January 22nd, 2018 - Superintendent Report - Mr. Ehler

Vision: Empowering all for lifelong learning

Mission: Creating an educational community where lifelong learning is valued,

excellence is expected, and all are prepared for the future.

Welcome:

Long-Term Substitutes:

Ken Youel - Long-Term Substitute for Mr. Thompson

Mary-Kate Franklin - Long - Term Substitute for Mr. Anderson

I am very appreciative to have them join our R-P School Family. They have made a smooth transition and have done a very commendable job!

Welcome to Student Teachers:

Regina Bettag - MS Science - Mr. Tesch

HaleyWood - WSU - 9:00 to Noon HS SPED - Mrs. Vix

Malissa Schreiber - Kindergarten - Mrs. Kelly

Chanda Rideman – WSU – Mrs. T. Brown & Mr. Wade

Malissa Schreiber – WSU – Mrs. Kelly

Alyssa Johnson – WSU – Mrs. Meisch

Kailey Bianchi - WSU - Ms. Tinderholt

Autumn Weyandt - Mrs. Bieberdorf

Thank you's:

Brittany Benson - Elem. Administrative Assistant:

She has tendered her resignation to be effective as of Friday, Jan.19th. She has accepted a position at the Rushford State Bank.

I am happy for Brittany, but sorry to lose her skills, abilities and wonderful personality.

Thank you Brittany for your years of service and best of luck with your new position. We will miss having you as member of the R-P Family.

Mary Hoiland - Long-Term Substitute for Elem. SPED - Mrs. Glahn:

She did an outstanding job of teaching and working with our young students. Mary has a proven track record as a teacher and we were blessed to have her as a substitute teacher during Mrs. Glahn's absence.

Holiday Tournament - Boys Basketball:

My thanks to the teams (Spring Grove, Mankato Loyola, Klawock - Alaska,) for participating in our Holiday Boys Basketball Tournament. It was a fantastic opportunity for all the teams/players to compete against one another.

A special note of thanks to the players, parents and coaches from Klawock for participating in our Boys Basketball Tournament during their visit to Minnesota.

A very special thank you to Coach Vix and Supt. Jim Holien for their friendship, collaboration, coordination and planning of this special opportunity for our schools.

One Act Play Workshape, Youth BB Tournament, Boy Scouts Pine Wood Derby:

We hosted these events on Saturday (1.13) & Sunday (1.14). It was great to see the dual usage of our facilities on Saturday. The Pine Wood Derby was a hit on Sunday thanks to wide-open spaces.

Kudos to all who assisted with these special events. It was a great promotion of our students and our new school.

School Furniture / Equipment On-Line Auction:

Viewings at the Old School:

Wednesday - Jan. 24th from 3:00 to 7:00 PM

Sunday - Jan. 28th from 11:00 to 3:00 PM

Bidding:

Sunday - Jan. 28th beginning at 5:30 PM

•I am indebted to Patty Ebner for all of her help and assistance in getting things organized and ready for the auction.

ATSR & ICS Announcement:

ATS&R - Jon Stoewer (Site Project Mgr. for our new school):

He shared with me that he has retired. His retirement was effective last Friday (1.12).

ICS Consulting - Tim Robertson:

He shared that he has taken a new position with a different company. His last day was Monday (1.15).

During the construction phase, I worked closely with Jon and Tim. We were blessed to have them as leaders and advocates during the construction of our new school. It was a pleasure to work with them and I deeply appreciate all that they did to assist us on behalf of our school district. They did an outstanding job!

I wish Jon, the very best with his retirement! I also wish Tim, the very best, with his new position. I have extended a personal thank you to them on behalf of our school district.

Scott Johnson (ICS) will be Tim's replacement and will assist us in finalizing things.

Meetings and Upcoming Events:

Saturday, February 10th, 2018 @ 8:00 AM – Legislative Forum SSC in Rochester Committee Members: Bonnie Prinsen, Joyce Iverson & John Linder

Monday, February 26^{th} , $2018 \ @\ 5:30$ PM Monthly meeting.