

Principal's Report
November 13, 2023
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Our Fall Sports came to an end this month. Our volleyball team played well this year, just couldn't quite string together enough good plays to extend their season. We will be looking to hire a head coach as Kate Warner has decided not to come back next year. Cross Country had a pretty good season with Campbell and River medaling at most meets and our boys team doing well in the team standings. Our football team had an excellent season, ending the season with only two losses and falling to Stanton in the quarterfinals. Things look good for the next season as we lose only two players from this year's team.

We celebrated Red Ribbon week from October 23th through October 31. Our organizations were in charge of coming up with activities. FFA, FCCLA, NHS and STUCO did a good job providing activities. Two stand out activities were put on by FCCLA and STUCO. November 13 through November 17, we will be participating in Anti-Bullying Week. NHS and STUCO will be in charge of the activities for this week.

On Thursday, November 26th, APS held a school-wide Evacuation and Reunification Drill. Overall the drill went pretty smoothly, but there are definitely things that need to be addressed. Mr. Drews sent out a form looking for feedback from the staff and there were some pretty good suggestions.

Our FFA Chapter attended the National Convention in Indianapolis and had a great learning experience.

MAP Assessments

The Fall MAP Assessment was administered to students in grades 7-11 on October 10th and 12th. The following percentages represent the number of students scoring Average, High Average, or High:

7th Reading 71%	8th Reading 40%	9th Reading 91%	10th Reading 88%	11th Reading 63%
7th Math 72%	8th Math 39%	9th Math 80%	10th Math 76%	11th Math 85%

The spring MAP Assessment is scheduled for March 6-7, 2024.

Just a reminder that I will be having knee replacement surgery on November 15 and will be out of the building at least two weeks. I plan to come back for half days as soon as possible.