

Principal's Report
April School Board Meeting
Waterville-Elysian-Morristown
PreK-12th Grade



All District

MCA testing is underway. All high school tests are completed. Morristown has nearly completed all reading testing and will begin math this week. The elementary school has also wrapped up testing for the MCA season. All district MCA testing will conclude the first week in May.

WEM participated in the state-wide severe weather drill on April 20.

PreK-6 Grade

The 5th grade Math Masters team has worked hard and prepared well for the competition that was held April 21. Students did a great job representing WEM! Special thanks to Mrs. Sammon and Mr. Svendsen who have done a great job preparing these students for this big event.

Fifth Grade students are preparing for DARE graduation which will take place May 4.

We are preparing for Kindergarten round up which will take place **May 5, 2023**. We are very excited to meet our new Buccaneers!

We are looking forward to a variety of field trips, picnics and all school activities that will be taking place during the month of May throughout the district.

7-12 Grade

We hosted Le Sueur County To Zero Deaths on Monday, April 17. Our guest speaker was Matt Maas (and Julie Maas), parents of Logan Maas (senior at Triton) who tragically lost his life due to reckless driving. More information on their story can be viewed through the link below, a story featured in The Land of 10,000 Lakes several

years ago. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dLX-qtBxk2E> It was a touching and eye-opening presentation.

Congratulations to seniors Shelby Krienke, Emma Woratschka and Daelyn Judd who were selected as KEYC's Best in the Class in conjunction with sponsorship from Bethany Lutheran College. Students are selected based on their educational experience, overall achievements and display of life-long learning. The clip with WEM students can be viewed through the link: <https://youtu.be/6ih47FnJB5w>

On April 25 a group of students from 9th-11th grade will attend the spring YEA Data Summit. This spring the summit is hosted by our A&I collaborative school, Faribault. Next year WEM will host both the winter and spring meetings.

Juniors took the ACT on April 5. We are awaiting district results but overall the morning of testing was well done and smoothly executed. A large thank you to school counselor Mrs. Bridgette Reuvers for heading up the testing and being our ACT coordinator.

May is right around the corner, we have a number of yearly events planned such as the Night of Excellence, Pops Concert, Senior Class Trip, Senior Class Breakfast and commencement. Our middle school students are planning a trip to Valley Fair for a hands-on science day.