Dear Cardinal School District Residents,

The 2016-2017 school year is here and I hope that our school community as a whole is as excited about beginning this year as I am. Our Board of Education has worked hard over the last year with a clear focus on returning Cardinal Local Schools to the highest levels of excellence for the benefit of our students. This focus, paired with a renewed excitement about some of the positive changes district-wide, should make for another exciting year. We will continue to provide the necessary upgrades for our technology infrastructure, we will continue to utilize our website as means to communicate our accomplishments, and we will maintain our commitment to provide our students with the necessary tools that are required for success in the 21st century. Students and teachers in the Cardinal Local School District will be working to strengthen the Ohio Improvement Process in which we have collaborative teams working to provide best practice in curriculum, instruction, and assessment for all students. We are entering our third year in recognizing distinguished alumni for their contributions in athletics and in life. We also welcome alumni and continue to provide an open invitation to join our Alumni Association so that we can share all of the good news that is happening in the district. The mission of the Cardinal School Community is to provide an engaging, motivating, and safe environment for the development of all students to be successful, productive, life-long learners and responsible members of society. As I reflect on the words in this statement I focus on the following: engaging, motivating, safe, all students, life-long learners, and responsible. As I read these words I look to educational guru Michael Fullan who states that schools have an overarching moral purpose which is “to sustain success for all students so that failure is not an option.” In fact, I believe that our community as a whole has a moral purpose to make certain that failure is not an option. As a school community we have to focus on designing and delivering engaging work, motivating all students by strengthening our relationships with them, instilling the desire for continued learning throughout their lives, and teaching and modeling what responsible behavior looks like so that students are ready to thrive in the world they will inherit.

Scott J. Hunt, EdD
Superintendent

GO HUSKIES!

Regular/Work Session meetings of the Board are open to the public. Anyone who wishes to address the Board on a specific concern is requested to call the Board Office.

Cardinal School District Board of Education
Front: Mrs. Linda Smallwood, Mrs. Wendy Anderson (Vice President), Mrs. Katie Thomas; Back: Ms. Merry Lou Knuckles (Treasurer), Mr. Greg McClain, Mr. Ken Klima (President), Dr. Scott J. Hunt, Superintendent

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Cardinal Class of 2016

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Jonathan Joel Anderson  Jacob Robert Francis  Dakota William O’Brien
Geno Angelo Argento  Mia Marie Giardina  Nathan Ryne Peters
Aleya Michelle Bandiera  Brooke Delaney Gingerich  Kenneth Richard Petersen
Kevin Joseph Bandsuh  Paul Stephen Grover  Nicholas Albert Priem
Jocelyn Taylor Bowling  Phillip Stephen Grover  Kyle Adam Root
Arlene H. Byler  Alex Christopher Lanoir Hardin  Joseph Loegynn Staullo Lengel
Caitlin Rose Byler  Bryn Alexander Havel  Craig Michael Shanower
Joseph William Callison  Loren Walter Houston, III  Paige Victoria Smith
Alex Robert Campbell  Craig Robert Kaser  Liam Scott Sowers
Olivia Rae Campbell  Ashley Marie Kaufer  Noel Nicole Springer
Nicolas Paul Cappello  Daniel Henry Knippenberg, III  Kayli Veronica Starch
Julianne Marie Carney  Emily Helen Kruse  Robert John Toth
Tyler B. Carroll  Caitlyn Nicole Lechene  Lester L. Troyer, Jr.
Brittany Lynn Chapman  Linsey May Lee  Zachary Scott Trussell
Rachael Marie Chapman  Ariel Margaret Marie Lehman  Josha Kenneth Utz
Maggie Louise Clark  Brittney Amber Loving  Matthew Kenneth Utz
Nicolas Ty Cooper  Caleb Ryan Martin  Marissa Ravey Vidal
Riley James Cummins  Joshua Raphael Martorello  Kailyn Faith Vontorcik
Cindy Lynn Detweiler  Alexandra Rae McMillin  Justin Case Warren
Kathryn Nicole Dhayer  Alan David Michener  Larissa Weaver
Madison Taylor Dobay  Michelle Elizabethanne Michael  Aidan Michael White
Gillian Paige Dorn  Andrew Nicholas Miller  Hayley Elizabeth Williamson
Donovan James Drebus  Kathleen Kay Morris  Harry Alexander Wilson, III
Raevyn Mickgela Duris  Michael Brandon Mulh  Angelica Nancy Wright
Samuel Fitzpatrick Ellis  Cody Ryan Naftzer  Cole Allen Zemelka
SENIOR RECOGNITION

**Valedictorian**
Cole Zemelka

**Salutatorian**
Marissa Vidal

**Honors Diploma**
- Haley Adams
- Jonathan Anderson
- Aleyna Bandiera
- Jocelyn Bowling
- Joseph Callison
- Kathryn Dhayer
- Gillian Dorn
- Matthew Utz
- Linsey Lee
- Michelle Michael
- Michael Mulh
- Joshua Utz
- Cole Zemelka

**President’s Award for Educational Excellence**
- Jonathan Anderson
- Marissa Vidal
- Jocelyn Bowling
- Justin Warren
- Kathryn Dhayer
- Emily Kruse

**President’s Award for Educational Achievement**
- Hayley Adams
- Linsey Lee
- Nicholas Priem
- Aleyna Bandiera
- Michelle Michael
- Joshua Utz
- Joseph Callison
- Kathleen Morris
- Matthew Utz
- Gillian Dorn
- Michael Mulh
- Angelica Wright

**Phi Beta Kappa Award Recipient**
Cole Zemelka

**National Honor Society**
- Haley Adams
- Emily Kruse
- Aidan White
- Aleyna Bandiera
- Linsey Lee
- Cole Zemelka
- Jocelyn Bowling
- Michelle Michael
- Cole Zemelka
- Kathryn Dhayer
- Marissa Vidal

**13 Year Perfect Attendance**
Haley Adams
CARDINAL HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS AND
AWARDS CLASS OF 2016

Haley Adams – Hiram College
First Congregational Church of Claridon Scholarship
Alex Almy – Career Opportunity
Jonathan Anderson – Slippery Rock University
Parkman Chamber of Commerce Scholarship
Geno Argento – Career Opportunity
Alyeha Bandiera – University of Akron
Tyler Yoder Memorial Scholarship
Kevin Bandsuh – Kent State University
Jocelyn Bowling – University of Mount Union
Univ. of Mount Union Trustee Scholarship
Univ. of Mount Union Tuition Exchange Award
Cardinal Music Boosters Scholarship
Arlene Byler – Career Opportunity
Caitlin Byler – Brown Aveda Institute
Joseph Callison – Wittenberg University
Wittenberg University Scholar Award
Alex Campbell – Career Opportunity
Olivia Campbell – Lakeland Community College
Nicolas Cappello – Kent State University
Julianne Carney – Kent State University
Tyler Carroll – Pittsburgh Technical Institute
Joseph Center – Career Training Program
Brittany Chapman – Lakeland Community College
Rachel Chapman – Lakeland Community College
Maggie Clark – Brown Aveda Institute
Nicolas Cooper – Career Training Program
Riley Cummings – University of Akron
Cindy Detweiler – Kent State University
Kathryn Dhayer – University of Mount Union
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Univ. of Mount Union Ovations Scholarship
Cardinal Music Boosters Drama Scholarship
Burton Middlefield Rotary Scholarship
Bill Allen Memorial Scholarship
Madison Dobay – Slippery Rock University
Slippery Rock University Merit Scholarship
American Legion Post 459 Christafferson Scholarship
Gillian Dorn – Ohio State University
Donovan Drebis – Cleveland State University
Raeyvn Duris – Career Opportunity
Samuel Ellis – Kent State University
Alexander Fabiny – Georgia Southern University
Noah Farmwald – Kent State University
Jacob Francis – Hocking College
Mia Giardina – Kent State University
Brooke Gingerich – Lakeland Community College
Paul Grover – Kent State University
Phillip Grover – Ohio State University ATT
Trumbull County Farm Bureau Scholarship
Alex Hardin – Cleveland State University
Bryn Havel – Youngstown State University
YSU Red and White Scholarship
Trey Houston – United States Army
Craig Kaser – Career Opportunity
Ashley Kauffman – Kent State University
Daniel Knippenberg – Fortis College
Emily Kruse – Grove City College
Questabridge College Prep Scholarship
Grove City College Student Freedom Scholarship
American Legion Post 459 Scholarship
Cardinal Education Association Scholarship
East Geauga Kiwanis Key Club Scholarship
Caitlyn Lechen – Mercyhurst University
Mercyhurst University Mother M. Borgia Egan Scholarship
Mercyhurst University Presidential Scholarship
Cardinal Music Boosters Scholarship
Pepsi Scholarship
Linsey Lee – Kent State University
Ariel Lehman – Career Opportunity
Britney Loving – Career Opportunity
Caleb Martin – Cleveland State University
Joshua Martorello – University of Northwestern Ohio
Alexandra McMillin – Career Opportunity
Michelle Michael – Ohio State University
OSU College of Engineering Dean’s Scholarship
OSU Provost Scholarship
Cardinal Music Boosters Scholarship
Bill Allen Memorial Scholarship
Alan Michener – Career Opportunity
Andrew Miller – Kent State University
Kathleen Morris – Brown Aveda Institute
Michael Mulh – Ohio State University
Cleveland Italian Club, National Assoc. of the Wolves
Cody Naftzger – Career Opportunity
Brandon N. Kirk – Career Opportunity
Breana Noble – Kent State University
Dakota O’Brien – Kent State University
Kent State University Trustee Scholarship
Nathan Peters – Kent State University
Kenneth Petersen – West Virginia University
Nicholas Priem – Career Opportunity
Kyle Root – Kent State University
Joseph Satullo-Lengel – University of Northwestern Ohio
Craig Shanower – Kent State University
Paige Smith – Career Opportunity
Liam Sowers – Lakeland Community College
Noel Springer – Career Opportunity
Kayli Stacic – Career Opportunity
Robert Toth – Career Opportunity
Lester Troyer – Career Opportunity
Zachary Trussel – Lakeland Community College
Joshua Utz – Kent State University
Kent State University Trustee Scholarship
Matthew Utz – Kent State University
Kent State University Trustee Scholarship
Cardinal Alumni Association Scholarship
Marissa Vidal – Case Western Reserve University
Case Western Reserve University Academic Scholarship
Paul C. and Kathryn W. Miller Scholarship
Kailyn Vontoreck – Baldwin Wallace University
Baldwin Wallace Academic Scholarship
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Middlefield Historical Society Scholarship
Justin Warren – University of Akron
University of Akron Academic Scholarship
Larissa Weaver – Kent State University
Aidan White – Bowling Green State University
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Buckeye Boys State Scholarship
Harry Wilson – Kent State University
Angelica Wright - Career Opportunity
Cole Zemelka – Ohio State University
OSU Provost Scholarship
Burton American Legion Post 459 Katz Memorial Scholarship
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East Geauga Kiwanis Scholarship
# Cardinal High School All Chagrin Valley Conference Conference Athletes

