
June 2016 Elementary Principal Report

One Book/One District – The elementary participated in the reading of Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes. Families were provided with books and questions for each chapter. There was a schedule of readings so families could work through the book. Students turned in their answer pages and there were daily drawings for prizes. Prizes were donated by Hansie Hill. The elementary staff helped to immerse students in the book by decorating the halls with Japanese décor and paper cranes. We held a family celebration night with prizes provided by the Arlington Library and The Learning Express. In addition Hy-Vee donated cookies and Juice.

Field Day – Field Day was a huge success thanks to Mr. Johnson. Students had the opportunity to participate in many different track and field events. Students that placed in these events were awarded ribbons. Many families were in attendance.

Eagle Trophy Celebration – Our traveling Eagle trophies were given throughout the year to classes that represented the skills and behaviors deemed important by students and staff. If classes earned 10 nominations or 5 trophies throughout the semester they earned the opportunity to participate in the celebration day. Celebration day consisted of different activities done in stations throughout the building.

Summer Skills – We are servicing 35 students in grades K-8 with our summer skills program. This program has been implemented to help students to not regress through the summer months. Students participate in the areas of Reading, Math, and Writing for four weeks Monday –Thursday from 8:30-11:30.