



June 7, 2018

Dear parents,

The end of the year has almost arrived. Much has transpired this year. The school has recently completed its periodic NEASC accreditation visit, which went very well. The teachers are to be congratulated on their dedication to the school and their perseverance. I have received the final report. It contains several commendations and several recommendations, almost all of which the faculty and staff had recommended ourselves. The next step is to determine a plan of action. One of the significant recommendations for next year is to move the Pre-K into the main school building. This would give the Pre-K Internet access as well as better access to the school nurse and other services. We plan to make this transition over the summer.

We have received our Iowa and Cognitive Abilities Test results. An email from the Assistant Superintendent acknowledging our test score progress followed the test results almost immediately. This makes two years in a row that the school has moved in a positive direction regarding standardized testing. I was amazed at some of the individual results in many of the grades, which indicated that a significant number of students are working well beyond their grade level. You will receive a summary printout of the test score results in a few days. We will have copies available, just in case you fail to receive your copy.

The Patriotic Assembly is scheduled for June 15th at 1:45 P.M. All parents are welcome to attend. Please join us in our celebration of our great country's heritage.

In addition, we have 3 graduations coming up. Grade 8 will be graduating on June 13th at 7:00 P.M. in the church. Pre-K will be graduating on June 18th at 9:15 A.M. in the Pre-K building. Kindergarten will be graduating on June 19th at 11:00 A.M. in the gym. Hope to see you then!

May God bless you and your families,

Mr. Gambardella