

Parent-Community Data Area Report

Board of Education
April 27, 2015



District Celebrations

- District staff and students continue to be recognized for excellence both locally and nationally.
- The district now has over a 1000 followers on Twitter and over a 1000 “Likes” on Facebook.
- High levels of parent/guardian participation during parent conferences.
- Our schools and district do a wonderful job engaging the community through a variety of events and opportunities.
- Our schools and district work to develop rich and meaningful partnerships in support of our entire school district community.

Sampling of Student Recognitions

- Bristol fifth-grade students Michael Marshall and Nathan Fee-Wiley won first place in the University of Missouri's Creating Original Music Project.
- Webster Groves High School student Jessica Oliphant has been chosen for the 2015 Missouri Outstanding Achievement in Citizenship Award.
- Orchestra students participated in the Big Apple Classic in New York. The Statesmen Silver Strings took first place for String Orchestra and the WGHS Concert Orchestra took first place in the 2nd String Orchestra division.
- Webster Groves High School seniors Mary Ann Cahoon and Kimberlee Shaw have been chosen to receive the St. Louis Aspirations in Computing Award from the National Center for Women & Information Technology.
- Webster Groves High School students Jamie Tabron and Anthony Brown placed third overall the Midwest Stock Market game. They earned about \$15,000 in stock market returns in the last two months.

