

Medford School Board Meeting September, 2014 Medford Elementary School/ Community Education

WORKERS

- Great kickoff to the year where our <u>Learning Under Construction</u> theme was introduced.
- We will introduce a new social skill every month W=wise O=organized
- Teachers wear yellow vests on worker Wednesdays and students have blaze orange shirts. Both pieces have our theme printed on them.

Beginning of the Year

- We are off to a good start K-6 as we welcome new students and begin establishing routines for the 14-15 school year.
- Enrollment numbers fluctuate very little as we are consistently in the mid to lower 20's per classroom K-6.

Technology

- Students in grades 4-6 have received their I-pads. Ms. Ridenour did a fine job presenting to the students and teachers via an "iPad boot camp."
- Staff continue to better themselves with "in-house" workshops such as Appy Friday where staff discuss and share apps and tech ideas. Teachers also are attending tech workshops outside of the building as part of their professional development.

Upcoming Fall Activities

- Bus Safety-Sept. 25
- NWEA and MCA TBD (Fall)
- Fire Prevention Week Oct. 7-13
- Data Day Oct. 15
- MEA Oct. 16, 17

Assessment

• Mr. Dahman

Community Education

- The fall booklet is out and classes are underway
- Update on 3-6 VB and FB