

Sabetha Middle School Report

To: USD 113 BOE Members

From: Matt Garber

Date: 9/5/18

Re: September BOE Meeting Building Report

1. **Current Enrollment:** We currently have 178 students enrolled at SMS. (6th – 62, 7th – 58, 8th – 58)
2. **Fall Sport Numbers:** Our Volleyball and Football teams have started their seasons. We have 29 out for Volleyball (7th – 14, 8th – 15) and 63 out for Football (7th – 33, 8th – 30).
3. **SMS Open House:** Our Open House was held on Monday, August 20th from 6:30 PM – 7:45 PM. The information provided was geared towards new students and their parents. Parents and students then visited their classrooms and teachers.
4. **Back to School Swim Party:** Our swim party was cancelled due to weather. We are looking at other social activities to provide this fall.
5. **Builders Club:** Our Builders Club, sponsored by Kiwanis, held their first meeting and is compiling their membership list.
6. **Grandparents Day:** Our annual Grandparents Day will be held at the end of this month. The 6th Grade will be on Tuesday, Sept. 25th, 7th Grade on Wednesday, Sept. 26th and 8th Grade on Thursday, Sept. 27th.
7. **First Day of School:** On the first day of school with students, our Teachers led students through 6 different lessons tied to our Bluejay Behavior Matrix, each lasting 25 minutes. Our entire student body then reviewed portions of our updated Crisis Intervention Plan and performed safety drills for a building evacuation, tornado and fire.
8. **SMS Auditorium:** At this time, LED lighting is being installed on the stage. New microphones and other equipment have been purchased and delivered. A high-definition pan/zoom camera will also be installed to allow recording of events that are held in the auditorium. These items have all been donated.

Thanks,
Matthew D. Garber