

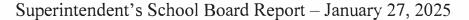
# PORT ORFORD-LANGLOIS SCHOOL DISTRICT 2CJ

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"We are here to help our Students......

Navigate Challenges With Grace, Prepare For Their Futures and Anchor Themselves In Our Community."

#### CORRESPONDENCE

**January is School Board Appreciation Month** – We, our staff and students will have some tokens of appreciation to share with you at the meeting for your work and dedication to our kids, schools and community. Your volunteer work is seen, felt and appreciated!

**ODE** – **Division 22 Standards** – We received notification that we are officially in compliance of these standards, with no corrective action needed.

#### BOARD

**Aaron's Work** – Aaron is working on developing next year's instructional calendar and budget, determining staffing needs for next year, continuing work to fine tune our emergency responses after our latest tsunami warning, continuing work with staff on our District Readiness work, and beginning the process and tasks associated with going out for a General Obligation Bond in November of 2025.

**District Goals/Strategic Plan/Vision for Readiness** – Aaron will have a verbal update on his work in these areas, and will add this section to his regular monthly reporting to the Board.

Individual Board Member/Superintendent Meetings: Please set a time.

# STUDENTS/ACADEMICS

**Student and Parent Surveys** – Mr. Miller will have a short presentation on the results of our most recent Student and Family Engagement Surveys.

#### **STAFF**

**District PD Update** – For January Friday PD Teachers will have an individual workday, two days of TLC Work, and a grading day.

#### **BUDGET**

**2025-26 Budget Planning** - Aaron and Tara are developing next year's budget. The initial outlook is solid and the revenue from the state is projected to increase significantly. Our Admin team is working to evaluate programs and staffing needs to ensure necessary



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Federal Program Decreases – With the new administration we have been "promised" there will be financial cuts. The three areas we are very likely to see significant decreases in federal funding are Title I (Supplemental reading and math services at Driftwood), Rural Education Achievement Program (REAP which is specifically to help provide rural districts with lagging funding) and E-Rate (helps offset large technology infrastructure costs for small districts).

## **FACILITIES**

Long Range Planning Committee Work – This group has now met three times and has developed an initial prioritization plan for completing projects on the list. Mr. Miller will be working to schedule student, staff and community meetings to share these results, gather further input, and finalize a priority list for developing the specifics for our November 2025 Bond Request.

**Board Workshop – Set a Date?** – It is important for the Board to understand the Bond process and to prioritize potential projects that are recommended by the Long-Range Planning Committee. Can we set a date?

**Update on Construction Grants and Bond** - Mr. Miller will have a verbal update on these items at the meeting.

#### DISTRICT EVENTS/HAPPENINGS

Mr. Miller will have a list of upcoming District events for you at the meeting.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER:

Next Board Meeting - February 24, 2025 - 6 p.m.