

# THE BOBCAT CRY



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## The Finish to the Race

*by Isaac Beaverson*

This year's voting system called for a new standard for candidacy. And after a week of campaigning, mudslinging, heated dissing, and accomplices in undermining races, our Student Council votes have been sealed. We welcome our new president, Skylar Mickelson. When questioned on her funding for her promises to the school, she answered that her funding included her own tips from all summer long. She says, "Thank you for voting for me, guys. I appreciate and love all of you." The vice president, who is not new at all to the Student Council, is Gabriel Heyrman. As a third-time chairman, Gabe reminds the school, "Don't worry. I got your back." Our eleventh and twelfth grade representative came down to the wire as we had four votes and they were equally divided between William Norton and his brother Stephen Norton. But William came out on top after making false promises to ignorant voters. William says, "I am sorry, Steve. I still love you. At least you don't have the responsibility." Steve had no comment. Marshall Norton was voted as the ninth and tenth grade ... (continued below)

## Money for the Seniors

*by Steve Norton*

Most people don't know what they are donating to when they give money to the seniors. Dylan says, "We are trying to raise money to go to Mount Rushmore." There are some other ways you could donate to this fund so that the seniors of MBS will be able to learn more about the history of America. They have Pizza on Fridays, they are going to do some bake sales, and they collect pop cans to return the donation money. Gabe says, "We're thankful for all the people who donate to the fundraiser." If you'd like to donate, talk to one of the three seniors or Pastor Ethan.

## Verse of the Month

They who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint. Isaiah 40:31



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sept. 16 High School Clubs begin
- Sept. 18 Maple Grove Cemetery Flag Removal 8:30 AM (Field Trip)
- Sept. 19 **BIG**little Gym Class
- Sept. 22 STR8TALK @ MPS 1:00 PM (7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Field Trip)
- Oct. 1 Little Caesars Fundraiser Begins
- Oct. 3 Progress Reports
- Oct. 6-10 Fall Spirit Week
- Oct. 11 Northern Lights League Soccer Tournament @ MBS

## Reminiscing about Old Books

*by Marshall Norton*

Books are fun to read and remember. Kristina Christiansen said, "My favorite childhood book is 'Charlotte's Web' because it was a classic and a good story." September 8, 2025, was literacy day. Literacy day is a global observation that raises awareness for the importance of literacy for individuals and societies. Some people like books because of the genre or the looks of the character or because of the memories. Isaac said, "My favorite book was 'Farmer Boy' because it reminded me of my grandpa's farm and I wanted to farm." Dylan said, "My favorite book was 'Robert the Red Horse' because it was read to me by Grandma Hilda." It's fun to read and fun to listen, so all you have to do is just start.



## 2025 Fall Season Record

**Co-Ed Soccer: 6-0**

**Girls' Volleyball: 1-7**



## Upcoming Games

9/15 – Soccer & Vball (x2) @ Hannahville 4:00 PM

9/16 – Soccer & Vball vs Big Bay 5:00 PM

9/18 – Soccer & Vball @ Grand Marais 5:00 PM

9/23 – Soccer vs Hannahville 5:00 PM

9/25 – Volleyball @ Maplewood 5:30 PM

9/26 – Soccer vs Copper Country 5:00 PM

9/27 – Soccer vs Copper Country 9:00 AM

9/29 – Volleyball @ Paradise (x2) 5:00 PM

9/30 – Soccer & Vball vs Ojibwe 4:30 PM

10/2 – Soccer vs Mackinac Island 5:00 PM

10/16 – Soccer & Vball vs Alumni 5:00 PM

## Determination Through Adversity

*by Gabe Heyrman*

This last Tuesday, our soccer team went out and played a challenging game against Ojibwe. Even though a portion of the team was sick, our Bobcats stood strong and won 3-0. All three of the goals were scored in the first half of the game. Will scored a solo goal from nearly half field. We scored another goal with a by-the-book pass from Dylan and a score by Trek. For the last goal Killian passed the ball to Isaac, and Isaac sent the ball right into the back of the net. This is what Dylan had to say about our game, “We stuck with it, we played well even though we all were getting tired.” This game sets our record at 6-0. Let's go fight win Bobcats!

(continued from above) ... representative and was speechless when questioned. Alan Norton had a landslide victory as seventh and eighth-grade representative and says, “Thank you to all the people who voted for me.” And finally, our unanimously voted elementary representative, Trek, slid to the finish line as the only candidate left standing. “I [Trek] will treat the elementary school the same as the high school. Thank you, voters, and Godspeed to our new Student Council members.



## Encouraging Teammates

*by Dylan Swift*

The Bobcat's volleyball team has been uplifting all season long. Audrey states, “I like to encourage everybody on the team, because when people get frustrated, we don't play as well.” When the volleyball team is out on the court, it doesn't matter if a good or bad play happens; they always encourage each other. After every point, the team high-fives each other and talks over how to improve for next time. Hailey states, “The encouragement is a very good confidence booster for everyone on the team and helps the team morale stay happy.” Every time they play, they set a great example of encouragement on the court. Way to go LadyCats!



**ME: Dad, where are my sunglasses?**

**DAD: I don't know, where are my dad glasses?**

