

Kennett High School Principal's Report January 9, 2023

## **Professional Activities of Staff**

- Program of Studies Redesign
  - Principal, Career Tech Director, and Dean 9-10, and Dean 11-12 are collaboratively working to update both the format and content in the KHS Program of Studies.
    - KHS Department Heads are working collaboratively to revise course descriptions, as well as support a shift in scope and sequence of classes to make for a more connected student experience
    - Program of Studies is going through a redesign to create a streamlined document that will be user friendly and interactive
- KHS and WMCC Partnership
  - Continued meetings are occurring with WMCC, KHS, and the SAU 9 office. WMCC president Chuck Lloyd and Vice President Kristen Miller met with KHS Principal and SAU 9 Superintendent about this partnership
  - Targeting a WMCC college course to be taught onsite at KHS and available to all KHS students to earn credit at both Kennett HIgh School and through WMCC.
  - Ongoing meetings are occurring with White Mountain Community College to enhance our collaboration to offer increased opportunities to students to gain early access to college through running start, dual enrollment, E-start, and other means to provide as many possible opportunities for students at KHS in all academic areas

## **Staff and Student Accomplishments**

- Athletics- The winter sports season is underway with the first games and holiday tournaments having been played.
  - KHS Hockey
    - The KHS boys won the local Peter Hall Holiday Tournament
    - The Berlin-Gorham-Kennett Girls hockey team went 1-1-1
  - KHS Basketball



Student Count 2020- 713 Student Count 2021 - 736 Student Count 2022 - 726 Current Enrollment - 705 (Transferred-In - 2; Transferred-Out - 6, 0 completed HiSet)

- Girls varsity was the runners-up in the Mike Lee Holiday Tournament and lost to a team from Tennessee
- Boys varsity basketball had a successful tournament, but did not make it to the championship
- Skiing- we are praying for snow
  - Nordic- the first race of the season was postponed due to a lack of snow
  - Alpine- meets have begun, the most recent will be held at Cranmore on January 6th.
  - Ski Jumping- Home meet will be held on January 20, 2023 pending snow and weather. This will be the dedication of the ski jump to long time coach
- Indoor Track- competed in two meets so far
  - Aida Wheat won the 55 meter dash in both meets- her time of 7.59 is the fastest time run in D2 so far. She is currently tied forth in the entire state