



ATHLETICS

Media Information Form

<u>Student Name:</u>	<i>Tucker Welch</i>
<u>Sport(s):</u>	Football
<u>Institution Signed With:</u>	Northern Michigan University
<u>Position:</u>	Running Back
<u>Planned Academic Major:</u>	Construction Management
<u>Accolades & Honors:</u>	<p><u>Football - Individual:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 2023 Season Statistics: 787 yards and 8 touchdowns off of 127 carries▪ All-Upper Peninsula Special Mention (2023)▪ All-Big North Conference Second Team (2023)▪ MSHS Team Captain (2023)▪ MSHS "Offensive Player of the Year" (2023) <p><u>Football - Team:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 2023: 5-3 Overall Record (5-1 Big North Conference); MHSAA Division 3 Playoff Qualifier▪ 2022: 3-6 Overall Record (2-2 Great Northern Conference) <p><u>Other:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ MSHS Varsity Hockey (3 years; 2023 Team Assistant Captain)▪ Superiorland Kiwanis "Student-Athlete of the Month" – December 2023

**Why Tucker Chose
Northern Michigan
University:**

I chose Northern Michigan University because of the opportunities it provides me both academically and athletically. I am very grateful and honored that I can continue my education while playing football at Northern.

Northern has one of the top Construction Management Programs in the country and I am excited about the great opportunities after receiving a college degree.

The NMU football program competes in one of the most competitive Division II conferences in the nation. I am excited to be a part of the rebuilding process of Northern's football team and look forward to the challenges that lie ahead.

The coaching staff at Northern also played a big part in my decision. From early on I could see how dedicated the coaches are in making the team better and making their players better. I knew it would be a great place for me to learn, grow, and make lasting relationships.

I am beyond excited for this opportunity to play for my hometown team and can't wait to get started.