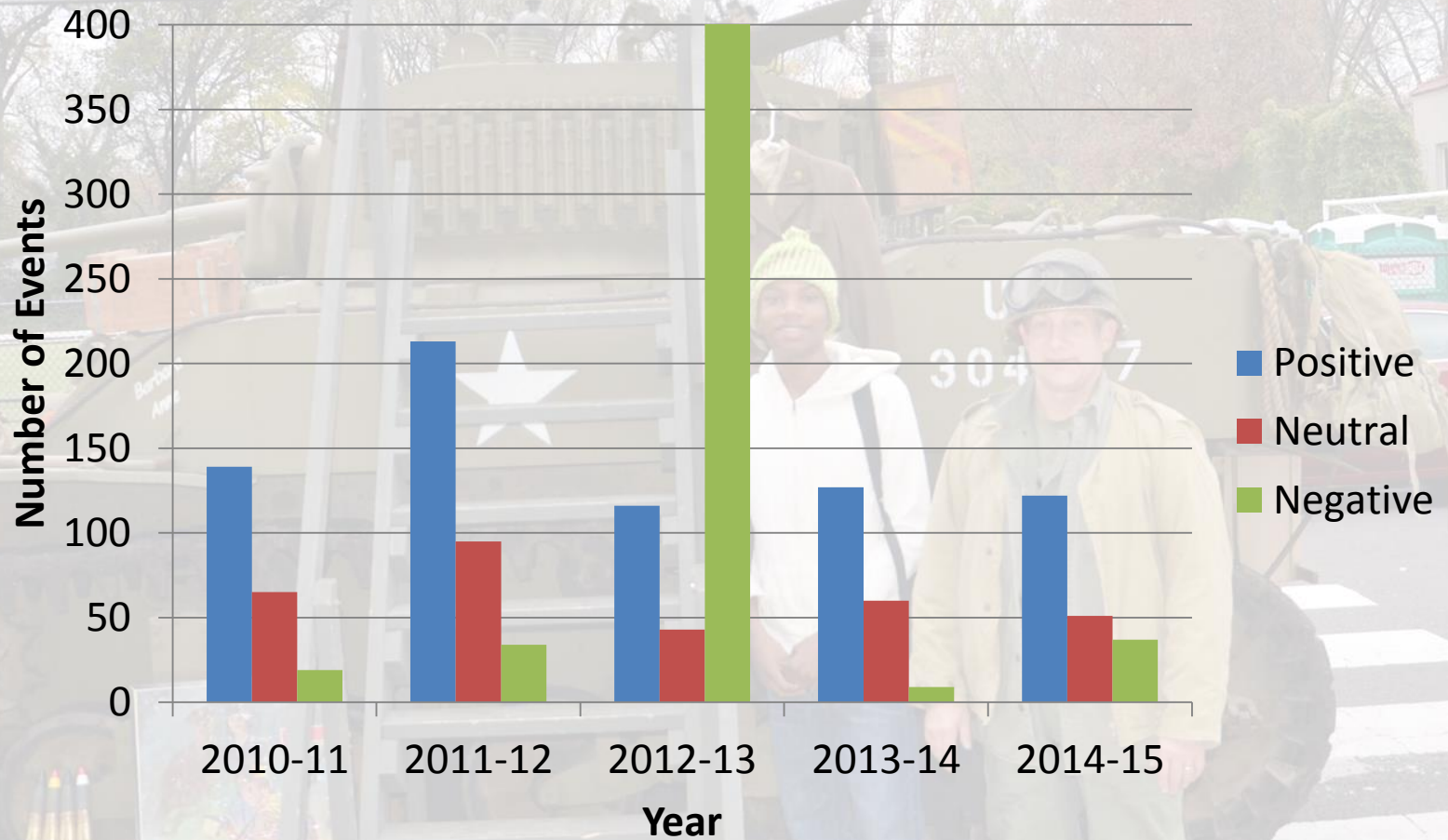
Sampling of Staff Recognitions

- High School physics teacher Philip Wojak received a Leaders in Education Award from Peabody Energy.
- St. Louis magazine honored Linda Neumann, nurse at Hixson Middle School, with an award for Excellence in Nursing.
- High School business teacher Kara Siebe received the DECA Diamond Advisor Award at state competition.
- Lauren Forsyth, a preschool teacher at the Walter Ambrose Family Center, published action research from her classroom in an article in “Voices of Practitioners,” the journal of the National Association for the Education of Young Children.

