

# Admin Reports to the Board

August 2023

<p><b>Megan Challoner Elementary Principal</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● District wide efforts of intentional collaborative team building to help create a bridge between all district spaces.</li><li>● Culturize Crew-team of leaders taking all of the components of the book we read in the Spring and applying into a plan to culturize the building. The plan has a two sided approach. 1. Creating systems to showcase leadership and desired behavior with individual reflection. 2. A universal toolkit for all classrooms to help with lagging skills to help students reach the desired behaviors. Both of these approaches will have a relationship focus with peer-peer and peer-staff.</li><li>● Challoner attended Mastering Academy-this invite only professional development is designed to help our schools take systems from leaders in the state and tailor it to our district to help us continue to grow at high levels.</li><li>● August Summer School Programming<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ 4k Jump Start 20 kids</li><li>○ Summer Saunters 51 kids</li><li>○ Field Trips<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ 8/2 Children’s Museum<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● 85 kids/adults</li></ul></li><li>■ 8/9 Wilderness Walk<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● 102 kids/adults</li></ul></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul>
<p><b>Carol Kline 6-12 Principal</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● The administrative team has been working to plan in-service. Schedules and activities are set for all in-service days, with an overall focus on student and staff learning.</li><li>● The high school now has a new Virtual Learning Lab (VLL) located within the library. This learning space will be used each hour of the school day and provide a location for our online learners to call home.</li><li>● 6th and 9th grade Orientation nights are on Wednesday, August 23rd. 6th grade will start at 5:30pm and 9th grade will start at 6:30pm. Students can expect to meet their teachers, find their lockers, and learn their schedules and classrooms.</li><li>● Open House at the 6-12 building will look a little different this year. Each grade level has a scheduled time to meet the new principal in the Performance Gym while still having the opportunity to meet their teachers, find their lockers, reconnect with their friends, and learn their schedules.</li><li>● A Jumpstart days planning team of teachers met last week to create three fun filled days for grades 6-12. Students will be creating new pep-fest activities, meeting and learning interesting facts about their teachers, and will become Olympians in the 2023 Jumpstart Olympics!</li></ul>
<p><b>Josh Robinson Superintendent</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● The state budget (Act 19) reserves \$50,000,000 for a new literacy and reading improvement program to be created. Act 20 was signed into law in July. It creates statutory language creating the Office of Literacy within the DPI, the Council on Early Literacy Curriculum (advisory council to the DPI), and provisions related to reading coaches, early literacy assessment and intervention, and curriculum.</li><li>● Act 19 and 20 bring about greater structure to early literacy and reading improvement across the state. Frederic’s HMH and related instructional materials are expected to fit well into the state literacy and reading framework currently being developed.</li></ul>

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<p><b>Erin Hansford</b> <b>Director of Instruction</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teachers 4K-2, Reading Specialist, and the Instructional Coach have all started the Science of Reading training, Top 10 Tools. The team met on Monday to establish instructional routines and best practices to start the school year. Continued professional development and coaching will continue every two weeks through January.</li> <li>• Supplemental professional development and coaching supporting the Science of Reading will expand to grade bands 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12, beginning at August Inservice.</li> <li>• Title I will provide parent education opportunities through onsite learning sessions during Open House and Parent-Teacher Conferences as well as monthly video topics, "Viking-to-Viking" Family Tool Box!</li> <li>• The RTI Team has designed an intervention calendar with 4 week fidelity checks and 8 week data review cycles. Professional development for best practices in progress monitoring and reporting data with families will be delivered at August Inservice.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Jada Anderson</b> <b>Pupil Services Director/Athletic Director</b></p>	<p><b>Athletic Department</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Athletic Night: Family athletic night was held on Monday, July 31st. During this time, 93 students were in attendance and signed up for athletics. This is a better attendance rate than in previous years (2022 = 60 students).</li> <li>• St. Croix Health Concussion Management: Frederic has partnered with St. Croix Health to implement a rigorous concussion management system for all sports. This system is directed and facilitated by Caitlin Drake, with the additional support of Jada Anderson. All coaching staff will also be trained within the system.</li> <li>• Fall Sports: The fall sports season is officially underway for all sports. Participation numbers have risen since previous years, and we are looking forward to a successful season ahead!</li> </ul>