

Lisle 202 Board of Education

Meeting Highlights

September 23, 2019

AISLE Exemplary Library Award

Tate Woods Elementary School Library Resource Center is the recipient of the first Association of Illinois School Library Educators, or AISLE, Exemplary School Library Award. This award has been established to recognize school libraries throughout the State of Illinois that exemplify the standards set forth in *Linking for Learning*. The award is presented to a school library in public, private, or charter schools and is not intended to recognize districts or individual librarians.

Lisle Elementary School Community Debut & Family Movie Night

On Saturday, September 21, 2019, the long awaited Community Debut took place to share our new Lisle Elementary School with Lisle 202 residents. The halls were filled with nearly 650 people including all ages who explored the new, state-of-the-art learning environments. Visitors were wowed by the "heart" of the building, the central Learning Center, that is purposefully situated to allow students to flow between the classroom spaces and the Learning Center. As our guests entered the classrooms, many commented on the variety of flexible furnishings and seating options as well as the many spaces designed for collaboration. One visitor commented, "It is easy to see how these spaces encourage reading!"

Following the tours, nearly 150 people stayed for Family Movie Night! Kids enjoyed the movie in our Learning Center on the giant screen and had a blast with glow sticks in the dark!

Recreational Sale of Cannabis in the Village of Lisle

The Board discussed the issue of recreational sale of cannabis in the Village of Lisle to respond to the Village's request for comment. It was decided that the District's statement letter would reaffirm its commitment to ensuring a healthy and safe learning environment and to educating our students and their families on the risks associated with drugs, alcohol, tobacco and vaping. Board Policies reflect this commitment and current laws and will be modified as needed.

Lisle 202 School Board Earns IASB Recognition

The Lisle 202 School Board of Education is one of 19 in the state to earn the IASB's 2019 School Board Governance Recognition designation. According to the IASB, "This recognition is designed to acknowledge those school boards that have engaged in activities and modeled behaviors that lead to excellence in local school governance in support of quality public education." Our Board will be recognized at the Fall DuPage Division Meeting and be recognized at the Joint Annual Conference in November.