

High School Board Report May 16, 2022

1. This week is the last week with Seniors. Students will have a celebration breakfast on Wednesday. Students will then tour the schools followed by commencement practice.
2. On Tuesday, we will be having our Dollars for Scholars Scholarship Night after our Senior Banquet. This is always a great time to celebrate with students, families, and the community.
3. Commencement will be on Sunday, May 22nd at 2:30 PM in the Competition Gym. This will be a great celebration for our seniors, families, and community. After commencement, students will be able to take home their banners that were displayed downtown the month of May.
4. Postseason play is underway. Our teams are doing very well and look forward to competing at the state events later this week and into the next few weeks. Mr. Frerichs report will have more of the qualifying information!
5. Our staff has been working hard at incorporating PBL into the content areas. One of the successes will be shared with you tonight with Mrs. Schmitt and the students created a Take-and-bake pizza business. We look forward to continuing this process next year.
6. Our seniors participated in Adulting 101 on April 27th. Thanks to all of the students and businesses for helping to organize this event. It was eye opening to many students about what is to come and provided meaningful experience for when it is real!
7. Our Freshman had a Freshman retreat on May 4th. With COVID, we were not able to do it in the fall. It created some bonding for this class and was a great experience set up by our IBN students. We will be doing this in the fall with the new freshman students.
8. Mrs. Ohrt's Environmental Science class has begun work on the courtyard. We have killed the grass and are working at getting the space prepared for the landscaping.
9. Baseball and softball are now underway. The new backdrop is up for baseball as our first game at home is the week!
10. Our FFA students have begun competitions in Horse judging. One team won 1st place in a regional competition. They look forward to the competition they won last year in Ottumwa.
11. Students are getting ready for finals. Teachers are getting classrooms updated for summer.... We are winding down the year and beginning to make preparations for next year!