

High School Board Report

November 2023

1. **FFA National Convention:** Mr. Sheridan and two of our FFA officers traveled to the National Convention in Indianapolis to join the nearly 1 Million members of FFA across the country. They learned some great stuff, networked, and had a lot of fun.



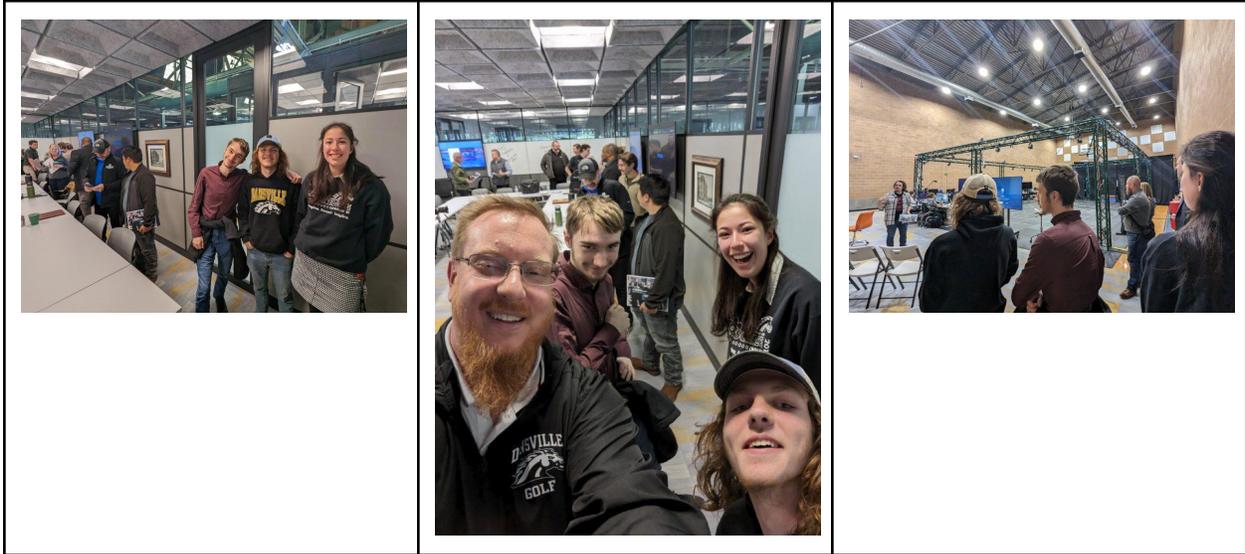
2. **Veterans Assembly:** Once again, Mrs. Braman's classes presented a very moving display for this year's Veterans Day War Fair and Assembly. The War Fair was informative and engaging for the middle school students and the assembly was filled with great reminders to keep our veterans on our minds and in our hearts for the sacrifices they have made for our freedom.



3. **Murphy Award:** Senior Calvin vanHartesvelt was nominated by our staff this year's first Murphy Award Recipient. The Murphy Award is given to students who exemplify service and leadership and Calvin checks those boxes. Whether leading the students by jumping up for a dance competition or by representing our district through his

sportsmanship and hard work, Calvin shows #AggieSpirit.

4. **eSports Presents...:** Mr. Braman and a few eSports competitors presented at the LEAP conference in Lansing on how they got started and their progress so far. They also learned about careers in the field and got to see some cool stop-motion filming!



5. **Aspire Grant:** Last year we were 1 of 10 districts to be awarded the Aspire Grant by the Michigan College Access Network. To date, we've used these funds to bring experiences to our students and our students to experiences (Grand Ledge College/Career Fair) and have focused a great deal on strengthening our connectedness and culture around the building. From this strong foundation, we plan to use this year's funds to continue to do the great things we have in place (College Application Week, FASFA Night, Decision Day, etc.) while also adding to and expanding our efforts to help students with their post-secondary goals!

