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## W.J. Zahnow Elementary Board Report October 2025

This past month, we've had Open House, held a Book Fair, went on field trips to Eckert's for our Kindergartener classes, and had High School FFA students visit to teach students about recycling, High School students have come over in the morning to visit with students. Our students and families had another successful year selling chocolate to raise money for our school, we held a popsicle night on the playground for our Preschool and Early Childhood families and we've had great weather for students to be outside!

Staff and students had fun again this year dressing up for Homecoming week, and our staff enjoyed walking in the Homecoming Parade to see families and students! It's been a great month!

Thank you again to the Waterloo Fire Department this year for inviting our students to the Firehouse for our yearly visit. Students enjoy visiting the Fire House to see and hear information, using the fire hose, and taking some fun items home to show their families from the trip.

During the month of September, students learned about and practiced the word "Respect." One student, who exhibited this character trait, was chosen from each classroom at the end of the month and presented an award at the end of the month assembly. Congratulations to those students selected. For October, students are learning about the character word "Responsibility."

Congratulations to Lisa Miller, who was selected for September's Staff Member of the Month. Mrs. Miller is someone who leads with her heart, showing endless care for both her students and her colleagues—making our school a better place for everyone! Congratulations Mrs. Miller, and thank you for all that you do!

## **Looking Ahead**

October 17th - Report Cards Go Home October 29th - Halloween Parade and Class Parties October 30th and 31st- Parent-Teacher Conferences