

PRSH Students Represent

When I started on the RSU 16 School Board, I didn't know what to expect. Now, after many meetings and school functions, the words that come to mind are impressive, reassured, and hopeful.

Especially impressive are the two student representatives on the school board, Senior Joesph Elliot and Junior Cadence Peters. Both are poised and articulate. Face it, it's not easy speaking in a roomful of adults, but they represent the student body and their respective classes with composure and wit.

Senior Joe Elliot started his leadership path because he believes students deserve a voice in policies and procedures that affect so much of their lives. He has a well-thought-out position on all things school, from the teacher shortage to the cafeteria food.

Junior Candence Peters, drawn to leadership in elementary school, enjoys being in charge and getting things done. The mathlete, S.T.E.M. student, is confident in what she wants and where she is going. And she has no opinion about the cafeteria food; she brown bags her lunch.

Joe and Cadence are impressive examples of PRSH students. They reassure me that through their knowledge and willingness to do the work. Joe and Cadence also make me hopeful that our big blue marble will be in good hands.