



HOS Report to the Board of Trustees

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Meeting Date: October 27, 2020

- Reopening Update
 - Phase Two - started Tuesday October 20
 - 118 students in school Tu/W
 - 126 students in school W/Th
 - Bandwidth issue has been a significant obstacle
 - Verizon engineer was here 9.22.2020 and scheduled to return 10/22
 - Our HVAC system puts us ahead of all other area schools

- Enrollment & Connections to Families
 - Enrollment for 2020-2021 is 211 students
 - See details below.

- Future Planning & Needed Expenditures
 - Facilities task force met on October 20
 - Teaching Force - up and running - Student Arena on 10/21 provided an opportunity for students to share feedback with teachers
 - Staffing Update - Patricia Rietti now full time

- DESE Updates
 - Most documents sent back for updates. In progress updates are underway

- Head of School Goal Update
 - Goal One: Leadership Retreat (Cohen, Cronin, Barlow) scheduled for November 11 to make progress toward this goal.
 - Goal Two: Academic Excellence Committee continuing to meet. Focus of the faculty has been on Hybrid teaching & learning. Needs to now shift toward the work of using the Criteria for Excellence document.
 - Goal Three: New Website ready to go live this week
 - Goal Four: Teaching Force work is up and running

Enrollment Update as of 10.20.2020

4th Grade - projection: 51 Accepted/Enrolled: 51 Waiting List: 17 Salem Waiting List: 9	5th Grade - projection: 51 Accepted/Enrolled: 51 Waiting List: 0 Salem Waiting List: 0	6th Grade - projection 54 Accepted/Enrolled: 53 Offers out: 1 Waiting List: 21 Salem Waiting List: 8
7th Grade - projection 31 Accepted/Enrolled: 31 Waiting List: 0 Salem Waiting List: 0	8th Grade - projection 25 Accepted/Enrolled: 25 Offers out: 1 Waiting List: 0 Salem Waiting List: 0	Projected total: 213 Accepted/Enrolled: 211