

TO: Bayfield School Board

FROM: Jeff Gordon

DATE: October 18, 2017

SUBJECT: District Administrator Report for October 2017

1. BUILDING PROJECTS

We have two projects that are close to completion for the start of the school year: The Island School has had renovations to the Gutters outside of the building and replacing a vent on the roof. And the baseball field dugouts, bleachers, and concession stand work is currently taking place.

2. ADMINISTRATORS UPDATE

The school attendance is up by one percent at this time from the previous year. We have been working hard to make attendance a top priority for our students and parents. Teachers are working with student(s) groups to engage in conversations correlated the importance of attendance with academics. The one percent increase has shown a positive result at this time.

3. School Performance Report Card

The 2016-17 school report card should be arriving soon from the Wisconsin Department of Instruction. We will notify the Board of Education and the public when the state allows the district to distribute the information to our school-wide community.

4. BAYFIELD POOL AND RECREATION CENTER

The center has sponsored at no cost to our students a two-day basketball clinic for boys and girls in grades 6th – 12th. The event will be at our school gymnasium on Saturday & Sunday, October 21st & 22nd. Flyers will be distributed to our students in school and throughout the community.

5. RED CLIFF SOFTBALL FIELD USAGE

There has been communication with the Red Cliff Tribal officials to seek permission or an agreement to use the softball field for our spring softball program. Our current baseball field is not appropriate for our softball team and has caused difficulties in scheduling home games. Other schools in our conference have two ball fields which allows for both baseball and softball teams to travel on the same day to the games which decrease the cost and makes scheduling that much easier. It will be a great use of our community resources that our student-athletes can benefit towards their softball participation.