

February 2022 Administrative Reports

Primary Education Center (in-person report)

Intermediate Education Center

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Middle School (in-person report)

High School (attached)

Brad Rowles - Board Report - Written Report - February 28, 2022

Activities that have or will be occurring at the High School:

- We ran a modified schedule for our Winter administration of the ELA and Math Aimsweb Plus assessments on Wednesday, February 2nd and Tuesday, February 8th.
- We held our 5th Early Release Day on Tuesday, February 15th.
- We held our first drama performance in just over two years on Friday, February 18 - Sunday, February 20th - Little Shop of Horrors was the chosen play.
- The building held its monthly Building Leadership Team meeting on Tuesday, February 22nd.
- We had a very successful Celebration of Champions on February 24th. The celebration was held for students who had earned a 95% or higher overall average for the Second Marking Period. Many of the students' families attended as well.
- We have begun planning for the June 2022 exam schedule for both Regents and Local Exams.
- 25th week grades will close on Friday, March 4th.

A few items to report to the Board of Education and Superintendent

Principal's Activities:

- The High School quickly shifted into its 100% remote learning model due to weather related closures on February 3rd and 4th.
- I attended our Winter Steering Committee meeting on Monday, February 7th.
- Dr. Lyon and I held our monthly "chat" on Friday, February 4th.
- I attended the Response To Intervention full day training on Wednesday, February 9th. This was a K-12 discussion surrounding our current implementation of RTI programming and the establishment of a district wide Student Support Team handbook.
- I attended my first Leadership Niagara site visits on Thursday, February 10th. We visited both Cavana Niagara located in Niagara Falls and Platters Chocolate located in North Tonawanda. I also participated in discussions with my cohort peers surrounding effective leadership and communication.
- I held my monthly Peer Coordinator meeting on Friday, February 11th. I met with Mrs. DiVincenzo on Tuesday, February 22nd for our monthly chat to discuss the success and needs of our district wide Student Support Services Department
- We had a very collaborative meeting on Tuesday, February 22nd, with our Building Leadership Team.
- I was very proud of our successful Celebration of Champions program on Thursday, February 24th.
- Held my weekly "Green Team" meetings on February 2nd, 16th, and 23rd to discuss student related needs and concerns.
- I conducted numerous classroom observations since early November, as we began our annual classroom Annual Professional Performance Review (APPR) visits.

Principal's Message:

As we near the beginning of the month of March, we also will close the 25th week of school on Friday, March 4th. I have always felt like the 2nd semester of a school year goes by quickly and this year is no different. I am making every attempt to pass this message on to our students. As members of the Lew-Port Family, we must make every moment count, as we strive for success.

This time of year is when we begin planning for next school year. Our school counselors have been busy meeting with students to complete course requests for next school. I know that the Middle School school counselors are currently meeting with members of the current 8th grade class to prepare for a successful beginning for the of Class 2026. Building based budgets and staffing for next year are being discussed. Another task that we completed this month is meeting the families of the Class of 2026 during our 8th grade Transition Night on Wednesday, February 23rd. The 8th grade Transition Night is our first attempt to make a great impression for future members of the high school community.

Personally, I had a great experience touring Cavana Niagara and Platters Chocolate with my Leadership Niagara cohort. To have the ability to go behind the scenes to see how these two very different manufacturers assemble their unique products, while also establishing themselves as vital members of the Niagara County Community. A great opportunity to better understand and grow as a resident and leader in Niagara County.

Thank you,

Brad Rowles
Go Lancers!!!