

DU PAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT 13
BOARD OF EDUCATION
Bloomington, Illinois

Regular Meeting March 24, 2025

FOR INFORMATION:

Subject: Superintendent's Report

Student Presentation

Lake Park Students are trained to lead activities that build on concepts related to money, spending and saving, and the value of work all the way to understanding skills that will make their futures brighter. Kim Wagner from Junior Achievement informed me of a high school program that provides leadership opportunities to facilitate financial literacy concepts to our young learners. From there, Assistant Principal Foster took over to provide and train the Lancers while the D13 Assistant Principals prepared the students on our end.

One of the fortunate consequences from when we initiated the process was discovering the number of Lake Park students who still had siblings or extended family in our D13 elementary schools. The excitement of having their older sister or brother or cousin come to their class to teach led to greater connection and relevance to the world around them. Tonight, representatives from Lake Park High School and Erickson Elementary will share their experiences in this program.

Student Ambassador Report

Tonight, I welcome 8th grade students Evelyn Voytek and Jacob Kane to provide the Board an update on the schools for the past couple of months.

Community Forum

Data and feedback from the March 10 Community Forum on Safety will be reviewed at the meeting.

State Senator Seth Lewis

Tonight, State Senator Seth Lewis will be present to share information with the Board about an opportunity he had in Springfield to support Bloomington School District 13 and what it means for the District.