

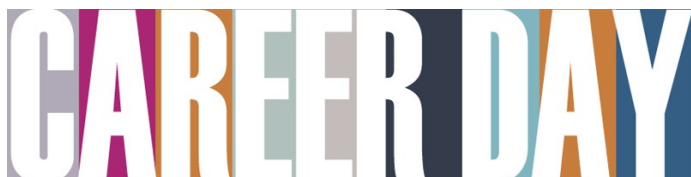


Indian Pride

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Minooka Intermediate School Newsletter



At Minooka Intermediate School, we strive for our students to be successful not only within our school, but also beyond our doors into adulthood. We would love for our students to explore the many different pursuits and directions they may take after successfully completing high school. In order to accomplish this, we are requesting your help.

We are looking for community members to present to our school during this year's Career Day on the mornings of **April 24th (6th Grade)** and **May 1st (5th Grade)**. We will be having two separate career days for fifth and sixth grades. Please feel free to sign up for one date or both dates. If you would be willing to spend some time talking with our students about your career, we would love to have you. We are looking to include as many different professions as we can.

Presenting to our students would entail:

- Giving no more than five, 25 minute sessions to our 5th or 6th grade students
- Sharing your career path and training or education necessary
- Stressing the importance of perseverance and effort to attain goals
- Connecting topics or students studied in school to the skills needed in a variety of occupations in the real world
- Including an appropriate interactive/hands-on activity

Please go to this link to sign up: <https://forms.gle/K93nrDuSJnifEX9VA>

Additionally, after signing up, we will pair you with an Intermediate level teacher that is willing to help plan your presentation to fit our students' needs. If you know of anyone who would enjoy this opportunity as well, please share the link with them or contact your student's teacher with his/her information. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Monica Totaro at mtotaro@min201.org or Mrs. Jacqueline Harig at jharig@min201.org

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January Events

1/31/20– 6th Grade Dance

February Events

2/6/20– 5th Grade Band
Concert 5:30 PM

2/14/20– 5 Hour Day: Dismissal
around 12:30 PM

2/17/20– President's Day: No
School

2/20/20– Family Learning Night
5:30-7:30 PM

2/27/20– 5 Hour Day: Dismissal
around 12:30 PM

2/28/20– Teacher Institute Day:
No School

March Events

3/10/20– PTO Meeting 5:30PM

3/12/20– 6th Grade Band
Concert 6 PM

3/18/20– MIS Drama Club
Performance 6PM

3/19/20– Choir Concert 6PM

3/20/20– End of Quarter 3

3/20/20– 5 Hour Day: Dismissal
Around 12:30 PM

3/23-3/27/20– Spring Break: No
School



PRIDE ARROW WINNERS



January 21st-24th

5th Grade Winners

Maleah Belton

River Hubbs

Jenna Humphrey

John Murdie

Dominick Saenz

6th Grade Winners

Mariah Haley

Chase Nurczyk

David Pulido



January Students of the Month

Congratulations:

Amina Amir

(6 Blue Team)

Sophia Reda

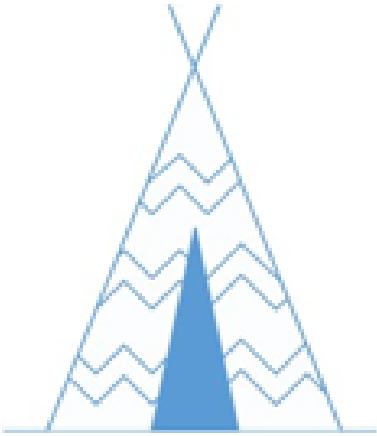
(6 White Team)

Lamarion Williams

(6 Red Team)

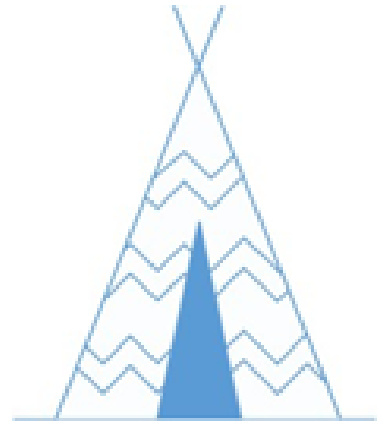


Staff Celebrations



**Has a staff member at
MIS done something extra
for your or your child and
you would like to
recognize them?**

**Please go to the Minooka
Intermediate School
website and click on
“About” at the top and then
click “Staff Nominations”
to nominate them today!**



**Congratulations to our staff who were nominated for “Staff
Celebrations!” Fabulous job!**

Mrs. Wolski



Mrs. Jewett

Illinois 5Essentials Survey

Organizing Schools for Improvement

Minooka Intermediate School values your input about our school. In order to celebrate the successes and review our areas for improvement, we are asking that you please complete the 5Essentials Survey for parents. The survey is open until February 14th, 2020. In order to review the results, we need at least 20% of our parents to complete it.

None of the information you provide will be directly connected to you or your child. The results of the survey will eventually be shared with Mrs. Pekol and Superintendent Dr. Monn in March.

If you have children in multiple Minooka schools, you will need to complete a survey for each building.

Thank you in advance for your participation and input on the 5Essentials Survey for Minooka Intermediate School.

Link to survey: <http://survey.5-essentials.org/illinois/survey/parent/> (Our school is in Grundy County)

There will also be a student survey that will be administered. It asks students about their experiences in school, giving school leaders critical student input to help develop school improvement plans. This survey is completely confidential. Teachers or administrators will never see individual responses to survey questions and will only receive aggregated information, such as the total percentage of students who agree homework assignments help them learn the course material. Please, check your email for a letter from MIS Administration and how to access the copy of the questions asked to students.

MIS SPORTS PAGE!

*Note: Sporting events are subject to change and weather cancellations.
For an up to date sports schedule visit: min201.org/departments/athletics



Upcoming Sporting Events:

6th Girls Volleyball

1/27/20, 4:30 PM @ Home (MIS) vs. Homer
1/28/20, 4:30 PM @ Home (MIS) vs. Wilmington
1/29/20, 4:30 PM @ Home (MIS) vs. Sandwich
1/30/20, 4:30 PM @ Home (MJHS) vs. Coal City

Wrestling

1/28/20, 4:30 PM @ Coal City vs. Manteno/Coal City
1/30/20, 4:30 PM @ Home vs. Channahon/Ottawa/Hickory Creek

Awards Night

Awards will only be given to athletes that are present at the ceremony.
March 18th at 6:30 PM at MJHS 6th Grade Girls Volleyball awards.