

Executive Director Board Update - February 10, 2025 Meeting

District-Wide:

- Total Enrollment: 505 students
 - Online Program: 361 students
 - Seat-Based Program: 144 students

Seat-Based Program (144 students):

- Staff spotlight on Director Annette Klang demonstrating servant leadership through hands-on facility maintenance
- Successful implementation of grade-level PLCs and common planning times
- Strong winter programming with students utilizing sledding hill and outdoor activities
- Notable community engagement:
 - Joe Cutkay secured \$200 from Crosslake Garden Club for spring plant sale
 - Kathy Faust obtained \$3,000+ from Lions Club for food packing service project
- Successful Wolf Ridge environmental education trip for 7th/8th graders
- Month of caring initiatives launched with classroom activities and staff engagement

Online Program (361 students):

- Current enrollment breakdown:
 - K-5: 38 students
 - 6-12: 323 students
- Alumni initiative progress driven by Karen Teff:
 - 90% alumni contact information secured
 - Survey draft under review for March 1 distribution
 - Final report expected by end of school year
- MCA proctoring needs:
 - Currently seeking proctors for Onamia, Hibbing, and Duluth locations
 - Focus on building student-teacher connections through testing process
- Optional Osprey Wilds field trip planned for grades 6-12 (April 9-11)
- February Tremolo newsletter distributed to staff and students

Combined District Achievements:

- Cabin Fever Event success with 20+ interactive stations resulting in 10 new family enrollments
- Academic performance analysis underway comparing CCS with other MN online high schools using multiple assessment metrics (MCA, NWEA, STAR, FastBridge, NAEP)
- Strong community partnerships developing with Crosslake Community Center for expanded activity options
- Implementation of district-wide virtual backgrounds for professional meeting consistency