

School District of Bayfield
High School/Middle School Principal Robert Kent's
Report to the School Board
November 3, 2010

Respect – Tolerance – Communication

Achievement & Curriculum Expansion

October 5th & 13th Sue Ward & Stacy Peterson attended an English Data Retreats at the Bayfield Rec. Center hosted by Jim Lee from CESA #12.

October 6th & 12th Alan Rogers & Darryl Penner attended a Math Data Retreats at the Bayfield Rec. Center hosted by Jim Lee from CESA #12.

October 7th Beth Hoagland & Mark O'Neill attended a Science Data Retreat at the Bayfield Rec. Center hosted by Jim Lee from CESA #12.

October 7th Mrs. Belanger took eight (8) of her high school PE students on a golfing field trip to the Apostle Highlands Golf Course.

October 8th & 14th Jeff Kriner & Leo Filipczak attended a Social Studies Data Retreats at the Bayfield Rec. Center hosted by Jim Lee from CESA #12.

October 13th thirteen (13) high school students took the PSAT Test in the LRC.
Also on the 13th Mr. Theune and seven (7) of his MS Alt. Ed. students traveled to the Raspberry Trail for a community service project to remove downed trees and clean up the trail.

October 21st Mr. Wenz took nine (9) of his high school band members to UW-Superior to participate in Honor Band.

October 26th Mr. Lussenhop, Mr. Olson and nine (9) high school students participated in FutureQuest @ CESA #12.

October 27th Beth Hoagland attended a second Science Data Retreat at the Bayfield Rec. Center hosted by Jim Lee from CESA #12.

School Climate

On October 6th (8th grade), 8th (7th grade), and 14th (6th grade) Ms. Grieve worked with each middle school class with team building activities.

October 7th high school and middle school staff continued to work on PBIS at an after school meeting.

Also on the 7th Jeff Kriner attended a Peer Aggression & Bullying Workshop @ CESA #12.

During the week of October 11th middle school and high school students participated in a short school climate survey.

October 21st the Junior class sponsored a Halloween dance for middle school students. Approximately sixty-eight (68) students attended the festive activity.

October 29th forty-three (43) students attended the high school Halloween dance and fun was had by all.

Miscellaneous

October 13th the Senior class traveled to the Apostle Islands Golf Course and the Coast Guard Park to take their class pictures.

October 26th a large number of our staff took advantage of the offering of flu shots arranged for by our school nurse Sue Marincel.

October 27th Shellie Swanson & the Bayfield School Library were chosen as one of three runners up in the Diary of a Wimpy Kid contest. She was selected to receive an audio book and the hard copy for our library.

October 28th & 29th Jeff Wenz attended the Wisconsin State Music Conference in Madison, WI.

Discipline Report for October

Middle School

½ Day ISS – 0

Full Day ISS – 0

OSS – 5

High School

½ Day ISS – 37

Full Day ISS – 0

OSS – 12

Attendance

October – Middle & High School Truancy Report

17	1 st & 2 nd day letters
10	3 rd day letters
7	4 th day letters
23	5 th day citation letters

WINNER of the Wimpy Kid Announced!

Posted on October 27, 2010 by recordedbooks

Recently, we asked librarians to tell us what they'd do with a life-size Greg Heffley cutout. Congratulations to **Karon Bybee of Lakeside Elementary in Texas, grand prize winner** of the *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* contest!

Karon's idea: I am the literacy coach at Lakeside Elementary and would love to involve the school in a Wimpy Kid week. I would like to move the cut out around the school to pop up unexpectedly, so all the classes could participate in activities. We might read from Wimpy kid at lunch to peak interest. I would like for my struggling readers to watch the interview with Jeff Kinney and then create their own interview with Greg. We would broadcast the interview on the morning announcements to kick off the festivities. I would like to have my younger students draw themselves as a character to add into a wimpy kid adventure, which we would write either as a shared book or an individual story depending on the level. I would like to turn their adventures in to a podcast for parents to view. Finally to end the week with a celebration on "your favorite wimpy story" and I've been known to create some wimpy cookies.

We really love Karon's plan to share Greg with the whole school through morning announcements, and involve everyone by writing their own wimpy adventure. Sharing these stories with parents and others through podcasts and videos is a great way to get parents involved and hopefully get students reading at home, too. (And we'd like to go on record to say that while the promise of cookies did not sway our vote, we'd still love it if Karon would send a few our way!) Karon will win a host of goodies for Lakeside Elementary, including the coveted cardboard wimpy kid.

We wish we had more than one wimpy kid to give away! Alas, there is only one Greg Heffley. So we also picked three runners up, who will each win one CD audiobook and one print book for one of the books in the Wimpy Kid series. Those winners are:

- **Shellie Swanson (Bayfield School District Library)**, who suggested using Greg as a basis for a character education discussion for middle schoolers
- **Kathy Scott (Hallsville)**, who suggested that Greg Heffley write a column for the school newspaper
- **Becky Norgard (Elim Christian Services)**, who planned to involve both younger and older students in a skit where the kids could see cutouts of themselves palling around with Greg (how cute!)