

Magnolia Public School District

Superintendent's Report

November 21, 2023

The mission of the Magnolia School District is to develop well-rounded, engaged and confident learners who are proud, respectful, and contributing members of their school and community.

Presentation: Mr. Loper and the Magnolia Choir will give a sneak peak performance before our winter showcase performance in December

Information Items:

A. Curriculum/Programs

1. Leader In Me is progressing nicely in our building. Each classroom is completing their [WIG](#) and their horse is moving around the track. **attached**

B. Interdistrict

1. Discuss Inter-district Regionalization Study

C. Public Relations/Liaison

1. Meeting on Monday, November 27th at 7 pm

D. Student/Parental Issue and Concerns

E. Buildings and Grounds

1. A fire drill was conducted on October 12, 2023
2. A lockdown was conducted on October 20, 2023

F. Negotiations/Contractual (Executive Session)

G. Misc

1. Campout for Hunger
2. New book club for middle school students

H. HIB

No HIB to report at this time

I. Principal's Report

1. Mr. Sorrentino's report is **attached**
2. Mrs. Marly's Nurses report is **attached**

Items for Board Approval: **Motion to approve, on the recommendation of the Superintendent:**

Personnel

1. Ratification of Tyler Clark and Jared Clark as unpaid volunteers to help coach the 23-24 Magnolia boy's basketball team
2. Jazmine and Jecenia Johnson as unpaid volunteers to help coach the 23-24 girl's basketball team
3. Lezley Turnbull to chair a Book Club for middle school students on Tier 1 to be paid \$625.00 (as per contract)

Plans

1. The Magnolia PEA Grant for 2024-2025 school year
2. Submission of the Magnolia PEA fiscal year 2024 projected preschool enrollment application

Workshops

1. The following CST members to attend the Winter Inclusion Leadership conference on January 19, 2024 in Williamstown, NJ at a rate of \$175.00 per person (to be taken out of Title II)
Marisa Greenberg, Susan Ortiz, Emily Green-Hamilton and Kim Armellino
2. Erin Sorrentino to attend a webinar on Dyslexia Early Intervention: Practical Strategies for Intercepting and Correcting Reading Difficulties at a cost of \$279.00 (to be taken out of Title II)

Policies

The following revised policies and regulations from Strauss Esmay Associates (Approval was given at the Special Meeting on May 25, 2010 to allow the Superintendent to update policy alerts from Strauss Esmay Associates.)

1. The following revision to our Wellness Policy #8505 (**attached**)

Respectfully Submitted,

Karen Macpherson
Superintendent

