## Middle/High School Board Report February 25, 2019 Mr. Timm Respect - Integrity - Excellence

<b>GOAL 1: Personalize</b>
learning for all students
in pursuit of their
academic excellence.

Our 3D Printers are up and running. They have been used by the Robotics Program and CAD/Prototype Engineering Class. In the near future Mrs. Cunningham and the art classes will be utilizing as well.

I met with representatives from the Winona Chamber of Commerce in

regards to a project they started with Winona and our looking to expand into other area districts. The plan is creating pathways for students while in high school toward careers and getting them some of the training and experience needed while still in HS. In addition, we are working with the Rushford-Peterson Valley Chamber of Commerce, area school districts, MN State-SE, and area workforce development agencies to help create more opportunities for our students to help make them career and college ready upon graduation.

## GOAL 2: Develop wellrounded students in the areas of character, community & academics.

Our FFA chapter celebrated National FFA Week (February 16-24) with many fun filled activities for our Middle and High School Students.

We have seven musicians participating at the Honor Band Festival at Luther College on March 3-4. Ethan Atkinson, Ricky Buchanan, Leah Himlie, Megan Ekern, Mandee Tarras, Brad Colbenson and Julissa Trejo will be in attendance.

## GOAL 4: Promote and provide positive school and community culture that engages all stakeholders.

Our 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Fine Arts Night will be held on March 8<sup>th</sup>. Our HS Band and Choirs will be preforming along with two representatives from the Speech team. In addition to the performances, there will be an art gallery type display of projects from our Art, Industrial Technology, Agriculture and Interior Design Classes It will be a great night celebrating the talents of our students.

The students and staff participated in a number of activities during our Cancer Awareness week to help support the cause. Many staff and students contributed to this effort. Some of the week's highlights were a silent auction with items donated by different staff groups, basketball musical chairs and walking tacos at basketball games
A special thank you to Dena Mathison, Brenda Bergan and the MS and HS

Student Councils for all their hard work and dedication to the project.

Our annual "Blizzard Bowl" week for Middle School students also was held earlier this month. A week filled with dress up days, staff vs. student's basketball, and blizzards culminated with the very upbeat dance. Thank you to Mrs. Bergan and the Middle School Student Council for putting on a

	fantastic fun filled week for our kids.  On February 18 <sup>th</sup> our National Honor Society traveled to Channel One Foodbank in Rochester. The spend the morning volunteering and helping package food. They were able to package over 13,000 crackers and 532 pounds of cereal from bulk containers into individual size portions.  On March 18 <sup>th</sup> , we will be showing "Screenagers: Growing up in the Digital Age" to our 4 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> grade students and in addition will be hosting a viewing party that evening for parents. Screenagers is a documentary that dives into how technology is impacting our students and how to empower families to best navigate the digital world and find balance.
Miscellaneous	March 1 – End of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Trimester March 8 – R-P Fine Arts Night March 11 – Large Group Contest (Band and Choir) @ Fillmore Central March 12 – ACT Test for Juniors (Rescheduled due to Weather) March 15 – Senior Day at MN State SE March 18 – Screenagers Viewings March 23-29 – Senior Class Trip to Florida March 28 – Accuplacer at R-P for Interested Sophomores and Juniors April 12 – Career Expo Day around Rushford - Juniors