



Little Falls Township Public Schools

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Dear Little Falls School District Family and Friends,

The air is brisk, the food is plenty, and the feeling is magical. That can only mean one thing – the Holiday Season is upon us. During the next few weeks I urge you to enjoy every minute and make memories. While some of the enchantment and wonder gets lost in the hustle and bustle, it is important to take time – time to spend with family and friends, time to enjoy the little things, and time to reminiscence. As I write to you, I recall the tremendous amount of time and encouragement our school district family and community have given to the students of Little Falls. I am moved by the support and professionalism shown by our administrators, faculty, and staff. I marvel at what we have been able to accomplish together.

- Recognized as one of the Top 100 Districts in the State
- Chromebooks for all students in grades 5-8
- Little Falls Junior Police Academy with the Little Falls Police Department
- Orton Gillingham training for all staff grades K-2
- New Science Curriculum and Programs
- 8th grade students taking STEM Explorations at Passaic Valley High School
- Passaic Valley High School Intern program with our Kindergarten Teachers
- 21st century classroom spaces with flexible seating
- Stage lighting donated to School No. 1 by our School No. 1 PTSA
- Interactive Math SMART technology donated to School No. 1 by our School No. 1 PTSA
- Outdoor classrooms / gardens donated to Schools No. 2/3 by our School 2/3 PTA
- Hopscotch boards donated to Schools No. 2/3 by our School 2/3 PTA
- New industrial fans in all three All Purpose Rooms
- Curriculum Corner – our new curriculum newsletter
- New paint in the hallways and All Purpose Rooms in all three schools
- New stage curtains in all three schools
- A new front sign at School No. 1
- Beautification project at School No. 1 funded by a generous donor
- New wall and stage safety padding in all three All Purpose Rooms
- Over \$10,000 worth of Teacher Grants awarded by the Little Falls Education Foundation
- A copy of Mr. Poppers' Penguins donated to each and every kindergartner by the Little Falls Education Foundation
- A Jenkinson's Aquarium live Penguin visit for our kindergarten students donated by the Little Falls Education Foundation

As we enter 2018, I would like to give a heartfelt thank you to our Board of Education, administrators, teachers, support staff, volunteers, educational partners, and community members. Without your countless hours of dedication, none of this would be possible.

May the true meaning of this season fill your hearts and homes with an abundance of good fortune, peace, and joy. I will see you all on Tuesday, January 2, 2018.

Warm Regards and Best Wishes,


Tracey Marinelli

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