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### CVC All Academic Awards

- Emily Kruse, Cross Country
- Noah Farmwald, Football
- Bryn Havel, Football
- Justin Warren, Football
- Joseph Callison, Golf
- Danny Knippenberg, Golf
- Jonathan Anderson, Soccer
- Kathryn Dhayer, Soccer
- Cole Zemelka, Soccer
- Haley Adams, Volleyball
- Caitlin Lechene, Volleyball
- Kody O’Brien, Boys Basketball
- Haley Adams, Girls Basketball
- Kathryn Dhayer, Girls Basketball
- Emily Kruse, Girls Basketball
- Haley Adams, Softball
- Emily Kruse, Track & Field
- Caitlin Lechene, Track & Field
Cardinal High School is committed to offering all of our students a strong instructional program and multiple opportunities to explore and expand their educational experience through involvement in a variety of academic and athletic programs.

This year was full of successful academic enhancements and accomplishments. We rolled out a 1:1 iPad deployment with every student getting an iPad for use in the classroom. The high school also successfully completed its first year of block scheduling. This gave students greater educational opportunities to participate in more course work, art and performing arts competitions, student council, leadership seminars, athletic and sportsmanship events, and other student organizations.

Cardinal students have always been involved in charitable activities. This year was no different. Cardinal High School Seniors graduated with a total of 5066 hours of community service. Students raised funds for United Way, Relay for Life, Woman’s Safe, The Geauga Food Bank, and collected over 2000 food items for other local food banks. The Student Council sponsored three blood drives though the Red Cross - a first for Cardinal High School.

Our seniors will be going on to do great things; 71 plan to continue their education on the next level, while 33 already have career plans in place. Our seniors worked exceptionally hard this year, receiving 64 different scholarships from local and national organizations. The 2016 graduates have left high school with 255 college credit hours, most of which were earned here at Cardinal.

This year represented the first year of community partnerships to give students real world experience. We partnered with Great Lake Growers to give our students the opportunity to see how a hydroponic grower operates. Cardinal students were able to run experiments for the second semester on multiple varieties of plants to determine the best growing medium and light combinations.

Our underclassmen were also quite successful in competition and recognition this school year. Our Athletic Teams all had successful seasons inside and outside of the win-loss columns. The students in the Art Department again gained top regional and state honors for their works. Several of the awards were from our new digital photography class where students used their iPads to create digital art.

