

# Sabetha Middle School Report

To: USD 113 BOE Members

From: Matt Garber

Date: 9/6/17

Re: September BOE Meeting Building Report

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1. **Current Enrollment:** We currently have 165 students enrolled at SMS. (6<sup>th</sup> – 56, 7<sup>th</sup> – 58, 8<sup>th</sup> – 51)
2. **Fall Sport Numbers:** Our Volleyball and Football teams have started their seasons. We have 31 out for Volleyball (7<sup>th</sup> – 17, 8<sup>th</sup> – 14) and 46 out for Football (7<sup>th</sup> – 29, 8<sup>th</sup> – 17). Football numbers include 5 7<sup>th</sup> graders and 2 8<sup>th</sup> graders from Wetmore Attendance Center.
3. **Eclipse Day:** Our eclipse day activities went smoothly. Thanks to Christine Krebs and Kaleb Moeller for the student activities leading up to the event. Also, thanks to Brian Cole for his preparation and presentations for this event. They made the event memorable and informative for our students.
4. **SMS Open House:** Our Open House was held on Monday, August 21<sup>st</sup> from 6:30 PM – 7:45 PM. The information provided at the beginning of the night was geared towards new students and their parents. Parents and students then visited their classrooms and teachers.
5. **Back to School Swim Party:** On Sunday, Aug. 20<sup>th</sup>, we hosted a swim party at the Sabetha Aquatic Center. Students ate hot dogs, chips, treat and drink. The life guards had several games for our students to play. The weather was great and the students enjoyed themselves!
6. **Builders Club:** Our Builders Club, sponsored by the Kiwanis, held their first meeting and is compiling their membership list.
7. **Grandparents Day:** Our annual Grandparents Day will be held at the end of this month. The 6<sup>th</sup> Grade will be on Tuesday, Sept. 26, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade on Wednesday, September 27 and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade on Thursday, Sept. 28.
8. **PBS (Positive Behavior Supports):** During the first two weeks of school, our seminar teachers organized in grade level teams and presented our behavior expectations to all students. This was accomplished through 6 different lessons during seminar time.

9. **PA/Intercom:** We were informed by technicians that our PA system needed to be replaced. A new system has been ordered. We were given a 4 week time frame for installation from the order date.
  
10. **7<sup>th</sup> Grade League VB Tourney:** We will be hosting the 7<sup>th</sup> League Volleyball tournament this year on Saturday, Sept. 30.

Thanks,  
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