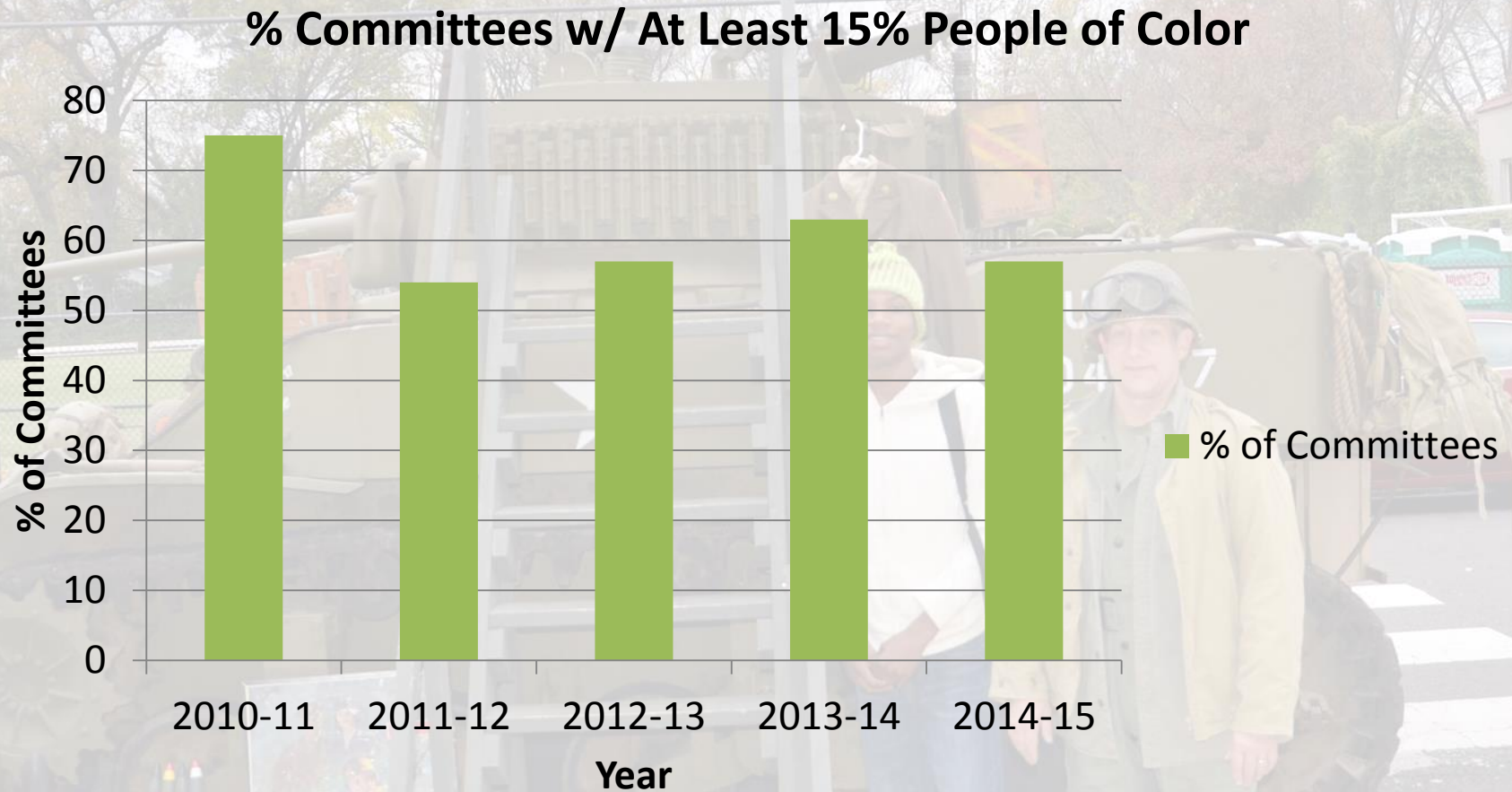
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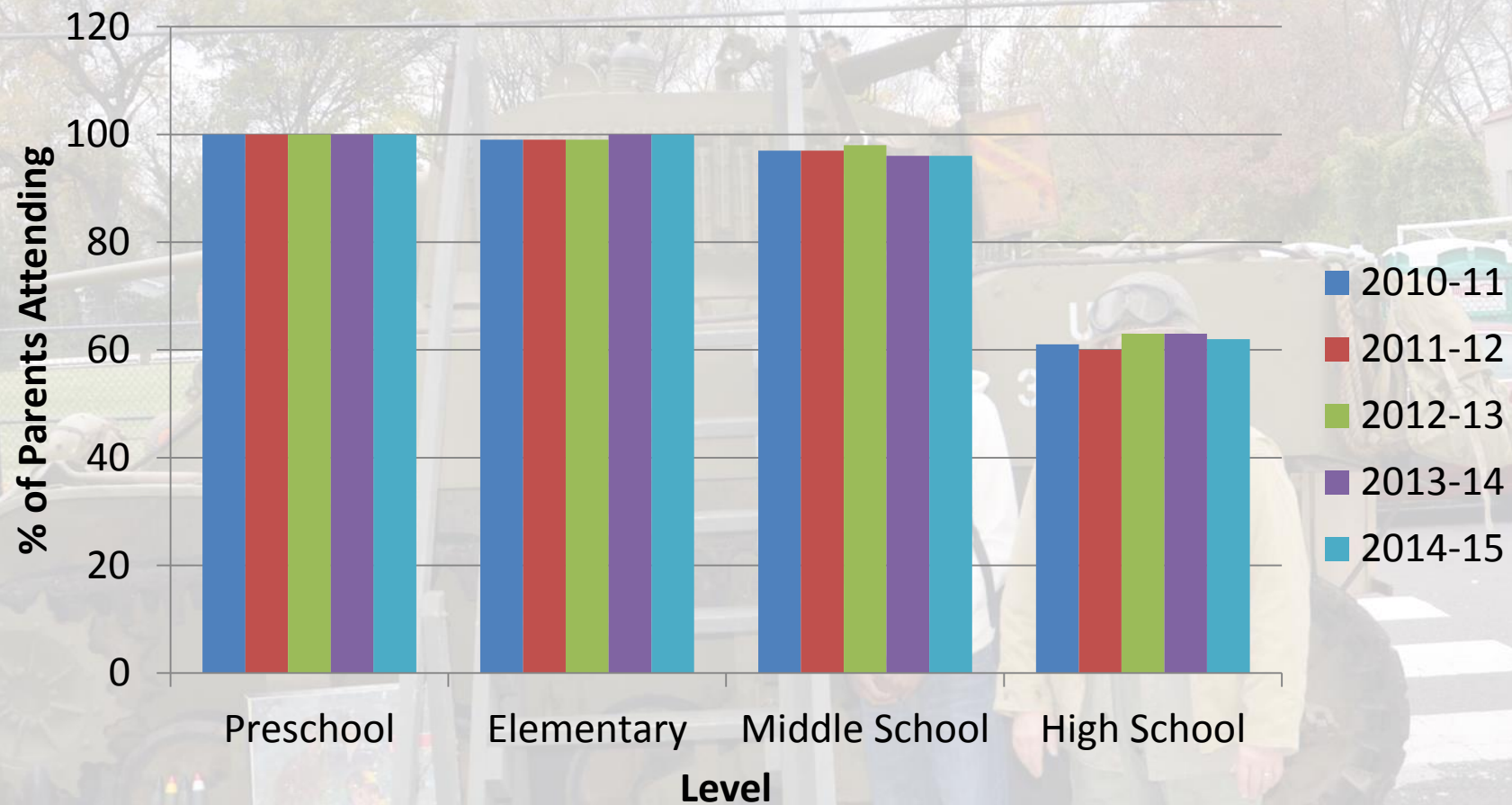
Analysis of Media Events



