

Miscellaneous Items to Report by Superintendent

Group Health Insurance Two-Year Mandatory Bid Cycle:

Bid request newspaper ad publish on or before Feb. 1

Challenging to get multiple bids due to being in the 'Small Group Pool'

Badger has approx. 48 regular part-time and full-time employees

Approx. 29 are eligible to enroll in Badger group health insurance

Currently **only 14 employees choose to enroll** in group health insurance provided by employer Badger ISD 676

Assistance from:

Northwest Service Cooperative (Dan Weir, Rob Blankenfeld, Chris Wavra)

North Risk Partners (Mike Reishus, Kim Swanson and Cheryl Nelson)

Stay up-to-date with 2023
Legislative Session

MN Rural Ed Assoc. (MREA) **Tuesday** 7 a.m. morning virtual briefings with Advocacy Director (Attorney) Sam Walseth. Recording made available at noon

MN School Boards Assoc. (MSBA) **Friday** Chat Room for weekly legislative updates via Zoom; plus Monday's Weekly Advocate sent by email

MN Assoc. of School Admin. (MASA – Supt.'s group) Session updates from the previous week received on **Mondays** from Lobbyist Valeria Dosland

MN Assoc. of Secondary School Principals (MASSP) will provide legislative updates by email from Lobbyist (Attorney) Roger Aronson

Inclement Road Conditions

Thurs., Nov. 10: Closed early

Fri., Nov. 11: e-Learning Day #1 (four remaining)

Wed., Dec. 14: School & Buses Two-Hours Late

AM: 3 out of 4 route buses stuck requiring towing

Thurs., Dec. 15: Closed early

Vacancies to fill for current SY2022-2023:

Jr. High/Sr. High Sp Ed Para

Needed by Second Semester Mon., Jan. 23

Industrial Arts Teacher Dec. 22 – Feb. 6

Mr. Coltom has been providing some virtual mentoring to the substitute Teachers

Bus Route Driver – recommend Long-Term Sub