

Red Wing Public Schools

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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	<p><u>Colvill</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <p><u>Sunnyside</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• At Sunnyside, we're keeping our focus on strong routines, safety, and a sense of belonging. This past month brought some wonderful experiences for our students, starting with a visit from the Red Wing fire department where kids got an up-close tour of the fire truck and learned about safety firsthand. We also came together for Indigenous Peoples' Day to watch an incredible hoop dance performance that brought our school community together.• Right now, the heart of our building is filled with our Anti-Bullying Kindness Tree. Every single student is placing a leaf with their name on it onto the tree, creating a visual reminder that each child plays an important role here and truly belongs at Sunnyside. <p><u>Burnside</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• On November 5th, students in 4th grade will have the opportunity to enjoy the play Frindle, based on the book by the same name, at the Sheldon Theatre. This opportunity is thanks to a Red Wing Public Schools Foundation grant, and busing is covered by money earned through Burnside's annual fundraisers.• Parent-Teacher conferences are coming up on November 9th between 11:00 am - 7:00 pm. Families should have received a link to sign up for a conference time. The link can also be found on the Burnside School webpage.
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Twin Bluff

- MS Play- Newsie's was a wonderful event and well attended by the community.
- Student Led, Teacher Supported conferences are scheduled for November 9th. This will be the first time that we have done this format during the first conference. Discussions about planning and goals are part of the experience with the intent of student voice and ownership of their learning.

High School

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Tower View

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Activities

- Fall activities are winding down - winter registration is now open!

American Indian Education Program Director

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Buildings & Grounds

- Jackson Roofing, out of White Bear Lake is just now completing the \$1.2 million new roof project for the Prairie Island Ice Arena. Ryan Mechanical has already begun returning heating units to the rooftop and hooking up electrical and gas lines.
- Renner Roofing of Red Wing completed the re-shingling of the girls' softball dugouts.
- Red Wing Construction did the majority of the renovation work in the District Office.

Communication

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Community Education

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Human Resources

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Nursing Services

- Staff and student flu clinics are complete and went well.
- Vision and hearing screenings have started; Grade 3 on October 20. TBMS and Sunnyside screenings in the next week. A big thanks to Lions Club members and Southeast nursing students with helping!
- CARE Clinic's mobile school dental clinics are underway. Increase in student sign ups at Colvill and TBMS; upcoming dental clinics at Sunnyside, Burnside, and RWHS/River Bluff; district nurse is working getting these services at Tower View for the first time.

Special Services

- Bolduan and Perau have been busy trying to fill paraprofessional (and teacher) positions. We have had a few applicants. Spread the word and have people reach out if they're interested.

	<p><u>Student Nutrition Services</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A Goodhue County SHIP Grant was received for the purchase of 2 salad bars for the elementary schools. These have been ordered and the ship date is January. <i>(Grant letter of approval is listed as an EXTRA)</i>• The kitchens are serving local delicata squash and apples throughout the fall months. The High School will also offer local tri color carrots, spaghetti squash and potatoes.• The kitchens are in the beginning stages of lowering their usage of single use disposable items. <p><u>Teaching & Learning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Planning is underway for Key2Success professional learning day on January 18th• Grow Your Own Grants will be giving out Scholarships starting in early 2027• K-6 Literacy Pilots are underway with the curriculum review committee meeting monthly, a decision will be reached in February. Science curricula review is starting as well for grades 6-12
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