

UPDATE

Quincy Public
Schools
Newsletter

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March 20, 2024



SUPER'S 8 DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

1. Fourteen students at the Academy completed a Victory Lap for the third quarter. This means they completed the required coursework for the semester.
2. Students at Senior High celebrated Pi Day by raising money for the QMG Foundation Cancer Crush fund. Students voted on which of the brave 18 volunteer staff members would get hit in the face with a pie.
3. It's Music in Our Schools Month. Parents of 4th and 5th grade band and orchestra students have been invited to class to see their musicians in action.
4. Rooney Elementary School hosted a family fun night this month. Students and their families played games such as bingo and raffled off baskets to raise money for the PTO.
5. Since January, students, teachers and families have been filling out the 5Essential surveys. Data from these surveys helps us get a picture of the climate and culture of our schools so we can continue to strive for excellence.
6. Baldwin students got to show off what they want to be when they grow up during the "Dress as Your Future Self" spirit day.
7. The Early Childhood and Family Center celebrated special persons day. Students invited a loved one to visit the ECFC for crafts and fun.
8. Spring sports are in full swing as the QHS boys tennis team brought home a decisive win in their first match of the season against Triad.



SPOTLIGHT ON ECFC

Director Sara Cramer presented the Early Childhood and Family Center Top 10 which demonstrates how unique the four programs they house support their 565 students. Highlights include play-based learning, special education services, family support, parent education, door to door transportation, community partnerships, policy council advisory board, meal services, and an exceptional staff.

Dr. Todd Pettit
Superintendent

APPOINTMENTS/CHANGES IN ASSIGNMENT

JOANNE CONOYER – TITLE 1 EXT. DAY/LINCOLN-DOUGLAS
KASSIE HENRY – 1ST GRADE/DENMAN
MOLLIE HOFFMAN – ADMINISTRATIVE ASST./GRANTS
BOOKKEEPER/BOE
KATIE HOGGE – 5TH GRADE SPED CO-TEACHER/ILES
AMBER HOLTSCHLAG - TITLE 1 EXT. DAY/LINCOLN-DOUGLAS
KRISTEN HOUSTON – SOCIAL STUDIES/QJHS
ROBYN ISEMINGER – 5TH GRADE SPED CO-TEACHER/ROONEY
HANNAH KEMP – TITLE 1 EXT. DAY/LINCOLN-DOUGLAS
MARIAH KINDHART – 7TH GRADE HISTORY/QJHS
MICHAEL KLOTZ – SPECIAL EDUCATION/QHS
KYLE KOENIG – K-2 CROSS CAT/DENMAN
AMY LEEBOLD – RESOURCE 3-5/ROONEY
MATTHEW LETTIERI – NIGHT CUSTODIAN/QJHS
KIMBERLY LILO – PARA/QJHS
MATT LONGO – ASST. GIRLS SOCCER COACH/QHS
EMILY ROSEN – 5TH GRADE/LINCOLN-DOUGLAS
BRIAN ROWATT – ASST. TRACK COACH/QJHS
SALLY RUBLE – ACADEMIC LEADER/DENMAN
ERIN SAALBORN – TITLE 1 EXT. DAY/LINCOLN-DOUGLAS
LAUREN TAYLOR – OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST/DISTRICT
NOEL VANDERBOL – ELA TEACHER/QJHS
KEVIN VOLLBRACHT – ELECTRICIAN/MAINTENANCE
TIFFANY WINGERTER – 4TH GRADE GEN. ED. CO-
TEACHER/LINCOLN-DOUGLAS

RESIGNATIONS (END OF 23-24 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)

LEVAR DAVIS – MID-DAY CUSTODIAN/DENMAN 03/06/2024
ANTHONY GOODWIN – SOCIAL STUDIES/QJHS 05/31/2024
TRINA HARDCASTLE – NIGHT CUSTODIAN/QJHS 03/11/2024
NYAH HICKS – PARA/ECFC 05/29/2024
TRISHA HILGENBRINCK – SPEECH & LANGUAGE
PATHOLOGIST/ROONEY 05/01/2024
KELSEA HOSKINS – CASE MANAGER/QJHS
GERARD PERKINS – RIDER/TRANSPORTATION 04/04/2024
LEIGHA RINEY – PARA/QJHS 03/08/2024
KIM ROBERTSON – CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR/QAVTC 04/11/2024
KEITH SHAFFER – SECURITY/QHS 03/22/2024

In other action, the Board approved:

- Van Lease from Enterprise for 5 years at a monthly cost of \$740.43



HOUSE FOR RENT **Available August 2024

Three bed, two bath, one car garage, central location, unfinished basement with washer/dryer hook ups, large yard, one year lease. NO smoking, prefer no pets. \$1300 a month plus deposit.

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The Quincy Senior High production of New Faces 2024 will come to life on March 21st and 22nd at 7pm and on March 23rd at 2 pm and 7pm in the QHS Theatre, located at 3322 Maine Street. Started in 1955 by QHS band director Dan Perrino, the 69th edition of this annual variety show will feature the talents of more than 150 Quincy Senior High students. The theme of this year's show, "The Music in Me" will highlight the multi-talented instrumentalists, singers, dancers and actors of QHS! The Blue Devil Big Band and the QHS Show Choirs will anchor the production with many individual acts complementing the two-act presentation. Reserved seats are available by visiting



MARCH 21ST 7PM
MARCH 22ND 7PM
MARCH 23RD 2PM & 7PM
TICKETS ON SALE MARCH 7TH!



NO SCHOOL SPRING BREAK
Monday, March 25—Monday, April 1



Graduation
Sunday, May 19
at 4:00 p.m.
at Flinn Stadium