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Dixon High School Stadium Renovation & Capital Fundraising Campaign

Dixon Public School District 170 and the Dixon Athletic Department are excited to announce upcoming renovations to AC Bowers Field, Rich Lawton Track, and the surrounding areas on the Dixon High School campus.

At the March 2026 board of education meeting, the Dixon Public School District 170 board of education voted to earmark $2.2 million of county facilities sales tax money over the course of three years in order to install new artificial turf, remove the existing track, and install a new track on the Dixon High School campus. In addition to these district-supported initiatives, Athletic Director Roger Fegan and Principal Jared Shaner outlined a $1.5 million capital campaign to update and replace the current press box, entryway, concession area, and restrooms, as well as add a video board in the south endzone area.

Work on the turf and track portions of the project are scheduled to be completed in summer 2028. Pending fundraising efforts, the goal will be to complete the other portions of the project at the same time. With an early generous donation from Sauk Valley Bank, the video board is being installed this fall and should be operational later this fall season at AC Bowers Field.

As we kickoff the fundraising efforts in order to provide our students, fans, and community the best experience possible when attending events on our campus, we are asking our Dixon alumni, fans, and community members for their support in our capital campaign efforts. Our capital campaign group has set up donation levels and sponsorship opportunities for those who want to support these efforts for our current students while making a lasting investment in the future of Dixon students, our school, and our community for generations to come.

All capital campaign information can be found on our website, including project information regarding fundraising goals, stadium plans and renderings, project details, FAQ's, and donation options.

Please visit our capital campaign website at **dixonproject.dps170.org** or scan the QR code below.



This is an exciting time to be a part of the Dixon community, and this project will enhance the experiences for our students, our athletes, fans, and our community for generations to come! We hope you wish to be a part of this monumental project!

Roger Fegan, Athletic Director
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