

MADS, GLADS, SADS

Sometimes, we have to just get it out!

Recently, what has upset you? What has made you proud? What has disappointed you?

Information below was compiled from community conversations that took place at Chequamegon School District on Thursday, October 26, 2023.

MADS	GLADS	SADS
Students Don't feel like they are having fun	Improvements/updates	Foreign Language
NHS - no actual list (criteria)	# of college credit programs	School Supplies (School buy in bulk and resale)
Community Support - lack of with sports - Cardinals & Blackbears come back!	Love the pool!	Forensic program is so small
Don't know what's going on	Special Education program	Landscaping
Budget cuts - i.e. gymnastics, school show more support, only hear about certain sports	Beautiful school	More students going to trade school
Bullying	People interested in this event	Parents blame teachers and staff too much
Teachers have no power - i.e. discipline	Cross Country going to state	Safer environment for teachers to voice opinions
Community spirit; pride	Small town "safety" - most teachers care	Lots of mental health - more support for kids
2nd gym availability	Facilities i.e. weight room	Social network - bullying - limit devices in school
Not enough lunch time	Extra Curricular (Amazing)	No or limited scholarship opportunities
Not enough outdoor activities	Ability to participate	Security drill at school

TAXES (rising)	Math & Science	Lack of communication with each other
Communication (want more public information, paper (Price city review), kids in multiple schools gets confusing because each school has different modes of communication)	Support for dual credits (AP)	Distraction --instant gratification
Sports programs going longer than bus transportation opportunities	Preparing students for workforce	Decay of cities - also our community with drugs
Communication on financial needs (like track)	Willingness to keep standards high through budgets	Negative impact of social media
Transparency	FBLA	Getting families to connect more
Border Security	Student involvement in community	Parenting skills ???
Security Drills at school	Wonderful staff	Kids not being able to learn because of situations on in their control
Glidden (seems like forgotten at times)	Happy kids	No cursive
Lack of communication with each other	Good sports programs	Basic math (making change)
Price/Ashland Counties (# multiple county span)	Great Community Law Enforcement	Broken families
Long days for some kids on bus	IT Dept - information get out to community	Virtual learning (making too many decisions on their own, false sense of adulthood, without adult supervision)
Not utilizing our unique environment	Makes us "happy" when people volunteer	Can't read a clock
Parents are Hands off - uninvolved & high expectations for school	Recognize students for excellence	Lack of athletics for youngsters - volunteers (see the value - market this)
District Consolidation Issues	Allowing each student to be who they are	History changed vs taught
Lack of Teachers	Glad when people take the responsibility for their actions	Less push for - yes go to college. What about the trades? Programs for kids - starting businesses, job shadowing, encouragement to return to this community

History is gone from PF School, Lincoln HS, & Glidden HS	CHS saw a need for a 'pool' supervisor, it was created	IEP Process - drawn out: sometimes not an ideal time of the year
Bullying	Focus on importance of school counselors and mental health and staying balanced and function	So many great teachers to see the plans through and change them as necessary
Stand behind employees	Admin - open ears; ready to take in what parents have to say and meeting parents halfway	Lots of opportunities, but the kids are spread thin
Admin support	That we are doing this community conversation	Too much technology
Accountability - parents, staff, students	Collaborative learning	Security has reduced community and family connection
Respectful (teacher - student)	PTO	Lost our Home Ec & Foreign Language Programs
Social Skills	Music program	Kids not supporting kids
Communication on needs & rising problems	Diversity	Sleep habits of our students
Better communication to those that don't have children in school - allowing those on email list	Pep rally	Lack of understanding diversity or of curriculum
Early lunch time - hungry kids after school	FBLA	Pool - lessons for all students
Still feels like it's Park Falls vs. Glidden. Want more unity between campuses	Joining of both PF & Glidden - worked out well	Home schooling
Carbon monoxide detectors in school?	School boards working hard - not needing referendum	Charter school is in danger
Warnings (verbal) vs. being documented for permanent record!!!	Appreciation of not cutting music program	Social Skills
Creation of more division by treating "groups" differently (Critical Race Theory)	Variety of classes - NTC classes, college prep & credits options to the students	Students that don't participate in extracurriculars
-CRT want gone: people should be treated the same	Good educators: teachers care	Teacher turnover
-Encourage kids from different backgrounds to mingle/get along	Good policies & procedures for kid's health & safety	Better teacher incentives
--Character instead of color	Good tech ed and extra classes	Open enrollment out (upside down)

Obscene content in books accessible to kids	Great music department	Disappearance of God and Pride for country
-Are those available in this district?	Great Veteran's Day Program - could do more than Veteran's Day	Wish more participation for all kids in extra-curriculars
Mad that there is a state statute that protects obscenity	So happy about "positives on girls basketball team	School is social agena (sp?) balance with that
Teach basics vs. ideologies (Gender ideologies) Why are we testing this out on our youth?	A lot of earned college credit	Less emphasis on tech ed areas (want to expand tech ed)
Power withdrawn from parent (Title IX interpretation)	Good work with seniors for plans after high school	Not enough explanation of local workplaces
Penis - boys locker room; vagina - girls locker/bathroom	Pledge of Allegiance	Narrow thinking - not understanding all career options
Homecoming - Administration allowing priorities to be out of order and losing focus of education	Being involved w/community & asking for community input	Not enough opportunities at younger kids
Sunday - School activities should NOT happen on Sunday. If they do, the kids should not be penalized	Exploring other post high school options	Participation in school activities are dropping - less students
No variety in school lunches/stuff is very processed	Work study/work release	Less promotion of school sponsored events - trying to get people involved
Students are not friendly/lacking social skills		