## Wilton-Lyndeborough Cooperative School District School Administrative Unit #63

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## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT October 23, 2018

To respond to board inquiries from the October 9 meeting:

- A question was raised as to why two buses were scheduled for the same site for varsity soccer on October 5. The athletic director indicated that there were a number of boys who having the day off had scheduled themselves to work not considering the district's desire to keep cost down by running one bus. In order for the boys to honor the obligation they had made to work, they were not available at the time the bus left with the girls.
- A question was raised about the average expenditures for electric consumption per building over the past three years. There is an attachment under correspondence that will help to explain.
- A question was raised as to the amount of screen time elementary school students were spending with Chromebooks; the memo is in correspondence.
- An inquiry was made as to the percentage of parents who attended the parent/teacher conference event at WLC held on October 4. The high school had a parent participation rate of 40%. The range of classroom visits at the high school was between 55% and 33%. The middle school had a parent participation rate of just under 55%, with a range between 58% and 47%. The unified arts teachers had a parent participation rate ranging between 93% and 19%.

I have spent some time in creating a spread sheet and explanation of the facilities budget as requested. It will be ready for distribution at this October 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting and will be discussed by the board and budget committee on November 13.

I have had my first meeting with representatives of the WLCTA in regard to the draft of the teacher assessment system. This was a very productive meeting where we discussed specific language changes to the assessment rubric. A second meeting is scheduled for October 22.

At the last board meeting it was noted that the required MS 25 financial report was late in getting to the state. The due date was September 1 and our district remitted the form to the state on October 10. This delay in meeting our obligation created an issue for the towns in being able to get tax rates out to the citizens of each town. The fault for this delay resides in the office of the Superintendent of Schools under ED 302.01(d)(2). I am going to work with the SAU staff to create a calendar of to ensure that delays of this nature do not occur in the future.

The 2018-19 induction ceremony for the National Honor Society will be held on Monday October 29 at 7PM in the WLC Media Center.

The state NHSAA meeting will be held on October 26 in Concord.

A reminder that Tuesday October 30 is an early release day for students.