**Superintendent Leonard Whalen: Board Report for April 22, 2024**

**Items of involvement (not all-inclusive) since our March 25 Board Meeting:**

We continue to have the following items “on the front burner” and are working diligently on these:

- The mobile unit for the alternative school has been set up on site and we are in process of getting it ready.

- Our “safe room” project thru KY Emergency Management has been approved and we are working on the initial phase of what it may look like. Info is on the agenda to potentially get us moving on this.

A sampling of superintendent activities over the last several weeks:

Tue. Mar. 26th: - Attended regularly scheduled DS Rotary meeting.

Wed. Mar. 27th: - Attended WKEC Supt meeting in Eddyville

Fri. Mar. 29th: - Attended State Supt Zoom re: Legislative Update

- Attended school plant manager meeting in Princeton

Mon. Apr. 1st: - Attended multiple NWS calls related to weather monitoring

Thur. Apr. 4th: - Attended DS Retiree luncheon at Pennyrile

- Spring Break

Tue. Apr. 16th: - Conducted Principal Leadership Team meeting

- Met with KDE official at completion of foodservice audit (had good report)

Wed. Apr. 17th: - Met with electrical contractor re: potential freezer project

- Attended KY Rural Ed Association (KREA) meeting via zoom

- Had lunch with elementary student focus group

- We met our new literacy coach provided by KDE for next school year (no cost to us)

Thur. Apr. 18th: - Had lunch with MS/HS student focus group

Fri. Apr. 19th: - Spruce Up Dawson Springs (SUDS)

On the radar for the coming month:

- Continue to be visible and available in our schools and our community

- Attend regular DS Rotary Meetings

- Attend both WKEC and GRREC scheduled meetings