For additional information on CHS and the Cardinal School District, visit our website: www.cardinalschools.org or follow us on Twitter at @CHS_Huskies.
The students and staff at CMS enjoyed learning, traditions and new challenges during the 2015-2016 school year. Check out the images and captions to see some of the highlights and notable moments. We would like to thank the entire school community for their ongoing support and volunteerism; our partnership continues to grow strong! We are preparing to take on the next school year and look forward to getting to know our incoming 5th grade class. Go Huskies!

Thanks to the support of a grant from The Holden Arboretum, the 5th grade class had onsite and at school learning experiences.

The CMS Robobots team worked diligently to prepare and was a part of an inaugural build and competition of combat robots.

The 6th grade teachers work to prepare breakfast for students being recognized for their hard work and efforts in a quarterly recognition called the Dedicated Dozen.
PRIDE assemblies were held throughout the school year to recognize and reward positive behaviors demonstrated throughout the building. In this picture, we see the 7th grade class earns the most points in the friendly grade level competition.

Goodyear STEM Career Day was well attended again this year. Students enjoyed activities throughout the University of Akron campus.

ONE SCHOOL, ONE BOOK!

The Finance Fair visited CMS again and allowed students to see the realities of financial responsibilities through a program called Real World, Real Money.

CMS joined JES and CIS to participate in the reading of The One and Only Ivan! All students K-8 enjoyed the kick off assembly shown in this picture.

Thanks to the PTSA for their ongoing organization of the trip, the 8th grade students tour the Gettysburg Battlefield.
The Class of 2022 made history as the first 5th grade group to attend CMS. As they prepare to move onto grade 7 this fall, they are seen here signing the wall in the CMS gym to indicate their steps towards the opportunity to participate in Cardinal athletics, take Honors courses and earn HS credit for accelerated courses.

Students in grades 5-7 close out the school year with the traditional clap out for our students headed to CHS. Good luck this fall!
Straight A’s (4.00)
7th Grade: - Haley B., Brandon C., Grace G., John K., Samuel L., Sadie M., Daisy Y.
8th Grade: - Sierra B., Anna B., Abigail G., Rachael L., Jeffrey L., Hanna S., Hunter S., Sydney S., Emma T., Madison V., Avery V., Josiah Z.

Perfect Attendance
John Mark M., Carl S., Ethan D.

Individual Class Awards

Language Arts
5th grade: Sabrina C. - Enthusiasm & Achievement Award; Sheryl M. - AR Reader of the Year; Ava G., Ethan D.
6th grade: Chloe D.; Chloe S. - Leadership Award; Asia T. - AR Award
7th grade: Ashley M. - Excellence Award; Amanda M. - Poet Laureate Award, Sadie M. - Well-Read Scholar Award
8th grade: Anna B. - AR Queen, Josiah Z. - AR King;

Math
5th grade: Brooke T., Owen V.; Aaron P. - Effort & Desire to Learn Award; Anessa F. - Multiplication Queen
6th grade: Edward Y.
7th grade: Haley B., Samuel L., Kiah Z., Megan V., Daisy Y., Gavin R
8th grade: Ally W., Ashley R. - Work Ethic Award

Science
5th grade: Nathan L., Sabrina C
6th grade: Lorelei H., Grace F.
7th grade: Straight A’s in Science all Grading Periods - Sadie M., Joseph S., Grace G., Erin Y., Haley B., Sam L., John K., Sara K.; Brandon C.
8th grade: Sydney S.

Social Studies
5th grade: Serenity M., Maximilian M.
6th grade: Lauren S.
7th grade: Daisy Y. - The Confucius Award, Grace G. - FSST (Future Social Studies Teacher) Award, Amanda M. - The Amanda Miller Award
8th grade: Avery V.; Madison V. - Excellence in Effort Award

5th Grade Award
Cameron P. - Right Hand Man Award.

6th Grade Award
Stevie H. - 6th Grade Student Leadership Award; Lindsay H. & John Mark M. - 6th Grade PRIDE Award

8th Grade Awards
Avery V. - Responsible for Your Education Award; Cyndle R. - Hardest Worker Award; Albert Ray W. - Coach K Never Quit Award; Ian R. - Kahoot King; Evan L. - Most Improved from ALL Teachers Award
Diplomas: Malinda M., Albert Ray W.

