

Lake Roosevelt High School Board Report for December 14, 2009

Sports:

Winter sports season is underway.

November 25.

Lake Roosevelt Career Day.

- ✓ 29 presenters from 23 different occupations came to LR and met with students. Each student was able to visit three different presenters.

December 1.

Caribou Trail League Principals meeting.

- ✓ We had presentations on the US. Department of Education and what resources they offer.
- ✓ Discussed the movement toward National Standards. They are written at a higher level because they are based on world wide standards.
- ✓ Discussed basketball start times and the possibility of LR moving to a 2B sports league.
- ✓ Discussed pros and cons of standards based grading.

December 3.

- ✓ Career and Technical Open house with Donna Totman. The community was invited to have a look at what is happening in Foods, Housing and Consumer Decision Making Class.
- ✓ Whiteface Day. One student every 30 minutes was removed from class by the Grim Reaper to represent the students who die every 30 minutes due to alcohol related car crashes.
- ✓ We also had an assembly showing the effects of Alcohol impaired driving.

December 7. Aric Bostick training.

- ✓ Aric is a motivational speaker who talks to students about overcoming your own story and working hard to reach your goals.
- ✓ The student assembly was loud with lots of movement and fun.
- ✓ Aric met with the LR staff after school. He focused on relationship building and motivating and engaging students.
- ✓ Aric also conducted a parent training at Center Elementary focused on understanding and motivating your children.

December 9.

- ✓ Lake Roosevelt Math teachers hosted a regional math meeting. Invited where Paschal Sherman, Nespelem, the Grand Coulee Dam Middle School and Mansfield.
- ✓ We discussed what is working for math with students and what is not and shared frustrations and ideas.

- ✓ We discussed potential math adoptions as part of our new math adoption process. Holt math was highly recommended by all.
- ✓ We all agreed to continue meeting and next time to invite Omak and Okanogan School Districts.

- ✓ Financial Aid Presentation.
LR hosted a financial aid evening. A college financial aid officer presented the ins and outs of financial aid from the FAFSA Form to scholarships.

December 10.

- ✓ Design West provided a summary of what teachers and staff wished for in the new building. We will reviewed the summary and report back to Design West early the week of Dec. 14.

Dec 16.

- ✓ Band/Chorus Concert
- ✓ Community meeting to discuss our future school building.

The Lake Roosevelt after School Program

We are having a big turn out, 15 to 20 students on a good night.

Wrestling study hall.

The LR wrestling program is also providing after school tutoring for their students to improve school performance.