

NAVAJO COUNTY AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

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| Meeting Date: February 24, 2015 | Time Needed: 10 minutes | | | | | | | | | | |
| Requesting Department: Board of Supervisors | Presenter(s) Name: Supervisor Steve Williams | | | | | | | | | | |
| Motion before the Board: Presentation to Tanner Isaacs for his thoughtful actions at Show Low Junior High School. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Recommendation: (who, what, where, when, how, etc.) Presentation Only | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Background: (why should it be done, what will happen if not approved, etc. include resolution) Please see the attached article. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fiscal Impact: (what will it cost, where funds will come from, is it budgeted, etc.) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reviewed and approved by: | <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">County Manager</td> <td style="text-align: center;">County Attorney</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Human Resources</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Finance</td> <td style="text-align: center;">IT</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> </table> | County Manager | County Attorney | Human Resources | Finance | IT | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| Approved with changes as follows: _____ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Clerk's Notes | | | | | | | | | | | |
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Show Low Junior High boys surprise girls with hearts, flowers and roses

Karen Warnick - The Independent | Posted: Wednesday, February 18, 2015 5:00 am

SHOW LOW —

Friday was not a normal school day at Show Low Junior High. It started out differently than most.

Girls were kept outside before being lined up in the hallway leading to the upper commons area. The hallway was strung with fairy lights.

From there they were escorted by several student council boys to a valentine-decorated heart arch where each one of the 285 girls were given a rose from Tanner Isaacs, the one who came up with the idea, and a little card that read: “Self love, self respect, self worth — there is a reason they all start with self, you cannot find them in anyone else. Thank you for being YOU. Stay true to YOU. Wishing you the best Happy Valentine’s Day.”

Seated next to the arch was Frank King playing the cello.

Tanner wanted the girls to know that their value wasn’t determined by whether a guy liked them or not.

“I was talking to some girls, and they said they weren’t looking forward to Valentine’s Day,” Tanner said. “Because they didn’t think they would get anything.”

The girls were asked what they thought about the event and some of the replies included: “It’s romantic.” “My old school never did anything like this.” “It’s so cool.” “It’s really sweet.” “Awesome.” “I have to give them props.” “Unique.”

The school held a dance after school that day, and Tanner said he challenged all the guys to dance with girls they had never danced with before.

“I want all the girls to get to dance,” he said. (Reporter’s note: Where was this kid when I was in junior high?)

During the planning, one thing led to another and the boys were sent to the gym where they were “schooled” on how to treat ladies by student council advisor Robert Hummer.

“I told them I was going to talk to them like men and they have to have integrity. They have to be respectful and to treat everyone like they’re valuable,” Hummer said.

The money to hold this amazing event came partly from vending machines. Dawn at Morning Rose gave them a discount on the roses. Lisa at Bridal Fair provided Tanner with his white suit and red vest. Teresa at Classic Events loaned them the arch, columns and decorations, and Isaacs Concrete Creations donated money.

After the girls received their rose, they were sent to the gym. When everyone was there, Principal Kevin Bortin and Hummer talked about Marta Douros, the well-loved academic advisor who died of a heart attack on Jan. 27 at the age of 61.

Afterwards, the whole school took the same walk and signed a poster honoring Douros. She had a habit of walking every morning around the neighborhood adjacent to the school.

“For those who didn’t know her, we’re sorry. For those that did, we’re sorry to have lost her,” Bortin said. “It was rough on this school to lose her.”

Bortin also told the students that they needed to respect those around them, the way they respect their teachers and advisors. The female teachers also received a rose and the boys received a piece of chocolate.

Now, if every school had boys like Tanner and his friends, junior high would be a lot more fun than most people remember it.