Art:
5th Grade: Tyler O., Jenna O.
6th Grade: John M., Olivia O.
7th Grade: Briana D., John K
8th Grade: Sierra P., Dario D.
Physical Education
5th grade: Cameron S., Bella P.
6th grade: Blake R., Gabby N.
7th grade: Jordan L., Briana D.
8th grade: Justin D., Kayla V.

Band:
5th grade: Noreen B., Colleen S.
6th grade: Abigail M., Sarah S.
7th grade: Gene H., Braylon R.
8th grade: Emmeline R., Kayla V.

Choir/Music:
5th grade: Makya G.
6th Grade: Olivia O.
7th Grade: Alyssa G.
8th Grade: Madison S.

Computer
8th grade: Ian R.

American Legion Academic Awards
Avery V. & Jacob Z.

Archie Griffin Sportsmanship Award
Kayla V.

Brett Blair Award
Dario D.

Debbie Seyer Memorial Award
Hannah L.

NFHS/OHSAA Award of Excellence
Abby G.

Robert K. Conley Awards
5th Grade: Audrey A., Cameron P.
6th Grade: Renee K., Edward Y.
7th Grade: Emily C., Jerry R.
8th grade: Dario D., Lacey P.

Recycling and Shredding Club
Alex T., Dominick C., Jack E., Jason D., Max D., Matthew S., Meghan B., Mike R., Mikey R., Stephen W., Spence S.

Red, positive behavior reward tickets overflow from each grade level’s ticket holder. The entire student body was treated to an ice cream party for all of their productive, respectful, involved, determined, & empathetic behavior! What’s Inside? Huskie Pride!
The 2015-2016 school year was filled with a love of learning and lots of laughter. Humphrey introduced the pups to his friend, The One & Only Ivan, as One School One Book went K-8 this year! Huskie Pride was everywhere and filled our classrooms and hallways with our most precious and important of all assets . . . our children! From the PBIS Rollout in the Fall to the Pie the Principals in the Spring, students worked hard to follow the expectation of the PRIDE Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports. Students were able to buy fun items with their earned Huskie Bucks when the Huskie Pride cart would be open for business. In addition, students were able to purchase coupons such as Lunch with the Principal from their classroom teacher with their Huskie Bucks. What’s Inside? Huskie Pride!

Third Grade Reading Guarantee and Assessment

Again this year, students in grades K – 3 were bound by the Ohio Third Grade Reading Guarantee law, which requires students in those grades to be on track (reading at grade level) by the end of third grade or they are to be retained (with a few exceptions). We are happy to report that at the beginning of the year there were 19 third graders not on track, but by the end of the school year, ALL third grade students attained the scores necessary either on the Ohio State Test or on MAP to go on to fourth grade! No one was retained as a result of the Third Grade Reading Guarantee!

Teachers worked diligently during their TBT time (Teacher-Based Team) looking at student data and making decisions to flexibly group students that would most positively impact student achievement. After-School Intervention was provided by some teachers to help get students on track for fourth grade! In addition to all of our students K-4 taking MAP three times this year, our grade 3 and 4 students participated in the Ohio State Tests: ELA (grades 3 & 4), Math (grades 3 & 4), and Social Studies (grade 4). Grade 3 students took these tests in...
December and April. Grade 4 students took these tests in April and early May. It was a time of hard work, dedication, and TEAMWORK at CIS! Our Huskie Pups worked like ROCK STARS every day and learned the value of their efforts! Our staff and administration are as proud as peacocks; our children showed everyone what Huskie Pride really means at Cardinal Local Schools!

3rd Grade Straight A’s – All Four Quarters
Randall F., Christopher L., Amy M., Carter S., Nathan Y.

3rd Grade Honor Roll – All Four Quarters

3rd Grade Merit Roll – All Four Quarters

4th Grade Straight A’s – All Four Quarters
Emma G., Anna L., Zoey Y.

4th Grade Honor Roll – All Four Quarters

4th Grade Merit Roll – All Four Quarters

4th Grade Principal’s Awards
Clayton C., Cheyann F., Emma G., Aidan G., Carissa L., Jesse O., Jackson P., Zoey Y.

3rd Grade Perfect Attendance
Troy C., Cindy L.

4th Grade Perfect Attendance
Liliana M., Ian W.
Community Connections

Partnering with the Volunteers Program facilitated by the Geauga County JFS, 15 Volunteers assisted our Huskie Pups and teachers in the classroom with all aspects of their learning. Additionally, 11 students from Cardinal High School earned Community Service Hours by giving back to the elementary campus as student volunteers. They worked one-on-one and in small groups with students who needed that little extra help with reading, math, and other subjects! They also spent time establishing relationships with students, which is a priceless commodity in education. When our students feel cared for, they work harder and learn more! Teachers understand that first and foremost, they need to establish relationships with their students and they work daily to do so; having our volunteers/tutors do the same only increases the level of learning in our schools!

