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**AN UPDATE ON THE  
SANDUSKY CITY SCHOOLS  
BUILDING PROGRAM**

## A January 2018 Update from Lesko Architecture

### Design of the New Schools

The next few months will be an exciting time as we move closer to beginning construction of the Ontario and Intermediate Schools. As an update, the team did secure approval of the Ontario and Hancock Schools site plans at the Board of Zoning Appeals December meeting.

The Construction Documents for the three new schools will be completed by January 26. These are the documents that are used by the Construction Manager to obtain bids from Contractors who want to be part of the team that builds the new schools. Once the bids are received and the work awarded to contractors, construction will begin on Ontario and the Intermediate Schools which is scheduled to start in April.

The construction fence to enclose the work area for safety has been installed at the Intermediate School site adjacent to the Middle/High School and preliminary site construction work has begun. In addition, the abatement of the existing Ontario school has been completed and demolition of the existing school will begin shortly and be completed by April 2018.

### Renovations to Sandusky Middle School & High School

The Construction Documents for the renovations and upgrades to the Science Rooms, Rooms 300/301, Planetarium and Auditorium are now complete and have been released to the Construction Manager team. They are in the process of reviewing the documents and sending them out to contractors to bid the projects for construction.

In addition, portions of the renovations, such as cabinetry, are currently being secured ahead of the rest of the project to make certain that the materials are ordered and arrive in time for installation this summer. These projects are on schedule to begin as soon as school lets out for the Summer 2018 and be completed in time for the start of school in the Fall.



## Breaking Ground for Building Better Dreams

Welcome to 2018 and what promises to be a significant year for making progress on our facilities vision that we call "Building Better Dreams." The Senior Leadership Team and our Board of Education are pleased to share with you our excitement about the program and what it means for students and families for generations to come.

There are a few important dates that you should be aware of for the winter and spring months:

- Professional Day for Staff: No School for students Tuesday, February 6, 2018
- State of the Schools Address: Thursday, March 22, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. at SHS
- Spring Break: Monday, March 26th - Friday, March 30th, 2018

It is important that we remind everyone of our willingness to talk with you about the academic progress of your child. Please reach out to any of our building principals or call the Chief Executive Officer and Superintendent directly at 419.984.1000.

While these buildings are important to the future of our schools and community, our primary concern is the growth and development of our children. Our school district is making great progress and we need the partnership of our parents and community members to keep pride, tradition, and excellence going for the next generation.

**DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS FOR DR. SANDERS? EMAIL HIM AT: ASKDRSANDERS@SCS-K12.NET**

# UPCOMING DISTRICT EVENTS

## NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

**WAIVER DAY** **AND** **PRESIDENT'S DAY**  
**FEBRUARY 6, 2018** **FEBRUARY 19, 2018**

The Great Lakes Visual & Performing Arts Academy's

## ANNUAL SHOWCASE

Sandusky High School Auditorium  
Saturday, March 17, 2018  
12:00 PM

THE REGIONAL CENTER FOR ADVANCED ACADEMIC STUDIES

5TH ANNUAL

FINE ARTS GALA & OPEN HOUSE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2018 AT 5:30 PM

STATE OF THE  
SCHOOLS ADDRESS

MARCH 22, 2018

6:00 PM - SANDUSKY HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA