

Announcements

#### BLACK HISTORY MONTH:

 February is black history month. Black history month is a annual celebration of achievements by African Americans and a time for recognizing their role in U.S history. This month we will be learning about individuals who made an impact:

Fritz Pollard was small, but he loved football and went on to have a historic football career at Brown University. Many firsts were ahead of him, starting with being the first Black player to be selected for the Walter Camp All-American team and play in the Rose Bowl.

He went on to join the American Professional Football Leaguewhich later became the NFL. He became the first Black coach and led the team to their first title.

## REMINDERS

• There is only 4 weeks left of this current quarter ends and report cards are sent out. As well as a little over 3 months of school left. Please check your grades. Tutoring is still being offered on Wednesdays after school. Students who have failing grades for the semester may not be able to play fall sports next year.

### UPCOMNG EVENTS:

There will be a NHS meeting for current Juniors and Seniors on Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 AM in the conference room.

There will be a short meeting in Mrs. Barton's room today after school for students who were invited to attend the Olympiad.

### SPORTS RECMP

Girl's basketball lost to Athens on Saturday. Boys basketball swept Vandalia with both JV and varsity winning.

The ISHA Regional bracket has been released. Our girls basketball team plays next Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at Auburn High School at 4:00 PM.

# TODAY'S SPORTS

There are home MS volleyball games in Virden, and MS boy's sectional basketball games in Girard tonight. Please come out and support our middle schoolers!

Tuesday, High School Boys Basketball plays in Girard vs. Carlinville. It is Senior night!