

MILLINGTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

8780 Dean Drive Millington, Michigan 48746 (989) 660-2450 "YOU CAN'T HIDE THAT CARDINAL PRIDE"

SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATES FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 21, 2022

Due to the Snow Day on Friday, the NHS Canned Food Drive has been extended and will end on Tuesday, November 22, 2022. Princess Night has also been rescheduled to Friday, December 2, 2022. In the upcoming weeks, staff and students will be collecting toys and money for Adopt-A-Family. Each Holiday Season, we provide food, clothing, and toys to local families.

Millington Community Schools is in search of substitute teachers, paraprofessionals, substitute custodians, and bus drivers. Please call Steve Bouvy at (989) 660-2451 for more information.

Upcoming Events

Monday, 11/21	High School Volleyball Banquet @ 7:00 pm – Cafeteria Student of the Month Lunch – Meachum Elementary
Tuesday 11/22	Millington Drama Club – Talent Show @ 6:00 pm Lillia Sherman – Northwood University Softball Signing @ 6:00 pm NHS Blood Drive – Millington Jr/Sr High School Library Last Day for NHS Canned Food – Millington Jr/Sr High School
11/23 – 11/25	No School – Thanksgiving Break
Monday 11/28	School Resumes
12/2 – 12/12	Adopt-A-Family
Friday 12/2	½ Day for Students– Teacher Professional Development Princess Night @ 5:00 pm – Millington Jr/Sr High School

Drama Club Talent Show

Please mark your calendars to attend the Talent Show this Tuesday at 6:00 pm at Millington Jr/Sr High School. Mrs. May and the students have been working hard since last spring to rebuild the Drama Club and they are building capacity to the point where they will put on a full-scale production in March.

"Gratitude is not only the greatest of virtues, but the parent of all the others."

Marcus Tullius Cicero

Staff Spotlight



This week's Staff Spotlight is Mrs. Moore, Meachum Elementary School Principal. She has served Millington Community Schools over the past sixteen school years in a number of capacities, including six years of teaching 5th Grade All Subjects and 6th Grade Math and Social Studies. The 2022-2023 School Year marks the tenth year she has been an elementary school principal. Mrs. Moore graduated from Millington High School in 1985 before going on to earn her Bachelor's in Elementary Education with Minors in Language Arts, Math, and Early Childhood and a Master's Degree in Public Administration; both degrees are from The University of Michigan – Flint. Mrs. Moore and her husband.

Mike (1982) have three children who all graduated from Millington High School: Michael (2008), Noah (2011) and Rachael (2013). All three of them went on to earn degrees from The University of Michigan and one of them went on to earn a degree from Yale. They currently have four grandchildren that they adore. When asked what her favorite thing about being an elementary principal is, Mrs. Moore replied, "I absolutely love the students who shower me with hugs, smiles, and laughter every single day. I enjoy their excitement, honesty, and their curiosity about everything. They bring so much joy to all the staff at Meachum! Mr. and Mrs. Moore have been married 36 years and enjoy spending time with their grandchildren, golfing, and traveling.

Cardinals in the Crowd – "Once a Cardinal, Always a Cardinal"

The Cardinals in the Crowd this week are Herb and Renee Thompson. Herb has been a member of the school board since July 2022 and he recently won the November 2022 Election. He is also serving a four-year term on the Millington Village Council. Herb grew up in Flint before moving to Texas in ninth grade, graduating from Frisco High School in 1992. He went on to attend Northwestern State University of Louisiana. Renee has had the honor or growing up in Millington and they are happy to raise their two children Eli (2027) and Peyton (2029) since birth. Eli has participated in youth football, wrestling basketball, baseball, powerlifting, and track. Peyton is a member of Cardinal Travel Softball and has played Upwards Basketball. Both of the kids are members of their church youth group and volunteer their time at community events and activities. The family

volunteers a lot of their time at the Richfield Nazarene Church and in our community. Herb and Renee also volunteer their time for Millington Youth Wrestling and Millington Youth Football. As a board of education member, Herb says, "My goal is to provide Millington students with the tools they need to be successful in and out of the classroom. Students are our most valuable resource and we need to give all of them opportunities to achieve their goals."