



Savage Public School

Elementary District No. 7 & HS District No. 2

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December 2, 2020

Dear Community, Families, Students, and Staff,

Thank you for all of the support that is so willingly given to our school. The following body of evidences stated below are only a small portion of all the marvelous supports that are given to our school:

- Meeting and ensuing all of the COVID-19 requirements to enable our students to enjoy all of the schooling opportunities possible. Thank you!
- Voting yes, for our budgets, even with the increases due to state and local economic challenges. Thank you!
- Stepping up to fill positions where ever our openings occur. (Please help us fill the open school cook position through filling out an application, which is posted on line; or call and we can mail an application.) Thank you!
- Coming to school events, or watching online to encourage and boost our students. Thank you!
- Surviving your own encounters and life's trials during these daunting times of change in our world; yet never missing a beat to help others and do what is needed for our school and community. Thank you!

Updates:

1. Please mark your calendars for the winter concerts, which are December 15th, 2020 for grades 7-12, along with our newly formed Savage Community Choir, and December 17th, 2020 for grades K-6. At this time, we are planning to hold the concerts in the auditorium. We are planning for a special quest to visit as well.
 - a. Due to the Governor's newest directive there will be limited seating, yet online viewing will be possible. Further details will be posted on our Facebook page and website.
2. Join our Savage Community Choir, held each Monday night in the auditorium at 7:00 PM.
3. Thank you to Linda Nelson and Steve Pust for volunteering to serve as board members through the month of May, when the next school election occurs.
4. Winter varsity sports begins December 7th. Our coaches are as follows:
 - a. Brady Reuter: Boys' Head Coach
 - b. Open position: Assistant Boys' Coach
 - c. April McPherson: Girls' Head Coach
 - d. Todd Verhasselt: Assistant Coach.

School Finance Information:

- In the past two years our oil and gas revenue has been decreasing due to oil and gas production.
- When the oil and gas fields were producing at their maximum, each quarter our high school district would bring in at least \$100,000 and our elementary would bring in at least \$10,000.
- Our last two quarters of 2020, we have experienced our high school district receiving between \$5,000-\$10,000 and our elementary district between \$500.00 to \$1000.00.
- Please note all schools, counties, and our state are experiencing similar decreases.
- In my years of administrative experience, there has always been a fluctuation in oil and gas revenue that occurs about every 15-20 years, pending the production cycle of oil and gas.

 Wishing you all a wonderful Christmas and a hopeful 2021! 

Shawn Conradsen, Chair
Tim Tharp, Vice Chair
Charles (Chuck) Thiel, Trustee

Linda Nelson, Trustee
Steve Pust, Trustee