

Elementary School Board Report

October 18, 2021

- 1.** 3rd graders have partnered with Twin Ponds Nature Center to set up a hydroponics system outside the elementary cafeteria. They have been growing plants which will be transferred to the aquarium with their fish. They plan on growing lettuce, spinach, peas, pumpkins, dill, kale, and chives.
- 2.** We had our first TRIBE assembly! This is where the TRIBE students of the week and the TRIBE students of the month are recognized for following our PBIS expectations. During the assembly we had a group of 4th graders put on a skit to teach us about sportsmanship.
- 3.** Students and staff participated in National Stop Bullying Day by wearing blue on October 13.
- 4.** Mrs. Schwickerath introduced the 4th graders to the scientific method by having them complete a candy bar. Students had to work through the steps of the scientific method to help form their hypothesis of whether the candies would sink or float.
- 5.** Kindergarten, first, and second grade students had a Zoom meeting with Reicksview Farms from their employees. They were able to virtually visit one of their barns and then meet one of the baby pigs out on the playground!
- 6.** 1st grade students visited Linn Haven and walked around the courtyard sharing their smiles and artwork to the residents through the window.