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June's Board Report

As of today, 3 June, NBHS has instructed 187 students school year to date plus our current 94. That is 281 students through our school this school year and we still have 11 days of school left. During the last three weeks in May, NBHS had its 17 juniors participating in the Smarter Balanced Assessment. For our students, this assessment was an extremely blunt eye-opener as to the new standards for learning. The good news is that 5 to 8 (depending which test) of our students really took the assessment seriously.

As of 3 June, 2015, NBHS has recognized the accomplishments of 13 seniors who have earned a Three Rivers School District high school diploma. We currently are planning for 14 graduates to participate in our ceremony scheduled for Thursday, 18 June at 6:00pm

NBHS is wrapping up our Writing Across the Curriculum initiative. Thus far, 49 students have completed the assignment with 9 meeting the state standards in writing. Three other teachers involved will conclude their writing this Friday and the data collected then. All students whose writing meets the standards will have their assignment included as part of their Essential Skills portfolio.

Three of our students have earned a spot in the final 11 in a KIDS GOT TALENT completion sponsored by OYA. As usual, one has already transitioned out.

NBHS Manufacturing Tech teacher, Warren Helgeson will begin working with the University of Oregon next school year in a Youth Correctional Education Program extension office initiative as a follow up to: Skills in the work place started three years ago.

20 poems were presented to CEEAS (Center for Education Excellence in Alternative Settings) for the 2015 National Words Unlocked completion. None of our students placed in the top Five, however, we are waiting for the top 125 listing.

NBHS will call this 2014-2015 school year done on Friday, 19 June and will again open our doors to our students on Monday, 6 July.

Thank you for your time, your service and your commitment to all students.

Respectfully submitted,

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