

**Agenda Item Details**

Meeting	Dec 16, 2024 - Regular School Board Meeting - REVISED
Category	3. Administrative Reports
Subject	3.5 MS/HS Principal Report
Type	Action (Consent)

Student Success:

The second evening of Parent/Teacher conferences was held at Legendary Waters conference center on November 6th. The event was well attended; we had almost forty families sign in and meet with teaching staff.

With the end of first quarter and sports in full swing, teachers are working closely with families to support our athletes to ensure they are eligible to play. All athletes must be passing all classes and attend the full day of school to be eligible to play. Grades are checked weekly. Coaches and Athletic Director check attendance on game day.

Student & Staff Health and Wellbeing:

Super Secret Staff Spirit Week was held the full week before Fall Break. Staff had Ninja Day, Impeccable Day, An Apple a Day, Anything but a Cup Day, and Zoom Day. Lots of laughs and even more confused students all week were wondering what the heck the staff was up to. A drawing was held for all participants, with Eli Wilson & Savannah Marshall winning new Troller gear to represent. Staff flyer is attached below.

All School Lip Dub recording day was held on November 25th. Mr. Dave Doering organized, with his Video Production class, the pop tunes, lip syncing and choreography. All grades were involved. Mr. Doering also worked with the Army National Guard to bring in their obstacle course for all of our students to use afterwards. At the end of the day, the administrative team doled out ice cream for all staff and students.

Ms. Stacy Peterson and the National Honor Society set up a Gratitude Tree in our commons area. Staff and students were invited to add gratitude leaves to the tree for all to see and appreciate. Two gratitude bulletin boards were also put up for display for the month, with staff encouraged to write thank you notes to other staff members.

Community Collaborations and Partnerships:

Ms. Cathy Smith continues to grow our Youth Apprenticeship program. She has spent a lot of time connecting with local employers and matching students with career opportunities that interest them. We currently have fourteen students fully enrolled, one student completing the paperwork, and one more interested student.

Efficient Use of Resources:

October/November family newsletter went out to families. Safety information was included due to teacher concern about student online behavior with social media off-campus. Attached below.

The Middle School schedule committee has been formed to look at developing a 25-26 schedule.

Teachers sharing input to update the High School Course Handbook for 2025-26 school year.

Calendar committee has begun meeting to develop a proposed school calendar for next year. Attendance data was shared with the committee. The data shows lower attendance when K-5 is not in school. However, special days such as final exams and Apple Fest Friday showed an increase for high school students. The committee is working with administration to look at all options, including two possible calendars (K-5 and 6-12), shorter days for K-5 with different busing schedules, four-day school week, trimesters for MS/HS, etc. These are all ideas, nothing has been finalized and plans for community survey/input is needed. Attendance data is attached below.

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Submitted respectfully by Shellie Swanson, 6-12 Principal

[October_November Family Letter 2024 \(1\).pdf \(139 KB\)](#)

[Secret Staff Spirit Week \(1\) \(1\) \(2\).png \(1,948 KB\)](#)

[2 Calendar Attendance Data 2021-November 2024.pdf \(66 KB\)](#)

[Math Help.jpg \(81 KB\)](#)

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