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**FLORENCE RIDEOUT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
LYNDEBOROUGH CENTRAL SCHOOL**

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**Principal Report  
December 3, 2024**

**Appreciation and Professional Development**

November was another busy month at FRES and LCS. On November 22, 2024, students at LCS wore PJs to school and were treated to ice cream from the PTO as a thank-you for their Penny Wars efforts; thank you, PTO.

The district kitchen crew prepared and treated all district staff to a Thanksgiving Feast on November 22nd. Thank you to Meghan Nantel and her staff for organizing the feast and to first responders and school board members who served the delicious meal to all who signed up.

On November 25, 2024, teachers in grades 3-6 participated in two hours of professional development before piloting Magnetics Reading and Ready Writing, a structured reading and writing program. The sessions were organized by grade level to provide time to review grade-level-specific content and questions. Thank you to Samantha Dignan and the ELA Subcommittee for evaluating multiple programs and working hard to organize this pilot for staff and students.

The annual Turkey Trot was a resounding success on November 25, 2024. Each class's top boy and girl finishers received a gift certificate for the upcoming book fair. The PTO also provided hot chocolate for all students. Thank you, PTO, for sponsoring this event, thank you, second-grade team, for organizing this event, and thank you, Mr. Golding, for going out on a mid-day hot chocolate run for some of our runners!

Lastly, thank you to the school board for increasing the daily rate for substitute teachers. Since the rate increase, two new substitute teachers have applied and interviewed.

**Community Partnership**

Students and staff at LCS have joined forces with the J.A. Tarbell Library to enhance the current curriculum with a monthly visit with the town librarian. In November, the Kindergarten classes walked to the library to meet the librarian, tour the facility, enjoy a read-aloud, and pick out a book to keep at school. Students will visit the library again in December. Town Librarian Allie Conway will be a guest teacher at LCS in January and February to enrich our program further.

**Behavior Update**

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FRES	September 2024 Referrals	October 2024 Referrals	November 2024 Referrals
Total Log Entries <b>Bus</b>	05	02	01
Log Entries for “Major Behavior & Gross Misconduct” at <b>School</b>	12	10	7
Loss of Privilege	1	3	2
Detention	7	2	1
<b>In School Suspension</b>	2	4	2
<b>Out of School Suspension</b>	2	1	2

In **September 2024**, **17 log entries** (Bus and School) were recorded in PowerSchool and classified as “Major Behaviors or Gross Misconduct.”

- These log entries represent 5% of students (12 students out of 212)
- Year 2 of Student Support Center
- Bus 6 monitor hired

In **October 2024**, **12 log entries** (Bus and School) were recorded in PowerSchool and classified as “Major Behaviors or Gross Misconduct.”

- These log entries represent 3% of students (6 students out of 212)

In **November 2024**, **8 log entries** (Bus and School) were recorded in PowerSchool and classified as “Major Behaviors or Gross Misconduct.”

- These log entries represent 4% of students (8 students out of 211)

## IMPORTANT DATES

**December 2, 2024:** 4th and 5th Grade Afterschool Writing Club

**December 9-13, 2024:** PTO Sponsored Book Fair

**December 11, 2024:** 3-5th Grade Holiday Concert @ FRES, 6-7 pm.

**December 12, 2024:** 3-5th Grade Holiday Concert 9:15-10:15 am, LCS will be attending.



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