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Dr. Kevin McGowan, Superintendent
Brighton Central School District
2035 Monroe Avenue
Rochester, NY 14618

November 3, 2022

Dear Dr. McGowan,

The Brighton Education Fund would like to present three grants to Twelve Corners Middle School. Although these grants are very different from each other, their intent is similar, to make possible some new learning situations for students.

\$3,025.98 is granted to the Climate and Culture Committee for the purchase of three 70" display screens to be placed in the atrium outside the cafeteria to provide a full spectrum of current information for students about school activities (clubs, athletic practices, performances, competitions) and BCSD and RTS bus schedules, including last minute changes regarding any of these areas, such as bus consolidations due to driver shortages. Location, date, and time details, as well as the information about the monthly themes of each club will be listed to encourage greater participation. The main office will maintain the information.

\$975 to Katie Lambert for the purchase of 75 copies of Alan Gratz's new book Two Degrees for a special discussion day in December and for subsequent use in classrooms. As part of the Climate and Culture Committee's work, each school club has been assigned a theme for particular month. The library club chose this book for a human rights theme to build student awareness of climate issues and the right to a clean, healthy, and sustainable environment, as established by the United Nations.

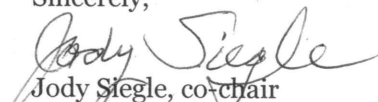
This book tracks how three children endure and cope with the impact of climate change. One lives through a forest fire in California, one faces a close encounter with a hungry polar bear in Canada, and the other survives a major hurricane in Florida. There are other books by this author in the school library and his books are frequently requested by the students.

\$100 to Sharon Pomeroy for the 12:1:4 class at TCMS to plan, prepare, and hold a holiday/Thanksgiving meal for their parents. This activity will use many of the life skills they are being taught including budgeting, planning a meal, researching recipes, making a grocery list, shopping "smart" with coupons, going to a grocery store to shop, sending invitations to parents, setting a table, preparing the meal (using measurements), and then practicing communication skills as they celebrate their meal.

Funding for this dinner comes from \$100 given to the Brighton Education Fund as targeted donation for these students. In addition, the class received a \$100 gift card for this event.

The Brighton Education Fund grants total \$4,100.98. We are confident that these uses will benefit Brighton's students.

Sincerely,


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