



WMRSD Leaders and Learners – Your Community Connection White Mountains Regional School District

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At Lancaster Elementary School

Lancaster Elementary School has many SAT teams (School Advancement Teams). Each fall, teachers choose which SAT team they would like to be on and meetings/planning occur monthly. The goal of each SAT team is to enhance the learning and school culture for all students and staff at LES.

One particular SAT team that had an extremely successful year was the school's School Pride team. Throughout the year this team held pep rallies, holiday cards for local Nursing Homes, and much more! The most exciting moment for the School Pride Team this year was the rockin 'Pep Rallies. A Pep Rally was held in the Winter for Winter Athletes and the Spring for Spring Sport Athletes. Lancaster Sports teams were announced in front of the whole school as well as Colonel Town teams and local athletic outlets. Music was blasting and students and staff had a great time. At the end of each Pep Rally, a staff contest was held. In the winter, each staff member tried their best at a half court shot. Mr. Provencher, our 5th grade teacher, drained the shot! In the Spring, our staff had to take their chance tossing a tennis ball, full court into a trash can. Our music teacher Mrs. Donahue raised the roof by making her shot!

So much fun was had this year throughout the School Pride SAT Team. Team members include Tiffany Challinor, Melanie Donahue, Candra Hicks, Heather Eich, Angie Lavoie, Chris Eaton, Dale Bille, David Provencher and Chris Dupont. The team is excited about ideas for next year including a Fall Sports Pep Rally!



At Whitefield Elementary School

On Thursday, May 25th Kindergarten through grade six students had the opportunity to attend a performance by the Plymouth State University TIGER (Theatre Integrating Guidance, Education, and Responsibility) performing group. The group is composed of five professional performers who focus on Theatre Integrating Guidance, Education and Responsibility-TIGER. On the 25th the group presented WES students with the Team Up Together! Performance. Through their musical performance and skits the group helped students see the benefits of teaming up together, inspiring greatness in themselves and others, giving to others, empathy and compassion and respect for self and others. Overall the group was encouraging children to develop strategies for what to do in difficult interpersonal interactions, as well as to embrace the importance of working together in order to experience success.

TIGER has been performing for the past 20 years and was excited to be returning to WES. Students responded enthusiastically to the show and walked away with messages of positivity, and teamwork