

**MCJHS/MCHS Operations Board Report**  
**January 21, 2020**

**Projects over Break**

We had three projects going on over the Christmas break, which all turned out very well. The first project was stripping and waxing a classroom floor. The finish on this floor was damaged due to unusual wear and tear and we had a company that wanted to demo a product that we wanted to try and so it took on two birds with one stone. The floor turned out very well and we will look into the feasibility of using this product in the future.

The second project was to refinish the main gym floor. Because of our water damage this summer from the construction project, our custodians were not able to put a finish on the floor. Now that the damage has been dried out, the floor received two coats of polyurethane and is looking great.

The next project was our library received a makeover. Shelves that were no longer in use were removed and carpet remnants were installed in their place, unneeded items were removed from walls, and the MCHS Alumni Foundation provided the funds for the library to be painted by a professional and it looks great. Even though a professional did the painting, our custodians provided a great amount of work to this project and their work was greatly appreciated. As always, the MCHS Alumni Foundation picked an excellent project to fund.

**Maintenance Grant**

We have been working diligently on gathering ideas and requesting quotes for the 2020 School Maintenance Grant Program (SMGP), which is a \$50,000 matching grant. We have developed a proposal for several projects including replacing the concrete entrance from 3<sup>rd</sup> street to the back parking lot and the steps to the main entrance, getting new asphalt for several of our dilapidated parking lots and road at the back of the school, and needed project of getting the outside of the building power washed.

**Technology**

The GEAR UP grant provided our school with a few additional Promethean Active Panels and 147 additional Chromebooks. The panels were installed prior to break and the students and teachers have been using them in the classrooms where they will get a lot of use. The Chromebooks have been unpacked and are ready to be issued to students as their Chromebooks are no longer usable.