Students were awarded for their successes in many ways by area affiliates. Many students at Jordak and CIS enrolled in the Lake County Captains Reading Challenge. Students read, read, and read! Just one more way they showed pride in their learning and made sure they were on track with reading and ready for next year! As well, students in grades 3 and 4 who received Straight A’s for Q1 or Q2 were entered into the Cavaliers & Westfield Insurance Straight A’s All-Stars contest for 2 tickets to a home Cleveland Cavaliers game and/or cinch-sac/certificate (all students entered received a cinch-sac/certificate). Students in grades 3-4 with Straight-A’s Q3 received 2 tickets to a Cleveland Gladiators game in May. Students in grade 4 earning Straight A’s or Honor Roll Q4 received an Adventure Pass to Adventure Zone in Geneva-on-the-Lake, Ohio.

As well, Jordak and CIS partnered with Family Pride to facilitate student social groups of up to 10 grade 3-4 Huskie pups, up to 10 grade 1-2 Huskie pups, and up to 10 Kindergarten pups held in 2 sessions of ten weeks each for 30 minutes to one hour weekly. Nearly ten students in grades 3-4 participated in Big Brothers Big Sisters held one afternoon a week for 1.5 hours.

Our Huskie pups, their families, and school community very much appreciate and highly regard the importance of a community’s influence in raising our future citizens.
We offer our most sincere Thank You to the PTA! This group of parents and teachers worked tirelessly on a daily basis to make sure that our students had everything they needed to be successful academically and brightened the world of learning for everyone! In addition, they made sure to help teachers with many instructional needs, such as magazines, technology for our children, and dinner for teachers on conference nights, among other treats and services throughout the year! They spent countless hours, always smiling and bringing a ray of sunshine into our schools, for the Scholastic Book Fairs, the Huntsburg Pumpkin Festival, field trips for K – 4, COSI assemblies, Holiday Headquarters (where they made sure every student had money to purchase gifts for their family), organizing Grandparents Day, the Plant Sale, the 4th Grade Graduation Ceremony, helping with Fun Day, sponsoring the first annual Earth Fest, funding One School One Book, and much, much more!! Thank you for all of your support throughout the school year! The staff and students truly appreciate your generous dedication and Huskie Pride!

The staff and students of Jordak and Cardinal Intermediate are looking forward to another exciting year for 2016-2017! Thank you Middlefield, Huntsburg, and Parkman parents and community members for your continuing support! You are essential to our children’s success and you make academic excellence possible! We appreciate everything you do at home, in the community, and at our schools to help our children learn and grow into loving, respectful, intelligent, successful, responsible citizens! Children are our future!
One School, One Book went K-8 this school year!

After last year’s overwhelming success with *The World According to Humphrey* by Betty G. Birney, the decision was made to go K-8 this year reading *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate! The goal of the One School, One Book Committee this year was to promote literacy with family and community involvement throughout the elementary and middle school campuses. Committee members of teachers and administration worked diligently throughout the year to prepare for the three-week program and Rollout Assembly. On May 3, 2016, the K-4 student body walked over to Cardinal Middle School and joined CMS students and school community for the Rollout Assembly that included a skit based upon the book and the entire audience reading together the first twenty-two pages of the novel. G-TV filmed the event for later broadcast. During the assembly, volunteers turned the Jordak, CIS, and CMS Lobbies and Hallways into a circus-themed Big Top and students were given popcorn upon re-entering the building after the Rollout Assembly. Daily trivia contests were broadcast on the morning announcements and writing contests took place in the classrooms. Ivan (Dr. Hunt) paid numerous visits to classrooms & lunch periods, even posing for a photo session with K-2 students. Ms. Bearer & Mrs. Fulton canvassed local businesses & professionals to garner support and hang up Ivan posters in which students could spot, engage employees in shared reading conversation, and receive tickets for prize drawings in the offices. Jordak/CIS PTA, CMS Student Council, numerous anonymous supporters via DonorsChoose, and area businesses such as Great Day, All Around Children, and Middlefield Library/Friends of the Library supported the purchase of books for distribution to each child K-8, certified and classified staff K-8, Central Office staff, BOE members, and many of the businesses/professionals in the community with whom One School, One Book collaborated. Sweetie Candy Store generously donated Candy Runts as one of the clues prior to the Rollout Assembly.
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**Grand Total:** 16,469
District Spelling Bee
Third through eighth grade students at JES, CIS, and CMS made Cardinal Local Schools PROUD by participating in the District Spelling Bee on Friday, January 8, 2016. The Spelling Bee was organized by Miss. McKnight (4th Grade ELA Teacher) and Mrs. Cameron (5th Grade ELA Teacher). Cardinal Schools Superintendent, Dr. Hunt, along with Miss McKnight and Mrs. Cameron served as judges, and Ms. Bearer, Principal, was the word caller. All students received a Certificate of Participation for their hard work and effort. Three seventh graders came in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place respectively: Halle D., Ashley M., & Aaron E.

