Good Morning North Schuylkill and welcome to In the News.

Today is Thursday, September 24th, and it is Day A.

And now for today’s announcements:

Any student in grades 7 through 9 who are interested in joining Student Council should see Mr. Smith in Room 920 today. Any students in grades 10 through 12 interested in joining Student Council should see Mr. Smith tomorrow. You may only stop by in the morning between 7:15 and 7:52 or in the afternoon between 2:09 and 2:45. There is no meeting; you will only be picking up an application.

Attention seniors: The first round of homecoming votes has been conducted and narrowed down to 11 candidates. Please fill out the form attached to the assignment titled "Homecoming Vote" on your 2021 Grad Google Classroom page. The form will only accept submissions until 10am this morning. If you have not completed it yet, please do so now. An update on the five girls nominated to the court will be made later this afternoon.

Next up, local sports:

Good Morning NS! Thanks for tuning in! I’m Jack Flynn with your Spartan sports segment:
Good luck to the Boys Soccer team as they host Jim Thorpe tonight. The Varsity game is 5 pm, followed by JV’s.

Good luck to the Spartan Golf team today, as they host Pottsville Area. Members of the golf team are dismissed at 12:45.

The Varsity Girls Cross Country team swept Marian Catholic, Pine Grove Area, and Schuylkill Haven yesterday. Cori McCormick finished 1st overall with a time of 18:26. Ryley Schwalm finished 2nd, Katie McCormick came in 3rd. Abby Kuzio finished 6th, Nicole Hood placed 9th, and Jiayi Gong was 10th for NS. The Boys Cross County team went 2-1 on the day, as they beat Pine Grove Area and Schuylkill Haven, but lost a tough 31-29 decision to Marian Catholic. Justin Williams was the overall race winner, finishing with a time of 17:02. Jack Flynn finished in 2nd place for NS. Devon Greiner came in 5th place and Evan Houser finished 13th.

In the Junior High race, Josh VanNorman placed 2nd, Noah Grow finished in 5th, Chase Meyer was 8th, and Lauren Powis rounded out the top 10. Great job, Spartans. Good luck in Saturday’s Pine Grove Invitational.

The Lady Spartan Volleyball team defeated Lourdes Regional last night, 3-0. Maddy Wetzel had 11 assists and an ace. Madeline Wittig, Kylee Moore, and Ashley O’Connor each had 4 kills. Emma Hocking and Violet
Ryan each had 4 aces, for NS, who hosts Jim Thorpe tomorrow at 5:30 pm. The NS JV team picked up a 2-0 win. Bryonna Bolich had 6 aces and Olivia Burke had 4 aces.

The Varsity Girls Soccer team dropped a 3-0 decision to Lehighton Area. The Lady Spartans return to action on Saturday, when they travel to Jim Thorpe for a 10 am start.

That’s it for me! Now back to Genny.

Hey guys, the vouchers for games are in play. Please listen to Mr. Gross as he explains the process:

Thanks Mr. Gross! It’ll be nice to see fans in the stands!

And finally for lunch we will be having chicken alfredo over pasta, steamed broccoli with margarine, tomato cucumber salads and juicy sliced peaches.

Tune in tomorrow and every day at 7:40 for our In the News Announcements.

Tomorrow’s Friday North Schuylkill!