Believe it or not, the end of the summer is here. Sigh… Where did the time go?! Below are a few photos and updates from construction this past summer. The slogan for this bond project has been “Rebuilding a Foundation of Pride,” and we have been doing just that! Where possible, I tried to include a photo from 2015 for comparison purposes. Wow – what a difference we have made these past three years!

**Kings Park High School**

- KPHS Pavement and Electrical Upgrades

This project is done. All of the LED lights along the perimeter of the parking lot have been installed, and the lights should be 100% operational in the coming days. We are just performing a few final touches on a few of the light heads to ensure that the light shines into the parking lot and not into the backyards along Lordly Court.
• KPHS Concession Stand Upgrade

Visible construction on the building began last Wednesday and is now in full swing. This area will be fenced off for safety reasons until the project has been completed. We do anticipate that work on this project will continue into the school year but be completed prior to Homecoming.

![2015 Image](image1.png) ![2018 Image](image2.png)

• Library Media Center

Although not visible to the public, we have been finalizing work on the KPHS library media center this summer. This work included the installation of several new computers (see below), additional AC upgrades in our server room, and an additional emergency exit on the second floor of the media center.

![2015 Image](image3.png) ![2018 Image](image4.png)
- Second Floor Computer Rooms, NOC, and ISR Room

2015

2018

William T. Rogers Middle School
• Field Irrigation System

The system has been completed, and our fields have never been in such good shape!

• WTR Locker Room Renovations

We hit a snag this week, as the manufacturer of the lockers pushed their delivery date of the lockers back one week. We anticipate that the lockers will be installed during the first week of school. Below are two photos of the boys locker room from 2015. I believe these were the original lockers from 1970. I look forward to sharing the 2018 photos shortly.
Districtwide Wireless

Thanks to the NYS Smart Schools Bond Initiative, the district was able to install 144 wireless access points across in our buildings this past summer. Come September, a number of district wireless devices will be in use in our schools. We anticipate that employees will be able to use personal devices on our WiFi later this fall, followed by students. The last stage of the plan will be guest access to WiFi, which should be possible in larger group areas in our schools later this year.

RJO Intermediate School

While not part of the bond initiative, we are very appreciative of the work that the Heritage Museum arranged to be performed this past summer. The mosaic work that was completed below was performed by Kings Park graduate Brian O'Neil, President of Stone Unlimited, Inc.

Thank you, and have a great 3-day weekend!
We look forward to seeing your child(ren) on Tuesday - the first day of school!

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