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**Building Report**  
**December 2018 BOE Meeting**

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**WHS/MS Holiday Concert:** Our High School and Middle School students performed at their Holiday Concert Monday, December 3, and did an outstanding job! Congratulations to the students and Mr. Stiers for a very enjoyable performance.

**WES Holiday Concert:** Our Elementary students will perform at their Holiday Concert Monday, December 10 at 7:00 pm.

**High School Basketball:** High School basketball season has started. We have 8 girls and 10 boys participating. Both the girls and boys teams finished 2nd in the Blue Valley Pre-Season Basketball Tournament. Congratulations to Coach Claycamp and the girls team, as well as Coach Martin and the boys team for their finish!

**Fall Sports Recognition:** Congratulations to the following athletes for being recognized in the post-season, we are proud of you!

**Reagan Osterhaus, Volleyball** – Reagan was named to Twin Valley League 1st Team VB  
**Joel Hutfles, Football** – Joel was named to the Twin Valley League 1st Team Offense and 2nd Team Defense (LB), Topeka Capital Journal 8-Man All-State Honorable Mention (LB)  
**Hippolyte Pascal, Football** – Hippo was named to the Twin Valley League Honorable Mention

**KDHE Tobacco Presentation:** Jennifer Haynes from KDHE (Kansas Department of Health and Environment) presented to grades 7-12 about the dangers of tobacco. Mrs. Haynes shared and discussed information and statistics regarding cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, and focused on the dangers of vaping and juuling. Students were active during the presentation through discussion as well as questions and answers. Mrs. Haynes presentation was very informative and well received from the students.

**KAYS Week:** WHS KAYS observed KAYS week from Monday, December 3 through Friday, December 7. KAYS is participating in service activities that benefit our school, community, nation, and world. Activities include KAYS members making Christmas ornaments with elementary students and sending Christmas greetings to troops stationed overseas.

**Advisory:** Grades 6-12 will meet again this month and continue work on their Individual Plans of Study, Career Cruising, and preparing for Student Led Conferences. A special Thank You to Mrs. Evans and for their guidance and work to help our students prepare for their future.



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**MTSS:** Grade level groups met again at the PLC (Professional Learning Community) and continued conversations about implementation of progress monitoring in Reading and Math for intervention groups. We also looked our behavioral/social emotional data and discussed possible individual support in the area of social-emotional learning. Guiding questions were: Are students making progress? Are interventions working? How will we continue to use the data? We are currently administering the Winter Fastbridge Screeners. We also looked at our behavior/social emotional data and broke it down to identify where we need to make improvements in Tier 1 for implementing the teaching and reinforcing expectations and correcting behaviors. We also began discussions regarding school climate/culture. Again, Thank You to the BLT, teachers, instructional staff, Mrs. Gatz, and the TASN Team for their work and assistance with these MTSS interventions.