

# Co-op Partnership...

Osmond and Wausa are currently in communication over a possible co-op and partnership between districts. Ideally this partnership will meet the immediate needs of each district, recognize future needs, and also create academic and extracurricular opportunities for both schools.

Wausa Public Meeting...
Wednesday, Sept. 27th @ 8:00 pm

### **Immediate Needs**

- Junior High Athletics-Boys (Wausa and Osmond)
- Varsity Football (Osmond)
- Academic/Curricular
   Offerings (Wausa and Osmond)

### **Long Term Needs/Concerns**

- Declining enrollment numbers
- Maintaining Extracurricular Participation numbers
- Potential Staff Shortages
- Continuing to meet the curricular needs of our students.

### **Benefits to Both Communities**

- Both schools have immediate academic and extracurricular needs.
- Similar Demographic
  - Community size, school enrollment size, tax base and proximity.
- Both schools offer programs the other may not.
  - SkillsUSA, FFA, Wrestling, Industrial Technology (Shop), Foreign Language.
- Teacher Shortage: The ability to share staff when needed to maintain current curriculum offerings.
- Academic Benefits
  - Academic competition-having class sizes large enough to hold group projects and discussion.
  - Allows teachers to teach in their curricular area and teach to their strengths.
  - The ability to increase academic offerings.
- Athletic Benefits
  - Competition is a good thing!
  - Building depth at both the varsity and JV level.
  - Allowing athletes to compete at their athletic ability.
  - Ensures the ability to field teams consistently.
  - Being exposed to more coaches than each group can provide on their own.

# Growth & Partnership Opportunities

### **Numbers**

## School Enrollments/NSAA numbers for classifications

NSAA FOOTBALL CLASSIFICATION NUMBERS: D1-47, D2-36.

WAUSA/OSMOND BOY COOP NUMBERS:
 2023=45, 2025=47, 2027-41, 2029-48, 2031-43,
 2033-32,

#### WAUSA PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

PK3-11=200

- PK3=15 (B7/G8), PK4=7(B2/G5), K=16(B6/G10), 1ST=11(B4/G7), 2ND=16(B11/G5), 3RD=12(B5/G7), 4TH=15(B8/G7), 5TH=10(B8/G2), 6TH=15(B6/G9), 7TH=11(B8/G3), 8TH=17(B9/G8), 9TH=21(B12/G9), 10TH=17(B10/G7), 11TH=17(B8/G9).
- 2023 FOOTBALL NUMBERS: GR 9-11=23, GR 7-8=12, GR 3-6=15 (one being a female who will not be out in High School).

#### OSMOND PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

PK3-11=204

- PK3=9(B4/G5), PK4=4(B2/G2), K=20(B12/G8), 1ST=12(B6/G6), 2ND=18(B9/G9), 3RD=16(B8/G8), 4TH(B10/G7), 5TH=21(B9/G12), 6TH=15(B4/G11), 7TH=16(B6/G10), 8TH=10(B6/G4), 9TH=17(B6/G11), 10TH=13(B3/G10), 11TH=16(B6/G10)
- **2023 FOOTBALL NUMBERS:** GR 9-11=7, GR 7-8=4, GR 3-6=13.