

Arapahoe-Holbrook Public Schools
Superintendent Report to Board of Education
Nov. 13, 2023

Building & Grounds

1. Fuel Tank Sale - We have plans to list our 3000 gallon double walled fuel tank for sale. An ad will run in the newspaper the Thursday before AND after Thanksgiving. It will be sold by bids (forms and info available from the school - email / website / etc.) that are due by 12:00pm on Friday, December 8. We will take action to accept a bid at the December board meeting. All expenses to move the tank are the responsibility of the buyer. Ag Valley has been assisting us with this by giving advice/details on how it should be described, and also by spreading the word to area producers that it will be up for sale.
2. Student/Staff Parking - The Building and Grounds committee made a decision not to allow the painting of designs or decorations on the assigned parking spaces “won” by students in their lottery process earlier this fall. Future maintenance and appearance were factors in the decision to keep the lot as is. There are still a number of students parking on Cedar Street (some due to space and others by preference), so we will consider moving student parking to the west lot for next year.

Safety/Security

1. Evacuation/Reunification Debrief- We have scheduled a joint Safety Team / Crisis Team meeting for the afternoon of Monday, Nov. 13 to debrief about our Evacuation/Reunification Drill held on October 26. I will have more about this at the board meeting.

Other

1. Curriculum Review Cycle - We’ve begun our Curriculum Review process that cycles every 7 years. The first curricular area(s) on our cycle are Language Arts/Speech. Both the elementary committee members and Secondary committee members have been working to find options and quotes on materials. They will meet formally before the end of the semester to finalize their selections, then come together in January with the board members on the Curriculum, Programs and Activities Committee to discuss a recommendation for the board. Typically, the ELA year is the most costly in terms of financial commitment.
2. NASB Meetings
 - a. Nov 15-17 (Wed-Fri) NASB State Education Conference @ CHI Omaha
 - i. *Attending: Drews / Carpenter / Schutz / Lee*
 - b. Delegate Assembly - 1 Rep from AHPS board for Fri. Nov 17 mtg