Transportation Changes
To improve efficiency and accuracy at dismissal time, thereby minimizing mistakes and keeping all students safe, we discontinued the practice of accepting daily changes for student dismissal plans. Beginning in the fall and modifying how all students walked to the bus (with the aide of a teacher or staff member) to families creating back-up plans mid-year to put into place starting in April, it was our intent to ensure that students got on/off the correct bus at the correct location at dismissal and got to their destination safely and stress-free. Daily changes were creating confusion and an unsafe situation in which mistakes were imminent and students were at risk. We thank you for making necessary arrangements to meet your child at the end of the school day or create a back-up plan which made your child, yourself, and school personnel at ease on the afternoon ride home. Our students’ safety and security is always priority #1 at Cardinal Local Schools.
**Required Annual Notices**

**Statement of Non-Discrimination**

The Cardinal Local School District has dedicated itself to providing equal admission opportunities, equal educational opportunities, and equal employment opportunities to all people regardless of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, non-related medical conditions, or handicap. Students are considered equally for course enrollment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, marital status, parents' status, non-related medical condition, or handicap.

**In Case of Discrimination**

The grievance procedure begins with the student or staff member presenting, in writing, his or her alleged grievance to the Title VI/Title VII/Title IX/Section 504 Coordinator, Dr. Scott J. Hunt. A copy of the complete grievance procedure is available upon request from the building administrator located in the school office. The Cardinal Local School District is in compliance with Title VI, Title VII, Title IX, and Section 504 regulations.

**Dear Parents,**

The Cardinal Local School District uses *Infinite Campus* as its emergency notification system. Notifications can be accepted via phone, text, and email. Please make note of the following:

- Weather cancellations are typically made by 5:30 am for school closing or by 12:00 noon for an early release.
- Informational messages from the district of buildings are normally made between 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm.
- The caller may be the superintendent or a principal.
- The numbers called are obtained from Infinite Campus household information. **To change a number please call the school.**

**Dear Cardinal Fans:**

The 2016-2017 sports season is just around the corner! It promises to be an exciting season as the Huskies look to continue their outstanding performances in all sports.

Please review the ticket information below:

- All tickets at the gate are $6.00. We now have the ability to accept credit card and/or debit card purchases at the gate.
- Tickets to all home events can be purchased online; season tickets and student pre-sale tickets are also available for each sport. Please go to [http://cardinalschools.org/athletic-ticket-plans/](http://cardinalschools.org/athletic-ticket-plans/).
- Senior Citizens and Pre-School Children will be admitted free.
- Cardinal High School is a smoke-free campus.
- There will be no re-admittance without the purchase of a new ticket.
- **Passes are not valid at tournament and post-season events.**

Thank you for supporting Cardinal Athletics!

Andy Cardinal, Athletic Director
**Ticket Plans**

*Student Pre-sale Tickets (4 per ticket)* – Available for all home games. Student pre-sale tickets can be purchased in each building’s office or online.

*Adult Pre-sale Tickets (5 per ticket/per sport + credit card convenience fee)* – Available for all home games for each sport. Tickets must be purchased online.

*Huskie Pride Family Pass (225)* – Available to use at all HOME, regular season contests. This can be used by parents/guardians and their school-aged children for the fall and winter sports seasons. Each family will receive two passes and must present their pass at the time of entry. Only members of the family may use the pass at the gate. The Huskie Pride Family Pass is nontransferable, and improper use of the pass will result in forfeiture of the pass for the remainder of the school year. Family passes can be picked up at the high school at any time during school hours. Click here to apply for your family pass today!

**Huskie Pride Family Pass**

If purchasing a *Huskie Pride Family Pass* please fill out the following information.

