

Superintendent's Update October 3, 2018

News from Around the District

- Katharine Garcia will be honored as the 2018 Auburn Book Award winner for her book The Great Challenge! Katharine was a sixth grader at East Auburn Community School when he wrote the book and is now a seventh grader at Auburn Middle School. Mayor Levesque will give him a key to the city at the October 1 City Council Meeting. On Saturday, Oct. 13th @ 11:00 AM, Katharine will be signing copies of her book at the Auburn Public Library (in the Maggie Trafton room). Before the signing, Katharine, along with 8 finalists, will be recognized for their dedication & unbelievable effort in creating and bringing their original stories to fruition.
- Enjoy the Eddies Echo News! Here is a link to the second edition: <https://youtu.be/L-S6sOScDR8>
- Scott Parker in partnership with the Auburn Police Department and 911 conducted lockdown red drills in all schools this week. Katy, Michelle, Adam and Billy observed and gathered information. Some of the information gathered was camera access, locks and communication. The administrators, school secretaries, staff and students did an excellent job in the drill expectations. Keeping our schools safe is a top priority for our district.
- This weekend Park Avenue is having its Annual Fall Festival at Wallingford's Orchard from 10:00-2:00pm. Hope to see you there!
- Make sure to check out our school department's website to read my twitter feed, which highlights lots of information about what is happening across the district or follow me on my twitter feed @AuburnSuper.

6:00pm Workshop: Grading and Reporting- Teachers from the middle and high school will share information regarding the new grading procedures and the shift from Empower to PowerSchool. Elementary teachers will share how they use Empower for tracking student learning information. Students may also be participating the workshop discussion.

7:30pm Regular School Board Meeting

Planning and Development:

1. Enrollment

The Superintendent will present district enrollment information and class size information.

Business:

1. Transfer of Funds

The Finance Committee has reviewed the June 30, 2018 Year-End Financials and will request that transfers between Cost Centers be approved for the 2018 Fiscal Year operating budget.

Enjoy your weekend!

Katy