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To: Mr. Mahoney and Board of Education

From: Kip Crandall

Re: May Board Report Date: May 10, 2017

Current Enrollment:

7th Grade – 84 8th Grade – 114

SIP Goals & Progress:

<u>SIP Goal 1</u>: At each grade level 5% more students will achieve their MAP growth target* in the areas of reading and math and close the free/reduced vs. paid lunch status achievement gap in math and reading by 2.5%. *(as compared to trend data indicating what would normally be expected.) MAP testing will be completed this week and will give us our final numbers for this goal. Chapters six and seven of the book Game Changers was presented at our April staff meeting.

<u>SIP Goal 2</u>: At each grade level we will close the free/reduced vs. paid lunch status attainment gap by 2.5 %. Additional 2018 SIP discussions include: 1) moving our breakfast program to homeroom instead of before school and open to all students and 2) a potential additional leadership opportunity for our students through a program at IMSA.

<u>SIP Goal 3</u>: As a result of a focused effort related to "soft skills" (organization, goal setting, acts of kindness, etc.) activity participation, I am an Eagle, Eagle Hours and attendance percentages will increase over 2015-16 percentages. 167/196 students are currently involved in at least one DLR extracurricular activity (85%.) Last year 86% of our students ended the year involved in at least one extracurricular. 149/196 (76.02%) have at least ten hours of community service thus far this year as compared to 47% at this time last year. Current attendance rate is 93.65% as opposed to 95.7% at this time last year.

<u>PPAC:</u> - Last meeting for the year was held on April 19th and included the following agenda items: 1) final handbook revision discussion, 2) conversation around ending formal promotion ceremony and what will take its place, 3) parent asking if a Junior National Honor Society chapter could be started.

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Professional Development:

"Game Changers" book study – chapter 6 (note taking) and chapter 7 (teaching explicit vocabulary) was presented to staff at out April staff meeting.

Kip Crandall spent May 1st and 2nd at IMSA on an AdvancEd external accreditation review. AdvancEd is an international organization that serves as an accreditation agency for schools, school systems, STEM certification and some business sectors. Below is the team I served with which had an international flavor as three of the members were from Cairo, Egypt!



Events List:

- 1. May 11 FCA Meeting 7:00 a.m.
- 2. May 11 DLR Spring Band/Choir Concert
- 3. May 13 IESA JH Track Sectional
- 4. May 19 & 20 IESA JH State Track Meet
- 5. May 26 DLR Promotion Ceremony

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Positively Speaking:

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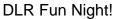
DLR at Student Council State Convention



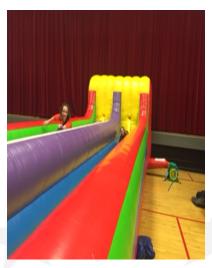
Exciting departure for Springfield!



State honor council with individual awards in all 5 categories!









DLR students have a great time at Fun Night held on April 28th.

Respectfully submitted... Kip Crandall

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