

# The Weekly Comet

From Dr. Tom Meyer, Superintendent of the Bellevue Community School District

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**Upcoming Events, Early Dismissals, and “No School” Days**

- March 29- April 2 - No School for Students - Spring Break
- April 17 - 2-Hour Early Dismissal for Teacher Professional Learning
- May 8 - 2-Hour Early Dismissal for Teacher Professional Learning
- May 24 - Last Day of School for the 2023-2024 School Year
- May 25 - Bellevue High School Graduation - 4:00 PM
- August 23 - TENTATIVE 1st day of school for the 2024-2025 school year

**Safety Preparation and Training**



Several representatives from the two school systems in Bellevue, along with the Bellevue Fire Department, Bellevue Ambulance Service, Bellevue Police Department and others in the area participated in a “Torchlight Table Top Safety

Training” to reflect on the responses of different organizations to emergency situations. While the groups have collaborated in the past for safety plans for the Bellevue CSD, this was an opportunity to spend nearly 3 1/2 hours reviewing our procedures, actions, and next steps. Thanks to Lyn Medinger, Jackson County Emergency Management Coordinator, for his work in organizing this event for the safety of those in our schools and the entire community.

**Hands-On Learning**

Mr. Reuter’s HS Science classes do multiple hands-on activities during the school year, along with various “learning trips” to areas around Bellevue and the river, along with the Quad Cities and the Dubuque area and beyond. To the left are two students who are “focused” on dissection recently.



**Booster Club**

Thanks to everyone who attended and contributed their time and auction items at the Bellevue Comet Booster Club dinner last weekend. Thanks to our “boosters” who contributed their time and commitment to making this another successful event for the benefit of our students. A few of the many items donated are shown to the right.



