

**INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: Taylor Stephenson  
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1. Enrollment: continues to climb. Last report 657. Began the year with 628. WE are growing at every campus. The good: attendance brings in new dollars. The bad: we are out of classroom space at Junior high and High School. Elementary still can adjust some, but it's getting tighter too. Working on property for a proposed classroom addition to BHS, which would open classroom space used by HS students at the HS annex. This will take work, money & planning.
2. Koontz Memorial Scholarship: A board was appointed that includes a family representative, family friend, superintendent, principal and business manager. The fund has \$103,829.93 in it today. We have only spent funds to get a 501c3 designation, which has been achieved. Board met, and determined it would offer one scholarship a year \$2500 each year, but it would be renewable for the same student each year for 4 years....total amount of this scholarship would be \$10,000 to one senior beginning with class of 2014. Board will likely award another scholarship of the same amount each year until the scholarship funds are exhausted. (at least 10 years).
3. Football playoffs at Boerne...Friday. Will have an early dismissal. Working on time for dismissal.
4. Working on a proposal for wireless networking for the next school year. Our system is slow, and we continue to add new challenges to the existing network. The system was Cisco, and now is Miralci. Uses The Cloud for backup and storage. Much safer, and much more user friendly. System includes a dashboard where the administrator can check usage, and use by any and all users.
5. What a superb elementary Veterans Day Program that the elementary put on today. I heard so many compliments from folks that thought it's better to have kids in school, and a program honoring veterans than to have a holiday.
6. Very proud of our athletes, coaches and fans for their sportsmanship. Last Friday was difficult for all of us because of overzealous fans. Our athletes have come a long way in this regard...much improved.
7. A few maintenance projects: Tree trimming, gutters on school auditorium....stopped leaky roof because of backup, need to clean gutters on new high school, gym, library, & elementary buildings.
8. Proud of the campuses: landscaping at elementary including head start, new soft mulch for safety on elementary playground.
9. The 9 weeks schedule for elementary and 6 for secondary has been accepted and does not seem to cause problems.
10. My number one goal with school activities is to sportsmanship, honor, and safety for all at home and while traveling. We're doing fine so far this year.