



Frederic School District

Administrative Report

July 2022

Parent University

The Frederic School District and Mental Health Task Force of Polk County are collaborating to bring this event to Frederic on Saturday, November 5, 2022. The event will include a keynote presentation and various breakout sessions. Some preliminary topics include substance abuse prevention, life after high school, literacy, nutrition, mental health, physical activity, and behavior. A number of organizations will be present for a resource fair. Jessica O'Connor and Jada Anderson are working closely with the Task Force to bring this event to our community.

Server Project

Our current IT infrastructure servers are approximately 10 years old and needing replacement in order to mitigate failure issues. Through the replacement process, we will create greater redundancy in our antiquated phone server, which is currently a stand alone server, by tying it into the new stack of servers. We are working with our provider to determine the best structure to put in place and the timeline for the work. Our goal is to minimize any down time for our systems.

Trainings

Many staff members have participated in recent training related to our student assessment system, which includes the data warehousing component. Staff have been able to work with our student spring assessment data, as we utilized the Fastbridge system rather than the STAR assessments this past spring. Having the local data during the training has been helpful, and provides a deeper level of understanding prior to the start of the school year.

Tech Ed Equipment Addition

Thanks to the donation from Quanix this past year, we have recently purchased a vinyl cutter for the tech ed students to expand their creative and learning opportunities. The two types of vinyl that can be cut would be heat transfer vinyl and adhesive/sticker vinyl. Heat transfer vinyl could be used for clothing, hats, etc and sticker vinyl could be used for decals. The design software is the same as the students are experiencing on some of the other equipment, so Mr. Olsen feels the students should be able to start creating quickly.

