### **MADISON SCHOOL**

### **Students Enjoy Spirit Week!**

Once again, we celebrated Homecoming Week with special dress up days to help students feel included and increase school spirit! Below are our 4<sup>th</sup> grade students and Mrs. Lauer on duty in the gym decked out in red for color wars!



## Enjoying the great weather and learning sportsmanship!

A popular choice for recess at Madison is Gaga ball. Although it can be a heated game, our teachers and recess supervisors work hard to teach sportsmanship, fair play, and teamwork as the students play. Students love it!



### Students learn about their brains and regulating their emotions!

Pictured below are Mrs. Martin-Graber's students in their newly created brain hats. Each year, teachers teach the "brain lesson" that came out of our Trauma Informed training through our CLEAR collaboration with Florissa. Students learn a basic model of the brain and learn some options of what to do when their "lid is flipped."



#### R-E-S-P-E-C-T

Ms. Goff's students recently learned about showing respect during their Morning Meeting time and chose to paint rocks with words of respect that they left around the playground for other students to find.



# 5<sup>th</sup> graders dissect owl pellets!

During Science, 5<sup>th</sup> grade students are once again dissecting owl pellets as they learn about food chains. Students get so excited at their discoveries and carefully create whole skeletons of a rodent that has been eaten by an owl.



### **Encouraging Great Attendance**

This month, the theme for our attendance board is "Scary Good Attendance." Students in the month of October are voting on Mr. Sagel's Halloween costume (Either a Bagel or Mr. Clean). Each time their class has 100% attendance, they get a ghost where they can vote for their favorite costume (so far Mr. Clean is the overwhelming favorite...)