Parent’s Name: _____________________________
Parent’s Name: _____________________________

Student’s Name: ____________________________ Grade: ___
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Please make your check payable to: **Cardinal Athletic Department**
If you have any questions, please call the Athletic Director, Andy Cardinal at 440-632-0261 ext. 5007 or email andy.cardinal@cardinalschools.org

Mail to:

Cardinal Athletic Department
14785 Thompson Ave., Box 7
Middlefield, OH 44062
Attn: Andy Cardinal
Cardinal Music Boosters

The Music Boosters operate the concession stand during football games. With this fundraiser and others they are able to help support the outstanding music programs at the middle school and high school. The Boosters actively support all programs by providing many services, including chaperones. Please help to support this effort!

Parent/Teacher Group

The Parent/Teacher Group is a service organization aimed at providing student programs and classroom materials or equipment not supported by tax funds. The group plans activities to raise funds and serves to develop a genuine sense of community. They raise thousands of dollars annually. Funds are used to support classroom learning and provide improvements to the school.

Cardinal Athletic Boosters, Incorporated

The Athletic Boosters provide support for middle school and high school athletic activities. Improvements to facilities also benefit community youth programs for all ages.

We encourage the residents of Cardinal Local School District to become involved with their schools. When you have a comment, a suggestion, or a question please contact school personnel. Teachers can be contacted by calling the school and leaving a message; the teacher will return your call. Residents can also contact members of the district, leave feedback and ask questions by utilizing the Let's Talk tool on our webpage!

Directory Information Notice

You may request objection to release of directory information, in writing, prior to the start of each school year. Directory information includes: name, address, telephone, place and date of birth, field of study, activity and sports participation, athletic height and weight, attendance, graduation date, and awards.

Lunch & Breakfast Prices for 2016-2017 school year

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2016

Ben Clutter, Leadership of the Year, H.S. Science Teacher
Tammara Misinec, Teacher of the Year, 2nd Grade
Karen Retych, Employee of the Year, Spec. Ed./CIS Secretary
ANNUAL ASBESTOS NOTIFICATION
FOR THE CARDINAL LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

To: Employees, Parents, Groups and Organizations

FROM: Brian Kelly, Asbestos Program Manager

DATE: March 14, 2016

REFERENCE: Annual Notification Regarding the Asbestos Management Plan for the Cardinal Local School District

The US EPA published their AHERA (Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act) regulations in 1986. These regulations require all local education agencies (LEA’s) to have their buildings inspected for asbestos-containing building materials (ACBM), to have a written Asbestos Management Plan created, and to institute an Asbestos Operations and Maintenance (O&M) Program to train in-house personnel how to properly manage and work with ACBM in their buildings. An annual notification is required to be sent to all school district employees, Parents, Groups and Organizations to explain the Management Plans and any current relevant activities. The Cardinal Local School District has completed all these requirements.

The master copy of the Asbestos Management Plan for all school buildings is in the office of Brian Kelly, Asbestos Program Manager, Cardinal Local School Maintenance Building, 16000 East High Street, Middlefield, Ohio 44062 (Phone 440-632-0261. A copy of the Asbestos Management Plan that is specific to each building is maintained in the principal’s office at the following locations: Cardinal High School and Cardinal Middle School. Records related to the Administration Building and any other buildings are maintained in the master copy at the Asbestos Manager’s office in the Maintenance Building.

The Asbestos Management Plan in Jim Byler’s office is available for review by any interested party. Brian Kelly can be contacted by phone or in writing at the address listed above to answer any questions or to arrange for review of the Management Plan. Copies of any pages from the management will be provided by the Cardinal Local School District at a cost of $0.10 per page.

The purpose of this Annual Notification is to explain the status and availability of the Asbestos Management Plan, to review recent asbestos-related activities in the school district, and to list the asbestos-related activities that either recently occurred or are planned to take place in the upcoming year. See below for a list of the recent activities and the planned activities.
**Completed Asbestos-related Activities in the previous 12 months:**

**August 21, 2015**
- Asbestos repair and removal of areas of concern in Gymnasium, Boys locker room and MPR room...High School
- Asbestos repair and removal of areas of concern on JES AHU.

**November 2015**
- 4 Hour Refresher Asbestos Manager Training completed for Larry Koon.

**March 10, 2016**
- 8 Hour Asbestos Manager Training for Brian Kelly.

**Planned Asbestos-related Activities in the next 12 months:**

- Custodial/Maintenance staff 2 hour Asbestos Awareness training.
- AHERA 3-year Asbestos Re-inspection in 2016.
- AHERA 6 month Asbestos Re-inspection in 2016