

LISD Board Meeting Superintendent Report

3/27/2024

Appreciations

- LIPTSA for an amazing Talent Show! The event reportedly raised around \$17k!
- Jesse Hammond and CTAC for excellent work on the Tech and Safety Levy
- District Office Team (Sara Jones, Laurie Jardine and Beth Stanford) for all their support
- Lisa Matthews for stepping in for Kara and answering all my questions
- AL Torres for being willing to represent LISD at the WSSDA Regional Conference on SJI on April 27th
- Board Chair Malia Price-Morris for stepping in to support our amazing staff who showed up Monday ready to work with open hearts after a troubling weekend

Safety and Behavior Concerns

- Break-in early Sunday morning
 - Suspect identified and evidence sent to Sheriff's Office
 - Sheriff will refer to County Prosecutor
 - Student suspended five days pending investigation
- Behavior during class breaks
 - Requested that teachers monitor students as possible
 - Messaging expectations to students and parents
 - Advisory curriculum
 - Programming Team is exploring shifts to bell schedule to increase academic performance and reduce misbehavior

Grants Update

- Playground Resurfacing going out to formal bidding process as per Board policy for grant awards over \$100k with support from Parametrix through the KCDA collective and we checked with DOH to ensure our playground work meets ADA and health requirements
- Apollo Systems returns to conduct needs assessment on April 3rd in preparation for applying for the Rural School Modernization grant for LISD
- Awaiting Congressional funding decision for Community Schools grants

LISD School Budget Town Hall follow-up

- Advocacy Working Group (AWG) met on March 14th to begin planning for Town Hall #2
- Jenny Poole from the committee proposing a Parks and Rec joined
- Confirmed date of April 23rd at Comm Center
- Agenda includes updated info share and ask participants to join sub-committees:
 - Advocacy, Fundraising/Volunteering, Partnership Development