Boyceville Community School District





Board Report for January 2025 - Report aligned to 2024-25 Goals

<u>Curriculum and Instruction</u>

- ACT 20 mandates went into effect this month. All students in kindergarten through third grade were given a number of reading assessments using the AIMSWeb testing platform. Our 4th and 5th graders continue to be assessed in ELA using FastBridge. All students are screened in math this month using FastBridge as well. Our reading specialist and interventionist have already started diagnostic testing for students who scored below the 25th percentile in oral reading fluency and personal reading plans will be developed as a next step. Parents/guardians will receive a report of the results from AIMSWeb testing and a letter describing the assessment. Parents/quardians of students who qualify for a personal reading plan will be provided with a family survey to complete to provide additional background information to help with the development of the personal reading plan.
- Report cards have been updated with essential standards in ELA and math. The social emotional learning standards have also been prioritized and updated

Climate/Culture

- We have 34 fewer office discipline referrals through December of this school year when compared to last school year. 96% of our students have 0-1 behavior referral.
- For Veteran's Day, students colored pictures and many were sent to veterans connected to TCE families. One of the veterans, David Schneider, reached out after receiving a picture and called TCE to thank us. He asked if he could order pizzas for the student's class. A date was picked, he called Buck Shots and on January 10th I was able to pick up and deliver four pizzas to Mrs. Mittlestadt's 3rd grade class. David also included a thank you message that was read to the students. Here is that message:

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To Payson and all of his fellow classmates, I would like all of you to know that when you take the time to do something nice for other people you may not always know what they think or ever know how much that person appreciates your kindness. But, in this case you are about to find out just how much a little colored in picture and some kind words can mean to someone. As a veteran who served in the Navy, I may have heard a few times from some adults who thanked me for my service but no one has ever taken the time to recognize me in such a nice way like Payson and all of you have done. I was truly surprised when I opened my letter back in late November and I can't tell you how much it means to me to see young people like all of you taking the time to show your appreciation for people like me who have served in the military. Being in the service is hard. You have to know how to fight fires, Learn how to give First Aid to people in need, You have to learn and know your job whatever that might be (I was in material management) And, you have to learn how to be away from your friends and family. In some cases, you might be really far away from home. I was in the country of Scotland for 2 years and also Italy for 2 years. During that time, I also got to see the countries of Spain, France, Jamaica and the Bahama's. So, as you can see on a map, I was nowhere close to home and it was hard missing my family and friends back home.

So, to Payson and all of your classmates, please keep doing what you are doing. Appreciate the good things other people do for you by telling them personally or sending them something like a letter just like you did. Your letter and the kind words inside really warmed my heart and brightened my day. So because of your kindness I would like to share my appreciation to you Payson and all of your classmates with some pizza to say THANK YOU for your nice letter and your kind words.

From the bottom of my heart - Thank you Payson
Enjoy the pizza and God bless you and your classmates

Sincerely, Your veteran friend David

Respectfully submitted by Jerim DesJarlais - Tiffany Creek Elementary Principal

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