy and promising. Coach says he is continuing to build the program one player at a time.

**Boys Soccer:** Boys' Soccer is at its halfway point in league play. All 3 teams have 6 games left on their schedules. The varsity team is poised to improve their current standings and make a second half push to improve our playoff position! Please come out and support the boys in their final 4 game in the Bowl!

**Boys Tennis:** Post season, spring, boy tennis started practices for preparation for upcoming District Tournament on April 1st.

**Boys Track:** Boys' Track and Field started Spring Break at the Liberty Invitational with a 6th place finish out of 15 teams. Including fellow Tacoma school Bellarmine Prep (always a bonus) and future NPSL foe Auburn. We now have a bye this week to train and prepare for the end of the season with 5 meets in 3 weeks before 3 weeks of post season competition.

**Cheer:** Stadium's Cheer Program has had a few short weeks off and is gearing up for the 24/25 Stadium Varsity Cheer season tryouts April 29-May 4th. Come see if SHS Cheer is a good fit for you in our OPEN GYM - April 22-26 from 4:30-6:30. Everyone is welcome! There will be a Mandatory Parent meeting on April 15th at 6 pm in the gym. For more information or if you can't attend the meeting, contact Coach Melissa at msmith8@tacoma.k12.wa.us

**Fastpitch:** We have Varsity games on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday... JV Tuesday Home and Wednesday Away. C team will play at home on Friday. All games at 4 pm. Thank you for your support!

**Football:** Football is working out Monday through Thursday afternoon from 230-415 and on Tuesday and Thursday morning from 620-705. All students and athletes are welcome as long as they have a physical and are not supposed to be at another sports practice. We will have a player parent meeting on May 22nd and start Spring practice on May 27th.

**Golf:** Post season, spring, coed golf started this week! These practices are for preparation for the upcoming State Tournament.

**Girls Lacrosse:** This week is super exciting because it ends with us playing Bellarmine. Thursday, we will be going to Gig Harbor to play Peninsula at 8:00 PM. Saturday, we will be playing Bellarmine at Bellarmine starting at 12 PM. If we win these two games, we will break the Bellarmine losing streak and be first in our league!

**Girls Tennis:** Stadium Girls Tennis continues to improve with each match we play. After dropping our first 2 conference matches, both in very close

contests, we have won our last 3 matches. We only lost 1 individual court out of 15! We are hoping to keep our momentum going over the next 2 weeks of match play.

**Girls Track:** Girl's Track worked hard over Spring Break. The team kicked off the vacation by taking 2nd place out of 15 teams at the Liberty Invitational and then took advantage of the beautiful weather to get some challenging workouts under their belts. The girls are making great progress and are looking forward to another week to prepare for our largest invitational of the season this Saturday in Puyallup. Fingers crossed for good weather - or at least not awful.

**Girls Water Polo:** We are happy halfway through our season. Going into Spring Break, we had 3 wins and only 1 loss under our belts. There is still a road ahead as we prepare to face all of our League opponents for a second time to make sure we achieve our goal of qualifying for the Division 2 Championships, but the girls are working hard to unite and play up to that. There has been a lot of improvement not only from our first-year players but also from girls who have been on the team for the last few seasons. It has been exciting to watch them come together as a team to learn and play.

## **GO TIGERS!**