

October 2014 Board Report- North Valley, Dennis Misner

We are well established in our daily routine of conducting classes, conducting the full range of our fall sports season, and interacting with parents as the needs arise. Many of our kids progress through the school days and they show up on time ready to learn, actively engage in the curriculum with their teachers and they are passing all of their classes with Bs or better. I have chosen seven kids as models of the traits we want to develop in all kids and we will use them as motivation as we work on our school climate and culture.

the North valley Athletic Committee is meeting for the first time this year in the next few days. We hope to be able to address a range of needs at our school as volunteers help us with labor and donations. I have been approached by a number of parents who would like to see us improve our baseball field, gyms, and other facilities that support our sports and activities. As always there is more need than we have funds so getting to a place where everybody is happy will take some careful conversation and support. We will first meet on october 13.

Finding parents with passion and expertise for the professional development needs of teachers and strategies to move our academics forward is not simple. Our site council is also scheduled to meet next week and we have more teachers than parents who are willing and able to serve. We will work to make that balance come into effect so that our site council is a viable advising body.

We are encouraging all teachers to work together with RCC to have more College Now classes so that when kids graduate they will have a jump start on their college education. In Service with RCC is on October 10.

Below is a list of activities and dates of note over the next couple of months at North valley

10/31-	No classes- clerical day
11/5-6-	Conferences
11/7-	No School
11/7,8,14,15-	Play Performance
11/11-	No School
11/13-	Winter Sports parent meeting 6 pm
11/17-	1 st day of Winter Sports practice
11/19-	Music Concert – 7 pm
11/24-28-	No School
12/3-	FAFSA night- 6 pm
12/6-	Craft Bazaar

Thank you for the opportunity to serve the students and staff at North Valley.