Diversity on District Committees

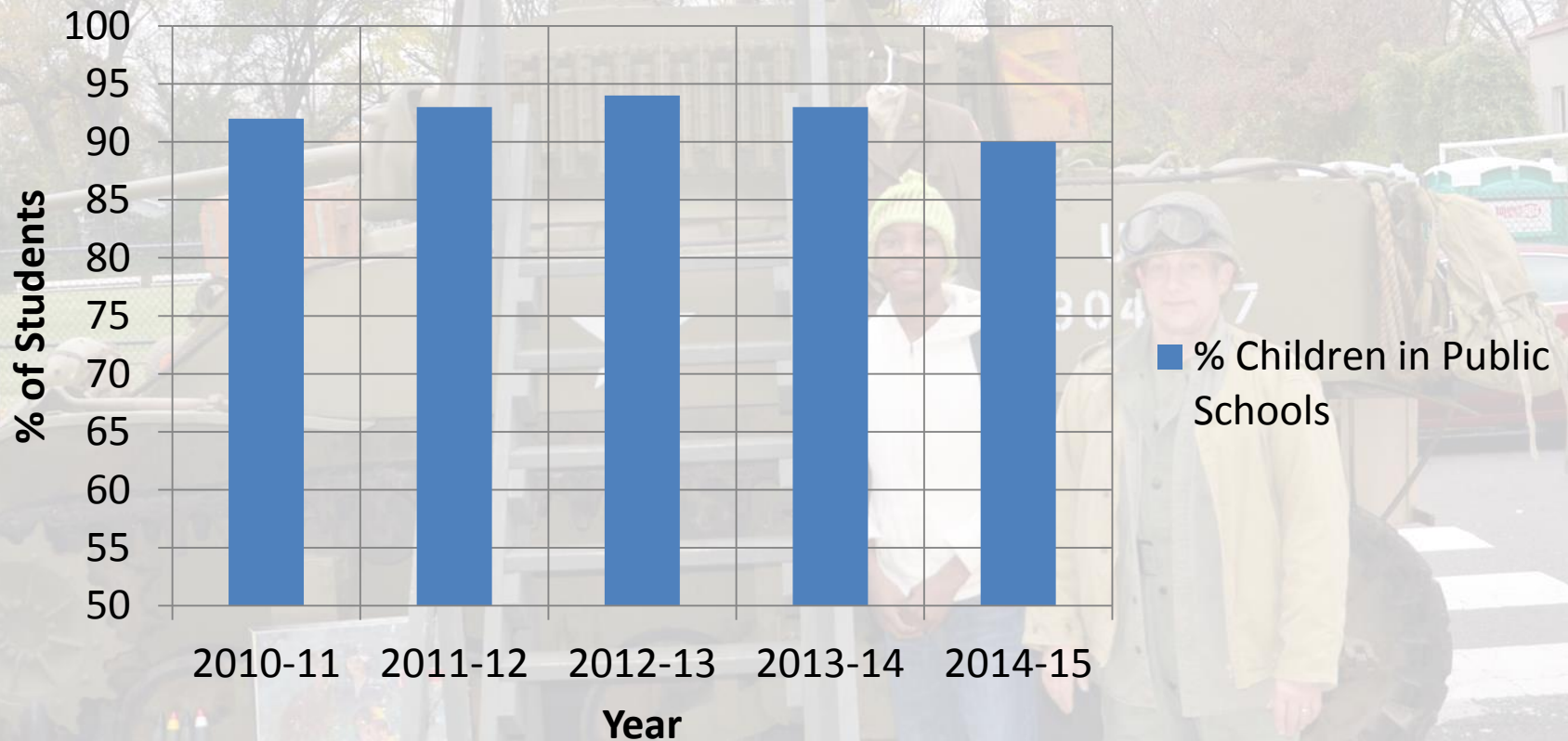


Participation in Parent-Teacher Conferences



Enrollment Analysis

% of Student Enrollment: WGSD vs. Nonpublic



Connecting with Families and Community



Connecting with Families

Mr. Schiller @ClarksPrincipal · Jan 28

Dr. Tim Jordan speaks on parenting to an engaged crowd of Webster parents. Thanks to Clark PTO & the WGSD Foundation!



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Reminder! PTO Presents:

Dr. Tim Jordan Parenting Seminar

Tonight, Wednesday January 28; 7:00pm Clark Gym

leachers, staff, and everyone who works with children.*

RSVP to Amy Greflet at agreflet.cmy@gmail.com

Free of charge thanks to the WGSD Foundation

Participants will learn:

- To keep their "mind in mind" as they parent their children
- To help their children gain self efficacy
- How to raise kids who are self motivated and self responsible
- How to run effective, weekly family meetings
- The importance of self quieting for kids and



Connecting with Community



Noah Erb and Christopher Moore



Future Actions

- Create district student advisory groups (different levels) to regularly listen to “student voices” on matters related to learning.
- Provide professional learning opportunities for staff regarding using the communication shared by students in support of personalized learning.
- Consider offering regular online question and answer sessions.

Future Actions

- Consider expanding the “tech team” concept with High School students helping community residents.
- Expand the use of social media in sharing celebrations and news.
- Increase the use of video on the district web site and in social media.

Talking Points

- The district's social media reach has expanded.
- The district's online, interactive question and answer session was received enthusiastically and should be offered again.
- Excellent turnout for parent-teacher conferences.

Questions and Comments

