

School Board Meeting Agenda Item

Topic: Administrative Report
Presenter(s): Bob Jaszczak, Superintendent

Nature of Action Requested

Board Action
Board Information or Report X

Background Information

Building and Programming Updates will be provided at each board meeting. For the remainder of the year, the first meeting of each month will be building updates provided by principals or building administrators. The second meeting of each month will be programming updates provided by each director.

Building and Programming Updates	<u>Colvill</u> • All of our 3-year-old classes are full at this time. Both 4-year-old morning classes are also full. We have nine open 4-year-old PM spots. • Our ECFE classes began last week. There are several Special Events being offered this fall, like a trip to Pine Berry Farm in River Falls. • We had our first Open Gym and Early Childhood screening on Thursday, September 17 with 20 3–5-year-olds registered. <u>Sunnyside</u> • Principal Heyer has been visiting every classroom. He read a book to the students, introduced himself, and led great discussions on school expectations and building a growth mindset. • As a whole school, we've been practicing what it means to be Safe, Kind, and Responsible every day. Whether in the classroom, on the bus, at recess, or in the hallways, students are doing a fantastic job learning about making school a great place to learn and grow. <u>Burnside</u> • Burnside's fall fundraiser runs from 9/14 - 9/29. Proceeds from this fundraiser will benefit the Burnside Innovative Learning Fund, which is used to help pay for things like field trip bussing, assemblies, classroom grants, and more! • Attendance matters at Burnside! School Social Worker Hannah Bystrom spent time in classrooms recently talking with students about why good attendance matters. Ms. Bystrom also explained Burnside's monthly "Attendance Super Star" drawings and our "Golden Calendar" award for the class with the highest monthly attendance rate. Afterwards, 2nd and
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3rd grade played Attendance Bingo, and 4th grade played Attendance Jeopardy.

Twin Bluff

- Students are settling in and have finished their "Welcome Back" tours. During the tours, students go through all aspects of a school day, and learn what Safe, Kind, and Responsible looks like, sounds like, and practice the expectations in all settings. We then held grade level meetings with the principals presenting the overview to ensure that everyone knows we are one TEAM and have the same expectations each day and at each location.
- Picture day is scheduled for next Wednesday, 9/16/26.
- The benches for the football field have been built and delivered. The signs for the companies that donated them is still in progress. When they are completed and installed, we will get some images to share out to the community.

High School

- Homecoming week is such a fun week for our students to take up leadership each year and watching them and listening to them set it all up under the guidance of Nikki Roschen is always a great way to run through September.
- Classes are really full and students are doing fantastic full classrooms. Kuddos to our teachers who always find a way to provide the best space for scholars!
- Our next student mural is being painted in the Choir room.

Tower View

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Activities

- It's Homecoming week! Numerous events throughout the week. Community tailgate on Friday, September 25 (5-7pm) prior to our home football game.
- Homecoming Dance Saturday, September 26.
- 15 Student Athletes attended an HVL Character and Leadership Conference at Byron HS on Wednesday, September 16.

American Indian Education Program Director

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Buildings & Grounds

- The old copy/mailroom in the district office has been remodeled into a new office space for the Student Nutrition Director and an updated copy space.

Communication

- Referendum postcards went out to residents. Fact sheets are available at every building and poster boards are at the main entrances.

Community Education

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Human Resources

- As part of our ongoing efforts to modernize district operations and standardize internal workflows, the district is preparing to launch our new electronic timecard system, Frontline Time & Attendance. The platform is currently in Phase 2 testing to ensure a seamless transition and is fully on schedule to go live for all hourly employees on October 1st. This upgrade will bring enhanced efficiency, accuracy, and ease of use to time-tracking and payroll processes district-wide.

Nursing Services

- Optional Staff Flu Clinics are starting. The first one is scheduled on Friday, Sept. 18 at RWHS.
- Optional Student Flu Clinics at RWHS on 10/7 and TBMS and Burnside on 10/8.

Special Services

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Student Nutrition Services

- There is a salad bar available at Twin Bluff with a positive response from students and staff.
- Overall, the first two weeks went well. There were a few issues that will be addressed and fixed. Breakfast and lunch counts are trending higher than last year at the same time.

Teaching & Learning

- Fall academic screening with Fastbridge and Capti is in progress.
- The 6-12 Science Curriculum Review committee will be starting at the beginning of October.