



To: Mr. Mahoney and Board of Education
From: Kip Crandall
Re: January Board Report
Date: January 7, 2019

Current Enrollment:

7th Grade – 125
8th Grade – 108

SIP Goals & Progress:

Please see separate document.

PPAC Meeting: - Three parents attended the meeting held on Wednesday, December 11th. We discussed the following agenda items:

- 1) District Athletic Action planning work to date
- 2) 5 Essentials Survey
- 3) Continued discussion about our Chrome Book 1:1 pilot
- 4) Discussion surrounding the parent guide to The Leader in Me (TLIM)

Professional Development:

1/24 – Individual Lighthouse Teams will spend time with a coach from TLIM discussing how to enrich the work each team is responsible for and discuss how it relates to student leadership.

Wednesdays – On a rotating schedule, reteach/enrich rostering and planning, staff meetings, grade level Student Assistant Team mtgs. and grade level meetings, professional development (independent and staff led), Professional Learning Community (PLC) work and SIP/Leader in Me sessions are conducted.

Beyond Textbooks Update:

- Math and ELA pacing anticipate having standards taught prior to state testing in April.

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The Leader in Me:

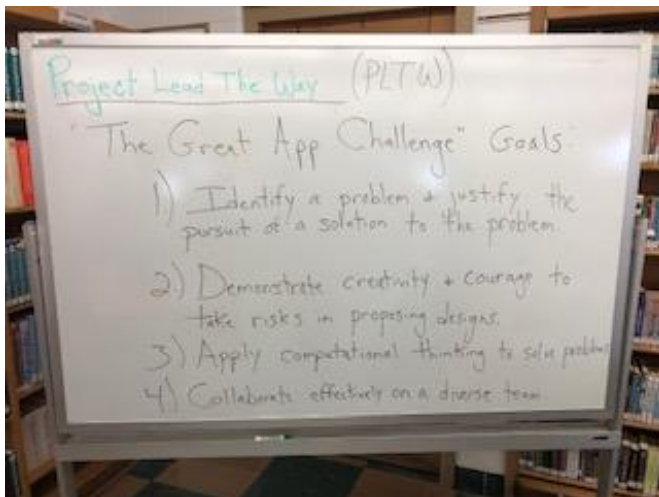
Lighthouse teams have met on several occasions and continue to plan student led activities that will help continue the rollout of The Leader in Me. Cricut equipment has been purchased to help start the work of enhancing the physical appearance of DLR. Materials were also purchased at Menard's over break to help in this process as well.

7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens book studies continue during homeroom at both the 7th and 8th grade levels.

Events List:

1. Jan. 9 – Student Council Mtg. – 7:00 am
2. Jan. 10 – Report Cards issued
3. Jan. 16 – FCA Mtg. – 7:00 am
4. Jan. 17 – DLR 2nd qtr. Award Assembly – 1:50 pm
5. Jan. 20 – Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day – No School
6. Jan. 23 – Student Council Mtg. – 7:00 am
7. Jan. 30 – FCA Mtg. – 7:00 am
8. Feb. 8 – Rt. 72 Solo & Ensemble Contest – 8:00 am at AFC Jr/Sr HS

Positively Speaking:



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8th graders show off the apps they created in technology class. Their final products were the culmination of the App Creator Module in the newly instilled Project Lead the Way curriculum. Teachers, administration, students, business leaders and media all visited throughout the day!



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Students and staff alike enjoy dress up days the week prior to Christmas break.



7th graders and staff enjoy their SOAR reward trip to White Pines Skating on Friday, December 20th. Students earned the trip by maintaining appropriate academic and behavioral standing.

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Staff and 8th grade students enjoy their SOAR reward day at Plum Hollow on Friday, December 20th. This trip too was earned by having appropriate grades and behavior through second quarter.

Respectfully submitted, Kip Crandall



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