## **Cameron Middle School Board Report**

**STAR Enterprise** – For the second year CMS will be using STAR Enterprise for our universal screener and progress monitor. The purpose of this program is to find a baseline where students are at with their math and reading ability (universal screener). We will then monitor the progress (progress monitor) of students throughout the year with this on-line assessment tool. These scores will give us needed information so that we can make adjustments to how and what we teach to help all students grow.

**Successful Reader and Accelerated Math** – We have purchased Successful Reader and Accelerated Math as our Tier Two SRBI (Scientific Research Based Interventions) at CMS. These programs are part of the STAR Enterprise program. Our teachers chose these interventions and spent team time talking about the students that we will offer these programs.

**Summer Fun** – Kayleigh Lutz is our instructor for Summer Fun classes held at Sportsman's Park for our K-6 students. We are offering 5<sup>th</sup> grade orientation and compensatory math classes Aug. 18-22.

**Scheduling** – We have completed scheduling for 2014-15. This will be our second year with flexible grouping and longer blocks of teaching time for math and literacy.

**Meet the Teacher Night** - Meet the Teacher Night at CMS will be held on Wednesday, August 27. We will be doing grade level presentations on changes in ELA and Math curriculum and instruction to inform parents of higher expectations for student achievement.

New Teachers Orientation – New teacher orientation is scheduled for August 26.

**Opening In-service** – Opening in-service is scheduled for August 27-28.

First Student Day – Our first student day is September 2.

**WISEDash and VARC** – The principals, Mr. Leschisin and Miss Nelsen have been meeting throughout the summer to look at the state WISEdash site and have been concentrating on Value Added Report Card data to make instructional decisions and develop School Learning Objectives as part of the Educator Effectiveness Initiative.

**Subject and Student Centered Homework at CMS** – During 2014-2015 we will be concentrating on subject based (Reading and Math) and student centered (Individual skill and need) homework at CMS. This came as a result of our work on RtI, the Learning Leadership Team and state reports.

**CESA #11 Principals Networking Sessions** – On August 6 and 7 Mr. Spanel will be taking part in a networking session for area principals at CESA #11. The workshop will focus on new initiatives such as Educator Effectiveness and Principal SLO development.