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RECOGNITIONS & WELCOMES

There were no recognitions or welcomes at the Board Meeting.



GENERAL COMMENTS

ATA Communications

"Shout out to all of the PTAs as they are really trying hard to make this a memorable 8th grade year for our students." - Kelly Drevline, ATA President



TAKING ACTION

Department of Business & Finance
NSSEO budget - 2020-2021
APPROVED

Approval Highlights:

- The NSSEO budget was presented to the Board at the April 23 meeting.
- "There are no changes from the last meeting. We have nothing to add." - Stacey Mallek, Assistant Superintendent for Business/CSBO



INFORMATION ITEMS

Department of the Superintendent
Superintendent, Dr. Lori Bein
Remote Learning Update

Presentation highlights:

- Remote Learning has been a complete team effort.
 - Department of Student Learning: Our Assistant Superintendent of Student Learning, Dr. Becky FitzPatrick and all seven DSL Coordinators have worked hard since prior to the stay-at-home order to ensure our staff and families were at home with a plan that was ready to be implemented on the 1st day.
 - Department of Business & Food Services: Our Director of Food Services, Coletta Hines-Newell and her team have worked with the entire Business Department to coordinate the distribution and delivery of over 1,200 meal bags per week for seven weeks. Each bag contains 14 meals for our students (breakfast and lunch each day).
 - Department of Technology: Our Director of Technology, Chris Fahnoe and his team have worked to ensure that our students had proper access to our remote learning plans with remote hot spot set ups and device distribution and repair. The team has distributed about 500 devices to our community.
- Parent/Staff Survey Highlights:
 - STAFF: Though it isn't the same as being in school, the current RL3.0 format has been a positive and productive experience for my students: 78.2% Strongly Agree/Agree
 - PARENTS: Though it isn't the same as being in school, the current RL3.0 format has been a positive and productive experience for my child: 51.6% Strongly agree/Agree
 - Among the concerns that parents expressed, the results of the survey mainly indicate that our community wants more frequent and consistent interaction with our teachers and staff.

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To view the survey results, visit www.sd25.org/COVIDSurvey.