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Dear Ocean City School District Family,

In spite of the less than warm days, March was a great month for our students and staff with a variety of activities and programs.

Our High School held the annual Electives Fair. Next year's sophomores, juniors and seniors had the opportunity to select their electives during the day and our incoming freshmen did the same that night. Our counselors scheduled courses for next year and visited the Intermediate and Upper Township Middle schools to meet with the students to select courses. After a snow delay, we held [Ocean City Got Talent](#), and it was a huge success. All proceeds were donated to the Children's Miracle Network, and many of our local businesses participated. The National Honor Society, Dancers for Cancer and Student Visionaries conducted a dancing contest and a pickleball tournament to raise funds for The Leukemia Society.

The Intermediate School teachers and students made [Peace Cranes](#) which each contained a positive and inspirational message. The teachers shared their origami work with each other, and the students did the same. The final product will be displayed and at the end of the school year, the display will be taken down and the cranes will be distributed among the students. The teachers and students celebrated World Down Syndrome Day with the global theme of #EndtheStereoTypes.

For [Saint Patrick's Day](#), the Primary School students set Leprechaun traps and caught quite a few great ones. The Rotary Club of Ocean City and Upper Township visited the third grades to read to the students, promote kindness and gave every student a new pair of sneakers. Pre-school students attended a Raider Ready program to help with the transition to kindergarten. The Ocean City Chapter of the Sunshine Foundation, led by Cathy DiMarco, sponsored a third grader and family for a trip to Disney World.

At the Board office, we completed the Budget for submission to the County Office of Education and are preparing for our new Superintendent, Dr. Christian Angelillo.

Sincerely,

Terrence J. Crowley

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Interim Superintendent