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To: Board of Education
From: Casey Wescott
Re: North Creek Board Report
Date: November 17th, 2025

Dear Members of the Chelsea Board of Education,

It's hard to believe we're already in November! Things at North Creek are moving right along as we continue providing high-quality instruction, engaging learning experiences, and building a school culture rooted in kindness, connection, and community.

Halloween was a *spooktacular* success! From superheroes and princesses to dinosaurs and a few mystery creatures that defied classification, our students—and staff—brought the fun! The parade through the Lanewood neighborhood was filled with laughter, waving parents, and plenty of “awws” from our community. Thanks to our amazing families, staff, and the Chelsea Police Department, the event went off without a (witch’s) hitch. It’s one of those North Creek traditions that perfectly blends fun and community.

We also took time this month for something very special—our Veterans Day recognition. Each year, every student and staff member participates in a meaningful school-wide event in which each of us places an American flag along McKinley St. to honor those who have served and continue to serve our country. In addition to this outdoor tradition, classrooms held activities, hosted a Veteran, and reflected on honoring veterans and their families. It’s a reminder for our students of the importance of gratitude and service.

As we move further into November, I want to take a moment to recognize the tremendous dedication of our teachers as they continue implementing the Collaborative Classroom ELA curriculum. From last year’s pilot work and summer preparation to our August professional learning days, our staff has invested significant time and energy to ensure a strong and successful launch for our students. Their collaboration, care, and commitment to putting kids first have been remarkable.

We are grateful to the Board of Education for your continued partnership. You make a difference for our students, families, and staff.

Take care,,
Casey Wescott
Principal, North Creek Elementary



Upcoming Dates...

- Nov. 17th - 21st - NC Book Fair (open during P/T Conferences)
- Nov. 19 & 20th - P/T Conferences
- Nov. 21st - 1st Trimester Ends
- Nov. 26th - 28th - No School / Thanksgiving Break
- Dec. 4th - 1st Grade Music Concert at CHS Auditorium
- Dec. 5th - Report Cards available to parents in Power School
- Dec. 19th - Community Meeting
- Dec. 22nd - Jan. 2nd - No School/Winter Break

Monthly Update of CSD Goals & North Creek's Building Goal...

- CSD G1 (POG) - CSD team attended and presented at EdLeader Conferences - NCE staff member Katie Stacey attended
- CSD G2 (Engagement) - Halloween Community Parade, Homecoming Spirit Week, Veterans Day upcoming CHS performing arts assembly, EdLeadership Conference (NCE staff member attended as a part of the CSD team)
- CSD G3 (Health & Safety) - Participated in our National School Safety Week during the week of Oct. 20th, Verkada Guest visitor management system has been implemented, PD on Nov. 3 included Responsive Classroom and BESS work
- North Creek G1 (POG) - POG student reflections created and displayed on lockers, Trimester 1 report card has POG skills in 2 spots, P/T Conferences teachers talked about POG strength, continued bi-weekly scope & sequence of a POG characteristic Y5-2nd grades, Tri 2 - Academic: Self-Directed, Problem Solvers, Innovative, Curious October
- North Creek G1 (Literacy) - Increased alignment between reading curriculum and intervention, Shifted intervention support to better align with research, increased collaboration between interventionists and grade level teachers