

Middle/High School Board Report
October 15, 2018
Mr. Timm
Respect – Integrity - Excellence

GOAL 1: Personalize learning for all students in pursuit of their academic excellence.

We had 10 juniors/seniors attend a Mayo Career fair on Tuesday, October 9th. The students were able to get a better understanding of all the different careers that are available through the Mayo Health System.

Our junior class toured Winona State, St. Mary’s and Minnesota State-Southeast on Friday, October 12th. This trip allowed students to see three different types of colleges.

Our sophomore class will be attending a career expo in Winona on Friday, November 16th.

Mrs. Helgemoe is working on our annual fall career speaker day. We have individuals from various careers come into the high school to talk about their careers and give students a better idea about different careers. Students are able to sign up for different sessions based on their interests.

GOAL 2: Develop well-rounded students in the areas of character, community & academics.

Our Middle School Staff is working with the students and has a goal this year of every student getting all their homework turned in. With this, they are creating opportunities for students to make up work they did not turn in. Our first “enrichment day” was Friday, October 12th. Students that had all work turned in took turns playing dodgeball, watching a movie, playing board games and going for a hike and picking up litter in our community. As the morning progressed, as students completed all their work they were able to join in the fun.

On October 14th we held our annual National Honor Society Induction Ceremony. Mr. Chuck Ehler, R-P Superintendent, was the guest speaker. The following students will make up our 2018-19 National Honor Society

Seniors:

- Kaitlyn Bieberdorf
- Chloe Bunke
- Kjersta Hinz
- Peyton Hoiness
- Lauren Lawston
- Abby Malone
- Nolan Mueller
- Megan Oian
- Landon Skalet

Juniors:

- Leah Himlie
- Ayla McNeill
- Jasmine Schuler

<p>GOAL 3: Maximize the personal and professional potential of all staff.</p>	<p>Our Professional Learning Communities are meeting weekly again this year. Our staff members that attended the Learning Institute in Kasson over the summer brought back numerous ideas to help our teachers improve their craft as well as help improve student education. We are using the following four essential questions to help lead discussions in regards to students both academically and socially:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What do we expect our students to learn? 2. How do we know they are learning it? 3. How will we respond when they don't learn? 4. How will we respond if they already know it?
<p>GOAL 4: Promote and provide positive school and community culture that engages all stakeholders.</p>	<p>Homecoming Week went well. A big thank you to Mrs. Mathison, Mrs. Bergan and the MS and HS student councils for their efforts in coordinating the festivities for the week.</p> <p>Homecoming Royalty included Nolan Mueller and Abby Malone being crowned king and queen. The rest of the court consisted of King candidates Landon Skalet, Ian Brown and Dominic Jenkins. Queen candidates Peyton Hoiness, Jaylen Connaughty and Julissa Trejo</p> <p>Other highlights included; All School Pepfest, Homecoming games for Volleyball, Football and Cross Country, Homecoming Parade, Homecoming Dance, Pumpkin Bowl Dance, Break-Out sessions, Trojan Head painting in resident driveways and yards, and Window Painting of local businesses.</p>
<p>Miscellaneous</p>	<p>October 18-19 – MEA Break October 29 – Fall Parent/Teacher Conference November 7 – Academic Letter Ceremony November 8 – Pre-ACT (Juniors)/ASVAB (Sophomores) Testing November 9-11 – All School Play (Willy Wonka) November 16 – Sophomores attending Career Expo in Winona November 29 – End of 1st Trimester</p>