Faulconer Chapman School Board Report April 2017

How are we doing?

Fun Run and Book Fair

FCS will be having it's second annual fun run in May to raise funds for our school's field trips for the 2017-18 school year.

Additionally, the Scholastic book fair is at FCS this week to promote the love of reading for our students, we are open during conferences this week. We hope you can participate in the support of FCS!

RTI/TITLE 1 / Reading

RTI continues to work through our 20% Meeting cycles. We have also completed Individual Problem Solving training which was the final step in our RTI implementation. We look forward to moving towards using RTI to help identify SLD students in future years. At the end of the month the Literacy Team will be attending the ORTIi Annual Conference in Eugene. We are looking forward to the conference and have even been asked to be featured in the intro video highlighting successful schools.

Our instructional coach has continued to work with staff members through coaching cycles. Mr. DeLatte recently completed two cycles with first year teachers in the district using our Danielson evaluation system as a framework for their work.

A committee has been formed to evaluate and review ELA curriculum at the middle school level. This team is in the final stages of completing the same rigorous review process previously used for K-5 Reading and K-8 Math adoptions. They will be making their recommendations to Mr. Sugg in the upcoming days.

Athletics at FCS

The Middle School track season is off and underway! The first away meet was unfortunately canceled but the spirit of the team and all the energy our athletes have is very impressive. This year we have about 65 athletes competing in track events and in field events.

FCS is hosting one track meet this year at Sheridan High School on April 26. We are looking for volunteers to help with this large event! Please consider contacting FCS to help run an event or be a timer. Thank you!

<u>PBIS</u>

The tier one PBIS committee met before Spring Break to look at behavior data. The team noticed a spike in third grade referrals, so they created a special Titan Ticket for only third graders to earn the week before the break. They could earn tickets if they were following directions and staying where they were supposed to be. If the class earned 150 tickets, they would earn a pizza party. All three classes exceeded their goal and earned their pizza party! We are proud of the teamwork they displayed. The student store reopened the week back to school. Students can purchase items with money or their Titan Tickets. Multiple teachers stepped up and offered to help run the store after school.

<u>AVID</u>

Middle school students are starting the second half of the semester with organized binders. On Friday, April 7 a binder help session was lead by AVID students to get their peers binders resupplied and organized.

Jeremy Brown, Sydney Lang, Megan Gometz and Robin VanBuren will be attending summer institute in July in Sacramento. They hope to learn more about interactive notebooks and using them more at FCS.

<u>No Bully</u>

Solution teams have been up and running at FCS. Most of our trained Solution Coaches have run or in the process of running at least one team. Feedback from students has been positive and parents have been supportive of their child going through the process. We are all excited to see how the process works to empathy in our students and gives them a different lens to see each other through. Some students who have been through the process are excited to present their experience to the board!

Dates to Remember:

April 13: Track Meet at Taft

- April 13: Parent Conferences 3:30-7:30
- April 14: Student half day/Parent Conferences 1:00-3:30
- April 18: Site Council, 4-5pm
- April 19: Track Meet at Willamina
- April 20: Wings and Waves field trip!
- April 20: County Wide Kindergarten Round-Up, registration only.
- April 26: Home track meet at SHS 3:30-6pm

May 1: Track meet at Nestucca May 4: Track meet at Dayton May 5: Kindergarten Roundup at FCS. Parents tour FCS, meet teachers. May 8: Track meet at Taft May 12: FCS Carnvial! 5-8pm.

JUNE 12: 8th Grade Promotion

June 13: Kinder Promotion