School District of Tomahawk Community Event August 14, 2019

Team 1		
Glads	Sads	Mads
 Good Prep students for 4-year degrees Excellent opportunities for students For the opportunity to change Teachers really care about students 	 Lack of guidance awareness Limited one-on-one with guidance counselors Other school offer more/better (tech., hands-on experience building trades Children spend no time outside 	 Uninformed Parents Un-involved Parents Over exposure to electronic tools Lack of Physical Activity for students No "life skills" taught in school Limited access for students to communicate with teachers in a.m. Armed Police officer @ school full time Preference/priorities to electronics avoidance of practical "tools"

Team 2		
Glads	Sads	Mads
 Well prepared for the next step School to work program Culture of respect/pride/commun ity SRO Mentor "Nice digs" 	 Honor family day Communication to parents/classroom Student enrollment process Chrome books at home Library to weight room sports/success 	 \$/state aids Communication Perception vss. Reality Nickel/dime me to death Turnover teacher

Team 3		
Glads	Sads	Mads
 Welcoming feeling of smaller district/schools Link/Web program Willingness of teachers to help benefit kids (going above and beyond) Technology advances broadens possibilities Great auditorium and other facilities All levels in one facility/area 	 Prom and Homecoming not what they used to be Lack of basic integrity, respect, honesty at home Deterioration of family structure and discipline Never enough volunteers 	 Pushing through-ready or not How to make up for lost time Locker room facilities-showers don't work Lack of respect from kids-and no response from teachers Parents not taking responsibility for own kids behavior Bully-"no tolerance" but isnt enforced Biology teacher didn't teach! So college course was impossible

Team 4		
Glads	Sads	Mads
 Weight room move School improvements Painting in gym Remodeling efforts Safety precautions New math/engineering course New CAD Lab New library Food choices 	 High teacher turn over Lack of AP classes 4th of July band paper editorial Use of school forest 	 Earlier start time Short lunch time No locker access before 7:45 Parking lot fee Coffee bar Athletes taking gym Commons doors closed during day

Team 5		
Glads	Sads	Mads
 Pride in Community Small town values Slow transition in the school experience - schedule, child centered Good to return to the community New fitness center space Pledge is stated every day in school School options 	 Loss of prayer in schools Loss of library No PE credit for sports participation. Travel time for sports 	 Arts impacted by elimination of 8 period Communication of motives of library change Non use of resource time to start practices earlier

Team 6		
Glads	Sads (combined mads and sad Mads	ls)
 Busing For Summer School Swimming program is awesome New Weight Room Community Involvement (Business Involvement) Super glad for extra safety measures ie. police officer Tight Knit community School Campus is all continuous Some great coaches Amazing PR for School through WJJQ and Newspaper 	 More AP courses Increase Gifted and Talented program UPdate/revise Math Program - "Provide Constant Professional development for Teachers in Math" Summer school MORE academic. Fewer movies. Expand summer school or have year round school. Hate 'one and done' type of programs where a new way to teach is introduced and then dropped the next year. 	 School is not geared towards healthy living ie. food stress, lack of down time/rest Way too much screen time! (MATH should never be done on the computer.) No more Chrome books Go back to more textbooks. Back to basics. Get Rid of Cell Phones in school (NO WI-FI) Get kids outside more. Adult only swim times should be open to kids w/permission.

	 Lack of discipline. Need a dean of students for at least the middle school to handle the discipline. Better plan for dealing w/discipline issues and communicating to respective parents.
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Team 7		
Glads	Sads	Mads
 Participation by grandparents in student activities/caregivers Students desire to participate in service community Opportunities for student service Student academic and behavioral expectations for themselves Employer's perspective - students are engaged and offer solutions Kids can achieve dreams after graduating This is a good place to make mistakes Diversity of teachers (young vs. experienced) My children had the chance to come here (community, staff) Safe community Support individual 	 Opportunities for student service Safety?? - student response - anxiety - feel safe Can kids be kids - achieve well in everything Hard to send off to college Tomahawk - more broken homes/living in poverty Filling basic needs at school/parenting skills Kids don't come with basic foundations (nursery rhymes, names, etc.) as they did in the past Poverty gap Aggressive behavior in school How to address 	 Climate of public social discussion Opportunities for student service Expectations excessive? Commitments Making vs. being idealistic Technology - cannot leave concerns behind STEM - also needs inclusion of arts and humanities Improve vertical communication Difficulty moving district forward Pace of educational advancement No politician addressing universal wifi for district

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Team 8		
Glads	Sads	Mads
 More kids Kis are involved A lot of offerings - classes Adaptations for "early bird" to combat less class periods. Middle school languages Staff collaboration with each other and staff/parent Staff care X2 New teacher affectiveness - but some are "burnt out" still here Admin & board listens - work for solutions/shared leadership Better food service. Care about kids. 	 Poor planning with/remondels Better communication - paper w/neg light No a/c More poverty issues with less test scores More mental health issues Kids don't know what to do after school Kids here too early/late due to jobs Kids fight help offered to them Lack of utilizing options (high ropes/outdoor ropes) Food service not part of school 	 Division of staff Kids 'victim" status SAD Lack of parent support. Blam on staff. Reinforce negative behavior So many opportunities but parents don't allow it. (time/spent on other)