

Board Connections

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Annual Financial Audit Report

The independent auditor representative from the firm, Eide Bailly LLP, presented the Board with its annual District Financial Audit Report and Building Fund Measure R report. The auditors provided the District with an unmodified opinion, which is the highest rating available, regarding the District's Annual Financial Report ending June 30, 2022. There were no material weaknesses or deficiencies reported in the audit, although there were two minor findings reported. There were no findings related to the financial and performance audits for the Building Fund Measure R Report. The Audits are available for review in the Business Office.

Oak View Bulletin Board Presentation

Oak View students performed a rousing rendition of "Cruella de Vil" from the 101 Dalmatians musical, which they will be performing on March 3rd. Following the performance, Principal Jenna Landero spoke about the school's concerted efforts to celebrate culture, community, family, and education. Oak View's motto is to serve "every student, every day." The school strives to make sure that every student receives the academic, social and emotional needs so that they can be successful in school. This year, Oak View



revamped its special education delivery model to emphasize inclusion and increase time spent in the general education classroom. Fifth grade teacher Patti Schraff and education specialist Kim Davis shared their thoughts and experiences regarding the transition to a higher level of inclusion for special education students. While this was an ambitious goal that required a high level of commitment and collaboration between general and special education teachers, the benefits have been tremendous. They summed up their journey by saying "We do what's best for kids."

Vista View Student Presentation

Vista View Principal Dr. Rasheedah Gates highlighted the school's science and music programs. Dr. Gates spoke about partnering with Golden View Elementary to learn about things like composting and building a program that allows students to focus on and contribute to sustainability on the planet. She also spoke about their growing music program and fantastic Winter Concert. This year, Vista View has 150 students in the music program, with two sections of strings, two sections of band, and two sections of guitar. Andersen Nguyen, a 7th grade GATE and ASB student, spoke about the many school program



offerings he is engaged in with his fellow students. He gave a shout-out to Mrs. Hoang for her outstanding teaching of the challenging 7th grade Algebra 1 class. Finally, Anderson discussed the many benefits of his favorite after school program, the Speech and Debate Club, and the many transferable skills such as public speaking and organization.