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Caledonia Community Schools Community:

We are sharing the information below on behalf of the Caledonia Education Foundation (CEF). The Caledonia Education Foundation has always been a huge supporter of Caledonia Community Schools and we are excited to see what our staff do with these grants! Thank you for supporting our schools.

CCS Administration

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Earlier this month, the Caledonia Education Foundation(CEF) was thrilled to award \$49,000 to 10 grant recipients! CEF works all year long to raise funds to invest in our grant program. Teacher gifts, brick pavers, email campaigns, employee payroll contributions, and events like CALAPALOOZA all contribute to support our CAL students and teachers. Many of these programs and projects have no other means of funding! We announced these grant awards by visiting the recipients in their classrooms with a "prize patrol" and big check presentation so the students were able to be in on the celebrations! Congratulations to the following award winners:

- Teresa Yonker of Caledonia High School Grant: Coalition of Community Rooted in Reading
- Andrew Crawley of Caledonia High School Grant: Digital Media Equipment Upgrade
- Kara Stevens of Caledonia High School Grant: Choir Uniforms
- Jeff Jenkins of Caledonia High School Grant: Lighting Console Upgrade for Fine Arts Center
- Jill Arehart of CAL Enrich ED Grant: VEX IQ Launch

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- Liz Alexander of Kraft Meadows Intermediate School Grant: KMIS Library Renovation
- Cara Flegel of Caledonia High School Grant: HDMI Microscopes
- Kaylie Schertzing of Caledonia High School Grant: Choice Reading Book Order
- Dionna Damaskos of Duncan Lake Middle School
- 2 Grants: DLMS Coffee Cart and Kitchen Supplies

<u>Attachment</u>