# Board Meeting Summary: December 18, 2024

# EDGAR SCHOOL DISTRICT STRATEGIC PLAN

**Mission Statement:** The School District of Edgar provides a safe and positive environment and is committed to continuous improvement for all students, staff and community members. Edgar Excellence embodies leadership in: curriculum & instruction, technological integration & innovation, collaboration & co-curriculars. We prepare all of our graduates to be college and career ready.

**Vision:** The Edgar Excellence environment will ensure a rigorous learning experience that equips our students for success in a global society.

**Values:** The School District of Edgar values: Edgar Excellence...Pride and Tradition! Respect & Responsibility, Teamwork, Hard Work & Integrity, Leadership, Critical Thinkers, Acceptance of All

## **Staff Presentation:**

- 1. Cari shared that Edgar Middle School is placed among the top of Middle Schools in the state of Wisconsin making it a US News Best Middle School.
- 2. IT Director Presentation: Mr. Trawicki presented information on the IT Department. He also presented Edgar's Incident Response Plan and answered questions about cyber security.
- 3. Representatives Edming and Representative Rozar presented a citation to our 2024 State Football Team. Congratulations to the players and coaches.

# Mrs. Guden reported the following:

- 1. Meetings in November
- 2. Communication
  - a. Safety Training on Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> Recap
  - b. MCSE November Board Highlights
  - c. MCSE 2024 Annual Fiscal Summary
  - d. Social Media Report Card August-October 2024

#### Mrs. Witt reported the following:

- 1. ACT 20 UPDATE
  - a. Teachers met with parents to review reading plans on November 26 (85 below the 25% tile and 59 without IEP's and reading goals)
  - b. Many positive comments about the communication and attention to reading
- 2. KINDNESS RETREAT December 13
  - a. Youth Frontiers every other year (Grades 4-5)
- 3. DECEMBER FAMILY FUN NIGHT: Holiday Bingo December 16
- 4. WAUSAU SCHOOL FOREST December 19-20

#### Mr. Wilhelm reported the following:

- 1. Math Institute Coaching
  - a. The coach has been here 2 times working with our Math teachers
  - b. The coach and I then meet to end the day for a recap and plan for her next visit
- 2. Mid Quarter Grade Checks/Progress Reports: Dec. 11
- 3. Reality Fair: Dec. 10 (Grades 11 and 12)
  - a. Co-Vantage Credit Union ran everything

#### Mr. Twomey reported the following:

1. Shared a Summary of the Shared MCSE Staff Who Support our Students and Staff

#### **Student Board Member Representative:**

- 1. A written report was presented by Mr. Wilhelm in the student's absence:
  - a. Winter Athletics are in full swing
  - b. Winter Break begins next week
  - c. Spirit Week and Dress Up Days the Week of Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>
  - d. Winter Driving Presentation and Follow-Up the Week of Dec. 9th and 16th

# Board Members-

- 1. Corey Mueller discussed information from the last CESA 9 Board Meeting:
  - a. Funding Structure for CESA 9
  - b. Next Month they will be discussing the WASB Resolutions

## Consent Agenda

Approved Agenda, Minutes, Financial Statement & Bills for Payment from November 20 – Regular Board Meeting

## Personnel

- 2. Support Staff Hire: ELL Para-Professional
  - a. Mr. Greg Galbraith is interested in being hired as our ELL para-professional. He will take the place of Jen Olmsted who will be student teaching 2nd semester. The School Board approved.
- 3. Support Staff Resignation: Part-Time 2nd Shift Custodian
  - a. Ms. Marilyn Franke has submitted her letter of resignation as part-time 2nd Shift custodian. The School Board approved.

#### Policy

- 1. Act 143: School Safety— The School Board approved the following:
  - a. Crisis Plan-only slight changes have been made
  - b. Annual School Safety Lockdown Drill: November 15, 2024
  - c. Most Recent School Safety Training: November 25th Inservice and Vector Virtual Trainings
  - d. Most Recent Date the School District Consulted with Local PD: Various times throughout the year
- 2. 2024-25 School Calendar
  - a. With the added requirements of Act 20 we would like to recommend adding 2 inservice days to the Elementary School calendar only. During these two days (February 12 and May 14, 2025) the elementary teachers will be working on the requirements of Act 20, which include analyzing student data, developing reading plans, collaborating with their grade-level teams, and communicating with parents. The goal is to ensure that all students receive the necessary reading interventions tailored to their individual needs, ultimately enhancing their learning experience and success in school. By doing so, the number of hour requirement will still be met by the elementary teachers/students. The School Board approved.

Next Regular School Board Meeting: Wednesday, January 15, 2025 at 6:00pm