Hinsdale South High School-Student Liaison Report for 02/13

2nd month into semester #2, 7 down 3 to go!!!

- The Class of 2020 held a Candy Sale from Jan 9-31 to help pay for tickets for prom.
- On Jan. 11, 30 student volunteers from South and Central came together to assemble **Emergency Preparedness Kits** for every classroom across the district. These kits include first aid supplies, blankets, disposable gloves, toilet paper, trash liners, sanitizer, water and disinfectant wipes, and are part of the district's efforts to improve and enhance safety and security across our buildings.
- On Jan. 15, we celebrated the **South Pride** theme of the month "**Be Your Best Self**" by giving students and staff the platform to share things that will help them be the best version of themselves. We also had a South Pride day on Feb. 5 that was focused on the theme "**Be Kind and Demonstrate Empathy.**"
- The **speech team** set a school record during Regionals on Feb. 8 by **qualifying for the Sectional tournament in all 15 of the individual events**. Sectionals are scheduled to take place this weekend.
- Saturday was a big day for athletics at South. We qualified **six wrestlers for Sectionals**, **girls bowling qualified for Sectionals as a team** and **Danceline qualified all four of its routines for IDTA State!**
- Our boys basketball team was awarded Team of the Week by Saint Xavier on Jan. 25. We are now 25-2 and have set the record for the most wins in any season in school history. On Saturday, Feb. 8, coach Brett Moore earned his 200th career win.
- We hosted our **Mr. Hinsdale South event** in the auditorium on Feb. 6. Congrats to **Matt Hedlund** for taking home the prestigious title.
- As a kickoff to **Black History Month**, we incorporated Culture Tuesday into our winter spirit week on Feb. 4. Many staff and students at the school wore shirts or clothing that represented the beauty of African American culture.
- On Feb. 7, we hosted our **Winter Spirit Assembly**, which was highlighted by our friendly class wars. We had double dutch, a relay, knockout and human foosball! Our step, cheer and danceline teams all performed. We sang and signed the National Anthem. We also performed the Black National Anthem, Lift Every Voice and Sing, at an all-school assembly for the first time in South's history.

On Deck For March:

- Talent Show
- Winter Athletic Awards
- Spring Break!!