## memorandum

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to: Board of Directors

from: Sandi Del Sole

**subject:** Staff Liaison Report

We are now in the final week of school and over the last month we have been working hard and playing even harder. Between finals, recitals, testing, award ceremonies, and events, we have all kept very busy.

Recital week went well this year with the structure and layout going smoother than ever. Parents were thrilled to see their children perform on stage and most sessions had a full house! This year we added a cross curricular mini production to end out recitals and it was a really fun and funny show that allowed our intermediate and advanced students to have the opportunity to work together and grow their talent.

The Scotty Awards were on Friday, May 10 for the Jr High and Saturday, May 11 for the high schoolers. Both evenings went well, and we were able to spend the time recognizing our amazing students who are excelling in arts and in academics with an audience full of adoring parents and family members. The weather threw us off course for a minute, but we overcame, adapted, and reset our plan and the night was still a success.

We have been busy with all end of the year events, including all of the amazing senior activities. We are so happy that we are able to reward our senior for making it to graduation with all of the amazing celebrations and activities. A big thank you to Kelsey Funkhouser, Ashlin Barkdull, and Brandon McAnulty for putting all of these things together.

We are all looking forward to our last day of school, 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion, and of course, our graduation on Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. It will be a big day on the Encore campus full of celebrations and tears.