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Olympian vs. teacher vs. student

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Wisconsin Olympians Casey FitzRandolph and Suzy Favor Hamilton visited Chetek Tuesday morning to spread excitement about eating healthy and exercising with a program called "Movin' and Munchin'."

The program included games and contests, including a pushup contest between FitzRandolph (upper left), teacher Bill Knickerbocker Jr. (upper right), student and contest champion Marcus Samens (right), Favor Hamilton (center bottom), student Josh Swangim (left) and teacher Matt Buchman (not pictured).

The contest took place in the middle of a high school gym packed with kindergarteners through seniors, school faculty, community members and a few residents of Knapp Haven Nursing Home.

FitzRandolph, a three-time Olympian and 2002 gold medalist in 500-meter speed skating, and Favor Hamilton, a three-time Olympian and holder of seven U.S. championships and nine NCAA titles in running, serve as honorary chairpersons of the Movin' and Munchin' program.

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