**October – Good News**

**Bloomfield Middle School** hosted several grandparents last month for our annual grandparent’s day lunch.  We also welcomed in many first responders to eat with us on Patriot’s Day. It was wonderful to have so many visitors in the building

**Boston** had four students qualify for All State Choir: Luke Phelps, Evan Logsdon, Brett Phelps, Holden Underwood.

**Cox’s Creek Elementary** BETA students Chloe Cook, Kendra Smith, Jagger Stone, Jedida Milby, and Addison Gaskill qualified in Rapid Response at the Leadership Summit in Tennessee to compete this summer at Nationals in Disney World. The students were given an engineering type task with 10 minutes to keep their structure standing. We are so proud of our BETA students and their BETA school representative, Carol Gaskill.

**Foster Heights** has started Monday Morning Meetings to celebrate students and recognize their accomplishments. Students are excited to participate in the meetings and are learning various ways they can be leaders.

One way **The Early Learning Center** is working on creating a culture of leadership in our building is through class mission statements. Teachers worked with students asking them what would make a great class. Students said a variety of things ranging from: hugging our teachers, learning to draw, be nice, be a good friend, open our milk, put the lid on the playdough, and not to hit or kick. These make amazing reminders to students because they are their words and their ideas of a perfect classroom.

**NCHS** & **TNHS** students served on a global panel with students from New York, Jordan, and others signing in from all over the world to discuss why this American presidential election matters to young people and what it means to be a global citizen.

**New Haven** is seeing improvement with our attendance WIG of 96%. Students get to dance at the end of each day when we have over 96% of our student at school. The New Haven kitchen staff is celebrating National Take Your Parents to School with a team up for lunch day.

**Old KY Home Middle School** has placed an increased focus on “Being the Change we want to see.” Motivational speaker, Jeremy Taylor, reinforced this idea to the student body and teachers last week in a school-wide assembly. School staff continues to work at making positive connections with students and home through phone calls, emails and postcards.