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## FALL 2024 NEWSLETTER

### From the Athletic Director's Desk

Fall Athletics wrapped up with tremendous excitement and terrific performances across the board.

#### Girls Volleyball

After a terrific season, earning a #5 ranking in the State, our volleyball team went on the road and avenged last year's playoff loss by defeating Cascade Christian 3-0. In the quarterfinals, our girls fell to the #1 ranked Pleasant Hill Billies 3-1, and then went on to win the consolation championship by defeating #4 Dayton 3-0, and #3 Santiam Christian 3-0. The girls bring home a 4th place trophy, and a proud contingent of parents and fans.

Jojo Christiansen (12) and Ella Perry (11) earned All-Tournament honors.



#### Boys Soccer

The boys excited us all this season with incredible goals and stunning defense. Our boys earned a #3 seed in the State Playoffs and began by defeating Riverside 1-0 in Overtime. Next was a rematch of last year's State Championship game against McLoughlin. This year belonged to the Eagles as our boys were victorious again 1-0 in Overtime. This victory earned our team a semifinal appearance against OES on the road. It was a rainy, sloppy night, and we came up just short 1-0 against a very talented OES team. It was another terrific season for the boys, and there was plenty to be proud of as they finished as semifinalists.



#### Girls Soccer

Our Girls Soccer team was very young this year, after graduating so many key players. Nevertheless, the growth and the determination were tremendous throughout the season as they finished with a 6-7 record. This is a big success, and the girls look to build on this moving forward. Several of their wins came against teams that made the state playoffs and played a couple of very tough teams who are playing for a championship.

#### Girls Cross Country

Coach Ball had a terrific squad this year including 13 girls. There were standout performances throughout the year as they navigated the various courses and weather conditions. The girls earned a bid to the State Championship race down in Eugene, where they took 14th out of all of 3A/2A/1A.





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### **Boys Cross Country**

Once again, our boys had a formidable group this fall. Twenty-one boys were part of the Cross Country program, and did a tremendous job throughout the season. The season culminated in Tyler Im and Christopher Corrigan setting Personal Records at the District Race earning our team a 5th place finish.

### **Classroom Success**

In addition to the success in the athletic arena, our athletes are also killing it in the classroom. Four of our Varsity programs earned All-State Academic Awards:

**Boys Cross Country:** 3.90 (1st in state)

**Girls Cross Country:** 3.96: (4th in state)

**Girls Soccer:** 3.87 (2nd in state)

**Girls Volleyball:** 3.84 (5th in state)

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