

# Report to the School Board

December 9, 2024

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## Strategic Priority 1: Student Success

- Parent-Teacher Conferences

Our fall parent-teacher conferences took place on November 19 and 21 with parents choosing a time slot via a registration website. We continue to enjoy near perfect attendance for conferences. We were able to relay how the year has started for students and will meet again in mid February. Thank you to the PLAY group for providing a much appreciated evening meal for staff.

- LA CARES assembly



Our November LA CARES assembly took place on Nov. 26. Our monthly theme of cooperation was enhanced by Clipper Cardinal who cooperated by attending in order to congratulate this month's students and fire up the crowd. A slideshow highlighted students caught cooperating throughout the school. We finish each assembly with a raucous rendition of the Cardinal Strong Song, our Elementary School song.



- Ten Days of Giving and Toys for Tots:

The elementary school student council members are leading the efforts to gather non perishable food items and cash donations for the annual school Ten Days of Giving Drive. The barrels and boxes are piling up in the front entry. We will soon find out who won the Golden Can award this year.

- Peace Poster winners:

Congratulations to the local winners of the annual Lions Peace Poster contest. Hayven Dahl placed first and her poster will advance to the next level. Laila Pasche was second and Khloe Smith was third.

## Strategic Priority 2: Effective Staffing

No professional development days in December.

## Strategic Priority 3: Finance

No report this month

## Strategic Priority 4: Facilities

- Wellness room updates

Thank you to various members of the elementary staff and the wellness team for enhancing our building wellness room. A new paint job enhances the room filled with massage recliner, sound machine, yoga mat and muscle roller.

- Season's Greetings

The east hallway of the elementary is gathering decorations in preparation for Early Childhood Family Education Winter Wonderland set for December 12, from 5:30-7:00pm.

## Strategic Priority 5: Community Engagement

Winter Activities in full swing

The evenings at the Elementary School will find a full parking lot as students and parents participate in their after school and evening practices and events. Junior wrestlers fill the basement on Mondays and Thursdays. Many additional activities like Art Camp and snowmobile safety training are also