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Board of Education Report
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Building project planning/updates

May	20	Elementary school - Pre-bid walk-thru (10:00 a.m. – noon)
	22	HS project pre-construction meeting (1:00 p.m.)
	29	Track/FB field construction meeting (11:00 a.m.)
June	5	Track/FB field construction meeting (11:00 a.m.)
	9	Access Security meeting (2:00 p.m.)
	11	HS project construction meeting (8:00 a.m.)
	12	Elementary school – Bid opening (2:00 p.m.)
	5	Track/FB field construction meeting (11:00 a.m.)
	16	Elementary school – Bids approved
	19	Elementary school – Ground-breaking ceremony 2:00 p.m.

-Demolition in the high school started quickly on June 9 and continued throughout the week. Our custodial staff had several projects taken care of earlier this spring, so the contractors were able to start with larger demolition projects and things are certainly moving. All of the footings are poured for the addition and block foundations were going up as of June 10.

-Despite the continued rain, we are still on schedule with the high school addition, track and football field. As such, we are still scheduled to play our first home football game at the new field on Friday, September 12. We are tentatively planning a ribbon cutting ceremony prior to the game and also looking to have the ad hoc committee members help out with a brat feed. We will be firming these plans up throughout the summer.

Summer School 2015 Planning

Starting next fall, we are going to begin putting plans together for 2015 summer school and summer recreation activities. We are considering a 6 week program that will involve academic/enrichment classes in the morning followed by recreation activities in the afternoons. This will involve running a regular bus schedule with both morning and afternoon bus times as well as a lunch program to feed the students prior to the afternoon activities. Both Brett Ridout and Jenna Wilsey have agreed to take on the roles of Summer Recreation coordinators. We have a lot of logistics to pull together, so our hope is to get started on this early and pull together a comprehensive K-12 summer school/recreation program.

Miscellaneous

Summer custodial/cleaning plans – We spent a good deal of time this spring planning for the upcoming summer. While things will be fairly status quo at the elementary this summer, they are already preparing for the big move next summer by doing as much purging as they can. At the HS/MS the staff are teaming up and starting the summer cleaning in the middle school and then will transition to the high school as the renovation progress allows.