

Lincolnshire-Prairie View School District 103

Memo

To: Board of Education

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CC: Dr. Scott WarrenDate: December 5, 2025

Re: Student Representative Report November 2025

Field Trips

Students always look forward to field trips. Field Trips are opportunities for students to bond with their friends and even make new ones. The hands-on experiences spark curiosity during explorations. Students are granted three opportunities every school year to socialize and learn outside the classroom setting. Field trips can be for a few hours or an overnight stay.

A few examples of field trips include: the Field Museum and Camp Duncan for 6th graders, Springfield, IL, and the Museum of Science and Industry for 7th graders, and the Stevenson High School play, as well as the trip to Washington D.C. for the 8th graders.

Grade-level teachers chaperone to account for the number of students on the field trips. Daniel Wright uses permission slips that, once signed by a guardian, allows the student to attend. This is an important factor of school field trips because safety is the number one priority.

Neon Nights

Neon Nights, an optional after-school event organized by Leaders in Learning for November 7, attracted approximately 120 students who could casually dress in neon to match the theme. This event offers students the opportunity to socialize, enjoy time with friends, and strengthen their bonds, whether on the dance floor or through sports activities. The cafeteria was transformed into a space for the D.J. and dancing, while one of the gyms was set up for recreational sports including volleyball and basketball. Snacks were also available for purchase as well as face-painting. Previously known as DW after Dark, Neon Nights underwent a change this year: a new D.J. in response to student feedback. Leaders in Learning earned \$600 dollars from the event and are getting ready to discuss donation options at the next meeting.

Trimester Reset

On December 3, Daniel Wright had a Trimester Reset presentation during Warrior Wednesday time. The presentation reminded students about expectations for our school year. These presentations refresh our memory on maintaining a safe learning environment. Some examples of these expectation reminders include our no gum chewing policy, keeping our hallways safe, and getting to class on time. There was a separate presentation for each grade, making this opportunity to reflect on the past trimester more personalized for each grade level. This presentation also lets us know things that are worth celebrating. Specifically for 8th grade, fewer suspensions and lunch detentions as well as better hallway behaviour using the Pikmykid app were key points made during the presentation. This presentation is an important part during the transition between trimesters because it allows students to refocus and bring out their true potential.