

Site Report – Nondalton – November, 2023

To: Superintendent Kasie Luke
and LPSD School Board Members

From: Moon McCarley, Principal



Outstanding Activities and Events

- Secondary students had two weeks in a row of activities that took them away from home. They had a great time at the Jamboree, CTE, and District Volleyball. We missed them at school!
- Nondalton hosted elementary teachers from several schools for the Elementary Literacy Retreat. Read more about it in the Professional development section.
- Mr. Blackwell has been leading lego robotics. It has been a big hit with students!

Personnel

- We've been grateful to have Valerie Burgess (elementary,) Rick Rohlman (Special Education,) and Genna Mann (student teacher) with us for the fall semester. They will all be greatly missed!



Standards Based System/Curriculum Progress

- Students in both classes have passes several levels this semester.
- Most students in Mrs. Burgess's class have passed a level of social studies. Several have also passed a level of science. There has even been a level of math and one of reading passed in her class!
- Two secondary students just passed a level of math and have already started on the next one.

Technology Progress

- Nothing to report

Facility Update

- We appreciate the support of the maintenance department as we work to keep things in good repair.

LSAC Activity

- We are hoping to have an LSAC meeting in December.

Volunteer Report

- Nothing to report.

Professional Development

- Nondalton hosted an Elementary Literacy Retreat. Those teachers participating in the Elementary PLC were invited to Nondalton for the weekend. On Saturday we had a day of professional development. This included Executive Functioning, Teacher Self Care, emphasis on the Science of Reading in our reading curriculum, and a structured work time. Those teachers who didn't wish to travel joined via zoom. Those who attended in person had the opportunity to meet each other in person, explore Nondalton, and learn to bead glass floats. (Thanks to Kasie Luke for donating some of her collection from Port Heiden.)



Pupil Attendance

- The October attendance rate was 86.67%

Student and Staff Safety

- The Warrior volleyball team had a harrowing flight following the district volleyball jamboree. After a very rough ride from Newhalen the pilot attempted to land and was forced to turn back because of high winds. The team and coach were very afraid to fly the next day.

Subsistence Calendar

- Staff and students are doing their best to address all learning needs within the shortened calendar.

Other

The Elementary Class Decorated Lockers for the Warriors!

