

Hello Board Members,

I have been in and out over the last couple of weeks, but I will do my best to recap everything that has happened during this busy time and I apologize if I miss anything. With the new semester underway, everyone has started their new classes and, for the most part, seems to be enjoying them. As things are in full swing, I have received emails requesting a homecoming event and a middle school dance, so planning these will be my next big project. Additionally, I have been invited to Hollis School to work through some things and answer any questions, and I hope to take them up on that offer soon. From February 10-13, I organized a spirit week, and I've been told that those who participated had a great time. In sports, our basketball team has had three home games and is preparing for their next. Archery is also doing well and working hard. The school shirts created by the small business class are finished, and we've already started brainstorming new designs to sell at concessions. Recently, a group of students had the opportunity to travel to Juneau to speak with legislators about school funding, and they did an excellent job. While in Juneau, we also toured the University of Alaska Southeast (UAS), which was personally very helpful for me as I consider my future education options. Currently, some students and I are attending the Educators Rising conference, and we hope to bring back valuable insights.

If time allows, please take a moment to watch this video of me giving testimony to legislators about school funding. Unfortunately I couldn't get the one of Toney to record but I will add a link to where you can find it if you would like.

Thank you!

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