Principal's Quarterly Report to the Raymond School Board

Steve Woodward, Principal, Raymond High School 2018-2019, Quarter 3 Report, April 17, 2019

*NEASC: RHS recently hosted members of NEASC as part of our 10-year accreditation process. NEASC examines all aspects of a school's performance. While we are pleased with the initial feedback we have received, we eagerly await their final report, as this will serve as a blueprint for school improvement.

*Penguin Plunge: Bill Hayes organized over a hundred students and staff to participate in the Special Olympics' Penguin Plunge. RHS raised more money than any other high school in the state. Funds raised totaled over \$26,000.

Highlights

- *Senior Class Trip: On 4/5/19, 70 Seniors departed RHS for Florida. Highlights of the trip included trips to Aquatica, Universal Studios, Daytona Beach, Disney Springs, and Seaworld.
- *State Testing: On 4/9/19, 284 students took one of the following exams: PSAT 8/9, PSAT 10, or SAT.
- *Spring Fling: I want to thank the RHS Student Council for their work in organizing our Spirit Week. They have done a great job building school spirit. The NEASC team identified school culture as one of our strengths and much of this credit goes to the RHS StuCo and their advisor.

*Liz Downes: I would like to thank Liz Downes for 26 years of service to RHS. During this time, Liz has been the RHS Event Planner, English Team Leader, NH StuCo Advisor of the Year, NEASC Steering Committee Co-Chair, Granite State Challenge Advisor, REA President and Master Teacher. Few people in any organization are irreplaceable, but Liz just might be. On behalf of the parents, students, faculty, staff and administration, I thank Liz for all of her contributions to our school and for making RHS a wonderful place to learn and work. We wish her nothing but the best in her future endeavors. Wherever the road takes her, Liz will be Forever Green.

Acknowledgements

*NEASC: The accreditation process is one that involves over a 1,000 hours of professional development. This process began on November 6, 2016 at RHS. All of the faculty and staff were involved in the process in some capacity. Thanks to all of the faculty and staff that were involved in the process. The following deserve special acknowledgement:

Assessment: Jim Maloney & Ben Ramsey **Community Resources for Learning:** Tom Koch

Core Values: Gretchen Gott **Curriculum:** Fiona Coomey

Instruction: Shellie Gallagher & Pat Nardone School Culture: Jennah Dussault & Christina Pauli

School Resources for Learning: Joanne Morrison & Tricia Wentworth

Steering Committee: Co-Chairs Jay Long & Kim Moyer. Liz Downes, Sue Puchacz, &

Peter Weaver.

Updates Challenges	*RHS Student Schedules: We have completed work on the student schedules based on the feedback provided by the RSB. It is our intention to release student schedules during the second half of May. *Competency Based Grading: Next year we will be reporting out on course competencies in addition to course grades. Competencies (at least initially) will not have an impact on the final grade. We will also be implementing the concept of a rolling gradebook, which better suits the philosophy of CBG. We will be reporting out to parents and students how this will change our current report cards. *Ram Time: We are collectively working to maximize Ram Time. Next year we are hoping to incorporate enrichments, career exploration, as well as targeted interventions (MTSS).				
	*Rolling Gradebook: We are currently exploring the impact that a rolling gradebook would have on teachers and PowerSchool for the upcoming year. This practice is more inline with CBG.				
Discipline	Detention: ISS: OSS: Total: Cyberbullying	*9th Grade: 46 24 5 75 g Incidents Repo		*11th Grade: 38 21 2 61	*12th Grade: 18 10 0 28
Student Achievement	Honor Rolls *Honor Roll *Principal's List 9th: 21 3 10th: 18 6 11th: 21 0 12th: 24 10 Total: 64 19 23% of the student body made Honors or Principal's List. 11 students received the Scholar Athlete Award from NHIAA: Nick Brazeau, Sarah Burgess, James Cheever, Carly Cole, Tovah Duffaut, Jackson Dyer, Jenny Ferm, Morgan Goding, Martyna Marini, Jeff Rivard, & Cam Taber.				
Upcoming Events	*Spirit Week - 4/14/19 *Spring Break - 4/22/19 *YRBS - 4/29/19 *Drama: The Twilight Zone - 5/3/19 & 5/4/19 *Dinner at the Pops - 5/5/19 *Q3 Progress Reports - 5/9/19 *StuCo Blood Drive - 5/15/19 *Junior Prom - 5/17/19 *Science SAS Assessment - 5/20/19 *Celebration of Excellence - 5/22/19 *NH Scholars' Day - 5/23/19 *SST Certificate Ceremony - 5/30/19 *RHS Alumni Breakfast - 6/12/19 *Senior Night - 6/12/19 *RHS Graduation - 6/14/19 *6/18/19 - Q4 Report Cards				
Other	*Enrollment: 9th - 119, 10th - 84, 11th - 97, 12th - 70, Total: 370. *Powerschool: Mobile App - Parent Logins - 17,277, Student Logins - 18,003, Student Records Accessed - 94%, Web Portal - Parent Logins - 2,916, Student Logins - 1,968,				

Student Records Accessed - 82%.

*Daily Attendance Rate: 9th - 95.2%, 10th - 94.7%, 11th - 93.8.6%, 12th - 93.3%