



High Expectations and Continuous Improvement for All

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SPC Principal Meeting

On August 27th, I attended the monthly SPC Principal meeting. During these meetings, we discuss conference athletics and activities reports, in addition to reviewing our financial report for those areas. New this year, each school submits a “Problem of Practice” to discuss. This week we shared materials, resources, and strategies on what conference schools are doing to improve student attendance.

Open House

On August 31st, we hosted Open House at both campuses. Both buildings had a good flow of parents and families circulating the building and talking to teachers. Additionally, our Connections Crew and National Honor Society students attended this event to hand out information and school maps, and provide cookies and lemonade to our staff.

Athletics

The first ever Minooka girls home swim meet was held on September 3rd at the YMCA in Shorewood. The girls competed against West Aurora High School and won 92-58! In other athletic news, our girls tennis team defeated Romeoville, boys golf beat Plainfield South and Oswego East, and boys soccer got a win over Joliet Central all this week!

ASL 4 Honors

Our American Sign Language 4 Honors students have been visiting classes for the past few weeks to celebrate Deaf Awareness Month. Any teacher can sign up for the students to visit their classroom and show students various signs. You never know when you may run into someone who is hard of hearing and knowing a few signs helps! Thank you to Sarah Kozola and Valerie Swiatek for organizing this opportunity for our students.

School Improvement Team

On September 10th, I met with the School Improvement Team to discuss and develop our initiatives for this school year. We discussed topics such as grading practices, late work, retakes, student organization, club/activity fair, ACT scores, and student supports. Additionally, we will continue our previous initiatives that include MCHS is You, MCHS is Me, monthly celebrations, staff outings, Idea Box, and the spring recognition assembly.