

MILLINGTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 9, 2023

Upcoming Events

Wednesday 1/11 10th Grade Tech Center Presentation – Cafeteria @ 9:00 am

Friday 1/13 MHS Student Council – Snowcoming Planning Lock-In

Monday 1/16 School Board Meeting @ 6:00 pm

Wednesday 1/18 MHS Final Exams

Thursday 1/19 ½ Day – MHS Final Exams

Meachum Elementary School Talent Show @ 6:00 pm – Gymnasium

Friday 1/20 ½ Day – MHS Final Exams – End of Semester 1

Tuesday 1/24 Macho Volleyball @ 6:00 pm

Saturday 1/28 MHS Powerlifting Meet

Final Exams – Millington High School

The end of the first semester is upon us and the year is flying by. At Millington High School we are gearing up to conduct exams on Wednesday 1/18, Thursday 1/19, and Friday 1/20. Staff will be determining which students need to take exams. Students who are exempt from taking an exam can take the exam to improve their score without having to worry about their final grade dropping. Below are the criteria students must meet to be exempt from exams:

- 1. Has three (3) or fewer unexcused absences during the semester. Funeral, medical, and court absences do not count against the attendance incentive. All excuses must be turned into the office within one week from the day the student returns to school.
- 2. Has improved PSAT/SAT Composite Score or scored proficient since the last screening.
- 3. Has no In-House or Out-of-School Suspensions.
- 4. Has not been tardy more than two (2) times in the affected class.
- 5. Has attained a B- or better both marking periods.

"Logic will get you from A to B. Imagination will take you everywhere."

Albert Einstein

Staff Spotlight



This week's Staff Spotlight is Mrs Lawe. She has worked at Millington Community Schools in District Office over the past twenty-two school years as our Business Office Specialist. Through her position in the business office, she manages payroll, accounts payable, and employee benefits. Mrs. Lawe and her husband, Joe, both graduated from Millington High School in 1985. Throughout her high school career, Mrs. Lawe participated in Student Council and National Honor Before working at Millington Community Schools, she worked various positions at National City Bank in Millington. Mr. and Mrs. Lawe has two children who graduated from Millington High School: Rachel (2010) and Nick (2013). They also have two grandchildren who will be future Cardinals, Olivia (2036) and William (2038). In her spare time, Mrs. Lawe likes to go on vacation, camping, and spend time with family and friends. When asked what the best thing about working at Millington Community Schools, Mrs. Lawe replied, "I enjoy serving the community I grew up in. I have had the opportunity to work with a lot of great people!"

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

The Cardinal in the Crowd for the week of January 9, 2023 is Jim Henderson (1987). After Jim graduated from MHS, he served as an MP in the US Army and then worked for the Michigan Department of Corrections. Mr. Henderson has served on the MCS Board of Education over the past eight years. He has worked very hard with his fellow board members to pass a sinking fund, improve the finances of our district, and create programs that bring more opportunities to more students. Mr. Henderson and his wife, Jodi, have three children who graduated from Millington High School: Raeann (2014), Cameron (2017), and Bradyn (2019). He also has a granddaughter named Aubrie. Mr. Henderson volunteers on the Millington Varsity Football Coaching Staff, where he helps coach the offensive line and defensive ends. He leads community service opportunities on a regular basis through the football program, including Adopt-A-Highway and the Annual Millington Old Fashioned Days Festival Cleanup. Coach Henderson's contributions helped the program earn the Steve Spicer Memorial Team Leadership Award for performing community service. Coach Henderson also helps out at the Annual MHS Powerlifting Tournament.

