

# AXTELL PUBLIC SCHOOL - BOARD REPORT - MAY 2019

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## NEWS

### End of the Year Activities

With the end of the school year upon us, we see an increase amount of trips, banquets, concerts, and other activities. Our K-2 students traveled to the Topeka Discover Center, the 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> students will take a trip to the Capital Building, Student Council provided our high school students with a morning of bowling, and our K.A.Y. Club sponsored a trip to SkyZone. We hosted the 6-12 music and band concert on April 29<sup>th</sup> and the K-5 music and band concert on May 6<sup>th</sup>. Our annual awards banquet was May 7<sup>th</sup> and we will host our first Pre-K and Kindergarten graduation on May 15<sup>th</sup>. All in all it has been a busy last two weeks especially when you add in both Junior High and High School track meets. I would like to thank the bus drivers for their willingness to travel and drive our students, the Eagle Booster Club for paying for transportation and admission fees, as well as to the teachers for their planning and prep work to make these experiences happen for our students.

### Construction Update

Not much has been happening with the construction. Due to some timing of submittals and things waiting to be approved they have some wait time on some of the materials. AHRS has moved the temporary wall down to the new entry and has opened up the hallway doors to the bathrooms so they are now accessible. They also worked this week on putting in the outside windows and should be in for graduation. Once school is out they will be back and busy, getting the floor prepped for new VCT. We are anxiously waiting the completion of this project.

### Lift-A-Thon

Ms. Alexander and the High School weights classes completed a fundraiser on May 4, 2019. The hosted the First Annual Axtell High School Lift-A-Thon. Twenty-six students participated in the event and raised over \$5,000 for new weight room equipment. A special thanks to Ms. Alexander, the students, and all who donated and contributed to this fundraiser. This was a great fundraiser for our students and our community really got involved.

### Greenhouse Update

The total amount raised for the greenhouse now has surpassed \$25,000. We are excited to finally start working on this project. I am hoping to meet with the Axtell Knights of Columbus and setting a date to complete the greenhouse so it is ready for the start of the 2019-2020 school year.

### Awards Banquet

Our yearly awards banquet was Tuesday, May 7, 2019. This event celebrates all of the great accomplishments of our students, both athletically and academically. All in all it is a great night to listen to all of the different awards and achievements our students received this year. All activities sponsors and coaches present and academic and local scholarships are awarded. I would like to congratulate our students on their accomplishments this year. I would like to thank all the coaches and sponsors for the dedication and commitment to our students and activities, your efforts are appreciated. I also would like to extend a thank you to all of our local scholarship donors, your generosity helps so many of our students with their post-secondary plans.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Date	Event	Time
May 8, 2019	PK-5 Move Up Day – 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation – Freshman Orientation	
May 9, 2019	AHS TVL V/JV Track Meet @ Washington	3:00 PM
May 11, 2019	Graduation	11:00 AM
May 13, 2019	Board of Education Meeting	6:00 PM
May 16, 2019	Last Day of School for Students	
May 17, 2019	Teacher In-Service / Work Day	8:00 PM
May 17, 2019	AHS Regional Track @ Washington	3:00 PM
May 22, 2019	BLT Meeting @ Sabetha	8:30 AM
May 24-25, 2019	AHS State Track @ Wichita State University	
June 10, 2019	Board of Education Meeting	6:00 PM