

# **School District of Bayfield**

## **Board Report**

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The academic data retreats and the School Climate and Special Education data retreats have been completed. We are still doing some final revisions. The information is being used for the writing of the Safe School/Healthy Student Grant. We will be discussing how the information is going to be distributed and used.

Currently we have 106 students in Special Education and with 504 plans. During the month of January we held 21 IEP/504 meetings. We have eight new referrals that we are processing.

We are in the process of planning the Child Wellness Day. This will be held on March 5, 2011 from 9:30-1:30 at the Great Lakes Visitor's Center. This event is being planned by the School Districts of Ashland, Washburn, Bayfield, South Shore and Drummond. The local Head Starts and Family Forum programs are also involved. This is one of the Child Find activities which we provide for the public. We will be screening children from Birth to 5 years of age.

Planning has begun for the Kindergarten screening. This will be held on April 19 and 20.

The Instructional Assistants are meeting monthly with Dr. Andy Paulson. Dr. Paulson works through the Launch grant at the Red Cliff Head Start. The assistants always enjoy the time they spend learning from him.

We have not had the opportunity to meet as a Special Education staff so I do not have any concerns from them at this time.