Superintendent Report

September 9, 2024



The purpose of the Superintendent Report is to give the Board a high-level overview of what is going on across the district.

As always, we are going to begin with staff recognition - and that is specifically something I want to call out this evening because there are quite a few things to highlight in addition to last week being Educator Appreciation Week!

All Staff Welcome

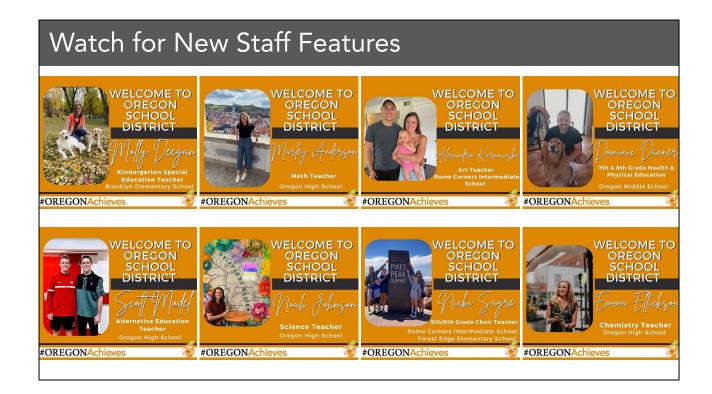


We officially welcomed our amazing educators to the 2024-25 school year with an all-staff assembly. The event was filled with musical performances, special speeches from some very brave high school students, and words from Board President Flanagan.

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This is an uplifting event and there are lots of smiles as staff members get ready for the new year and connect / re-connect with colleagues.



We continue to feature our new staff members on our social media page. It's a fun way to get an introduction to the amazing group of people who are joining our team and to help them to feel welcome by writing a little note of well wishes as they begin their journey in our wonderful district.

These are just a few - keep watching our Facebook page throughout the next few weeks for more!

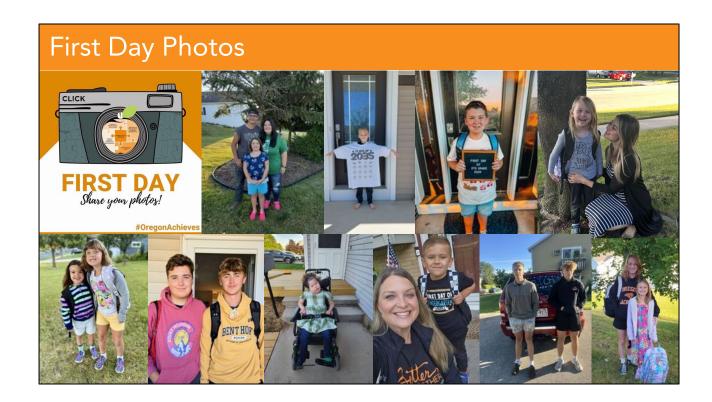


Our seniors are working to make it a great year.

They started last week with Senior Sunrise, which is the beautiful tradition that begins the final school year for our seniors. Members of the Class of 2025 gathered to quietly reflect on their experiences to this point and prepare for the year to come.

If you walk through the OHS parking lot, you'll also see a number of colorfully decorated vehicles.

We're excited for this class to be leaders in our building and to make it a great year.



One of our favorite things to see on the first day is all the great "first day photos." This year we had a record breaking number of submissions with well over 100 families posting first day photos in the comments of the First Day Photo post on our Facebook page. This is just a little flavor of what was shared - check them out if you haven't already!

4th Grade Orchestra



Fourth graders throughout the OSD are trying out orchestra instruments this week! Options include violin, viola, cello, or bass.

Creating, performing, responding, and connecting through music is an incredible way to learn about the people and the world around us!



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