September 2018 Board Meeting

Elementary Principal Jennifer Ward

* Elementary school is off to a GREAT start!
* SBDM News
  + Preschool has gotten off to an amazing start this year. They are able to walk in a line, get their own lunch trays, and already clean the learning centers up better than last year’s class!
  + Reading Mastery groups have gotten started and instruction is amazing! I get chill bumps walking through the building each morning and hearing all of the consistent, student-needs--centered instruction occuring
  + September 11, 2018 - Hero Walk
    - Lauren Cunningham along with the help of some other staff members and PTO members organized the first Hero Walk for our students and community. It was a huge success. First responders were treated to cupcakes and drinks in the elementary building following the walk.
* Academic Progress
  + Kindergarten Readiness Screener was administered and the results will be shared at the October meeting.
  + RTI Reading and Math groups have been established for the year These groups will change throughout the school year based on student assessment data. The goal is for students to move out of RTI tier 3.

**Upcoming events:**

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| **DATE** | **TIME** | **EVENT** | **LOCATION** |
| 9/10/18 | 3:30 PM | SBDM | DSES |
| 9/11/18 | 1:30 PM | Hero Walk | DSIS/Downtown |
| 9/11/18 | 8 AM | Girl Scout Rally | DSES Auditorium |
| 9/17-18/18 | All Day | Continuous Improvement Summit | Lexington, KY |
| 9/17/18 | 6 PM | BOE Meeting | BOE |
| 9/18/18 | All Day | Reading Mastery Test Day | DSES |
| 9/20/18 | Planning Times | PLC Meetings | DSES |
| 9/24/18 | 6 PM | PTO Meeting | Media Center |
| 9/25-26/18 | All Day | KASC Conference | Lexington, KY |
| 9/28/18 | All Day | Fall Pictures | DSIS |
| 9/28/18 | 6 PM | Fall Festival | Downtown |
| 10/3/18 | 3:30 PM | SBDM | DSES |