

Homedale School District #370

TO: Board of Trustees; Superintendent Rob Sauer

FROM: Amy Winters, HMS Principal

DATE: April 13, 2015

RE: Board of Trustees Report

March Enrollment

Gr 5 = 88 (-2) Gr 6 = 95 (-1) Gr 7 = 93 (-2) Gr 8 = 100 (+1) **Total:** 376

March Friday School

56 students participated in the BMX Bike Show (fundraiser incentive) and health/physical activities with a personal trainer.

Third Quarter Data

The district's combined goal for **all secondary students** (middle and high) was for the **percentage of students receiving a D or F** on their 3rd quarter report cards to drop from 34% to **24%** in March.

Middle School Results: 17.3% (grades 5-8)

The district's combined goal for all **LEP and Migrant students** (middle and high) was for the **percentage of students receiving a D or F** on their 3rd quarter report cards to drop from 47% to **37%**.

Middle School Results: 14.0% (LEP/Migrant)

Idaho English Language Assessment (IELA)

All middle school IELA testing was completed the week of March 16. Results will be available soon. Overall, it appears the Limited English Proficient (LEP) students are doing better with the changes made for this year.

Stampede Basketball

Several teachers and AVID students attended a Stampede basketball game over spring break for a reduced cost. Students got autographs and pictures with the team and cheerleaders and got to shoot free-throws after the game.

Spaghetti Feed

HMS Band and Choir are performing their spring concert and having a fundraiser spaghetti feed at HMS on April 2.

ISAT Testing Schedule

Notice to parents has been sent for the following grade level schedules:

	<u>5th grade</u>	<u>6th grade</u>	<u>7th grade</u>	<u>8th grade</u>
Language Arts:	April 6	April 7	April 9	April 8
Math:	April 20	April 21	April 23	April 22
Science	April 29		April 30	

Field Trips

5th grade: Owyhee Watershed, April 30
6th grade: Celebration Park, April 9
7th grade: Idaho Penitentiary, April 8; Boise Watershed, April 15
8th grade: COSSA Career Fair, April 2; Idaho Penitentiary, April 9; BSU, April 30

Parent Night

Monday, April 27 *Uniform Presentation for all parents
 *Introduction to Middle School for all 4th grade parents
 *Schedule/rotation changes for all 5th graders
 *AVID recruitment and 8 in 6 program for all 6th and 7th graders
 *Introduction to high school for 8th grade students/parents

Upcoming Events

May 5 Teacher Appreciation Day
May 6 8th grade HHS visit
May 8 Student Support Day
May 19-21 Final Exams
May 21 8th grade graduation