Site Report – School Site – March, 2021

To: Superintendent Ty Mase and LPSD School Board Members

From: Nancy Mills, Head Teacher

Outstanding Activities and Events

The school held the second dose Covid vaccination event on March 1st. Over 40 residents are now fully vaccinated against Covid-19.

Personnel

Personnel are beginning to return to the school after not having classified staff for a month due to travel and quarantine. It is wonderful to see their faces again!

We did have a few new temporary staff members join us during this time. I recommend we keep them on payroll in case this happens again.

Standards Based System/Curriculum Progress

It is that time of year when we are really pushing students to finish their level standards. We are already seeing some students complete their end-of-level writing prompts.

Even the little ones are getting a push from Ms. Elaina's classroom. Here's a little virtual preschool from the Mills household perspective:



Now that vaccinations are loosening things up a bit, we are seeing students get together to do their schoolwork. Here are two virtual students from different households, Katie Jones and Tatianna Anderson, working together on a science fair project. This is the first time two friends have been physically together in over a year and it is happening as I type...bring on the waterworks!



A message from Ms. Sara on the science fair project:

This year we choose to measure the speed of light in the science fair project that we will be turning in electronically to the district. We are microwaving egg whites in all of our home microwaves and measuring the distance between the hot spots where the light waves are interfering with each other and thus stronger. We will then compare it to the MHz of each microwave to calculate the speed of light.

Technology Progress

All things technology-related are going well.

Facility Update

A few leaks here and there, some plumbing issues, but nothing we aren't handling.

LSAC Activity

LSAC meeting took place on 3/9. Graduation was the hot topic. We think that we now have an idea of what is allowable and what is not on the local government level, and we are brainstorming graduation ideas within those limits.

Volunteer Report

There are no volunteers in the school.

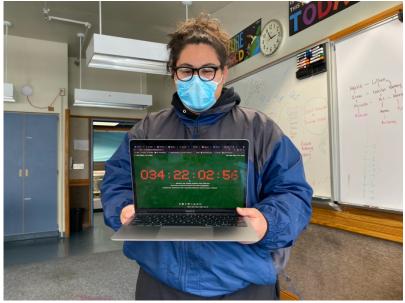
Professional Development

Professional development has been applicable and helpful.

Pupil Attendance

Pupil attendance has been strong.

And the countdown has begun:



Student and Staff Safety

Sara and I feel like the screening process, masks, and social distancing, as well as the cleaning and disinfecting protocol, within the school are keeping our staff and students safe.

Subsistence Calendar

Subsistence calendar is working out great.

Other