



Waterville-Elysian-Morristown Public Schools #2143

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9-12 February Board Minutes

The second quarter is alive and well. We are checking in with kids daily to make sure they are staying on top of things and making sure their grades are going up. Conferences are tonight, February 23rd, so hopefully you will see parents checking in with teachers as well as supporting our boys basketball team. We would love to find ways to get these conference nights to be more attended, so looking into some ideas to present to all of you at a later date.

9th graders went on a Career Navigator field trip on Friday, February 20th. Students were led to different stations at the college campus and given information on what it takes for certain occupations to exist and how much schooling is needed to make a position like this come to fruition. Students were also given a tour of the college where the event happened as well.

A band and choir concert is happening on Tuesday, February 24th. All groups will present what they have learned so far this quarter including a few musical numbers from the jazz band that meets before school. We are looking forward to this night of song.

I took a day this month to meet with the principal at JWP to discuss issues that we both find challenging and compare/contrast how their school is set up for grades 7-12, and how that could correlate with how we will bring the 6-12 grades together here at WEM. We shared schedules and ideas we want to combine on including some classes they currently have and ideas of things we can share with them. This seems like a good way to build on what we can offer students to make our school a place to be.

On our recent professional development day, middle school teachers came over and looked into their new classrooms. It was an excitement felt by all with plans of how to decorate and set up for next school year. We are all excited about them coming over.

Brandon Tagg

WEM High School Principal