

CONNECTION

Serving Enumclaw and Black Diamond

2929 McDougall Avenue, Enumclaw

• 360-802-7100

• Fax 360-802-7140

• www.enumclaw.wednet.edu

Superintendent Message



It was 16 years ago, September of 1994, that Britt and I moved into the home where we currently reside. We made this family transition for our children who were just becoming school-age. We wanted them to attend public school in the Enumclaw School District.

In the early 1900's, both sets of my grandparents emigrated from Europe and settled in the Enumclaw and Black Diamond area to raise their families. My Dad and Mom were 1937 and 1941 graduates of Enumclaw High School. My older brothers and I were 1966, 1973 and 1981 graduates of Enumclaw High School. Our oldest child Hans graduated in 2007 and now Anna (our youngest) just last June.

In a few days Britt and I will be taking Anna to Chapman University in California where she will begin her college experience. I have heard many others say this before me, but, "Where did the time go?" I can remember the day of her birth so vividly and I so loved the years of reading *Brown Bear, Brown Bear* and *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* to her! I do, however, realize she is prepared for this next step. Britt and I are very thankful to all who have helped her prepare for this moment.

As I stated, Britt and I moved here because of the school district and as our youngest child leaves for college, we must share how grateful we are to the many teachers and support staff, para-educators (in the classroom and on the playground), bus drivers, office staff and coaches that made a significant difference in the lives of our two children.

I am extremely honored to be one of two superintendents in the state of Washington who attended the same school district as a child in which they are now superintendent. I am the only superintendent whose parents and children have attended K-12 schooling in the same district. I think the unique characteristic is that for me this is more than a job. This is a generational commitment with a sense of service and purpose in continuing to provide a quality education for each of our students in the Enumclaw School District every year.

As Superintendent, I eagerly welcome our students back to the 2010-2011 school year on August 30th. I can share with you that we have a very dedicated staff of 550 employees striving to meet the needs of our 4200+ students! Let's open the doors and have an incredible year!

In partnership with you. Mike

School Schedules

		Early Release Times:	Friday
Black Diamond	9:00 - 3:30		
Byron Kibler	9:00 - 3:30	EMS/EHS	1:15
Southwood	9:00 - 3:30	TMMS	1:25
Sunrise	9:00 - 3:30	Elementary Schools	2:15
Westwood	9:00 - 3:30	H.S. Graduation (Tentative)	June 13, 2011
Enumclaw M.S.	8:00 - 2:30	Last Day of School	June 15, 2011
Thunder Mt. M.S.	8:10 - 2:40	Winter Break:	Dec 20 - Dec 31
Enumclaw H.S.	8:00 - 2:30	Mid-Winter Break:	Feb 21 - 25
		Spring Break:	April 4 - 8



First Day of School August 30

Please see complete calendar at:
www.enumclaw.wednet.edu

Contact Us

Enumclaw School District
2929 McDougall Avenue
Enumclaw WA 98022
360.802.7100

Enumclaw High School (Grades 9-12)
226 Semanski Street South
Enumclaw WA 98022
Jill Burnes, Principal
jill_burnes@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Ed Hatzenbeler, Assistant Principal
ed_hatzenbeler@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Paul Iacobazzi, Assistant Principal
paul_iacobazzi@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Kevin Smith, Assistant Principal & CTE Director
kevin_smith@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Kevin Smith, Athletic Director
kevin_smith@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7669
Fax: 360.802.7676

Enumclaw Middle School (Grades 6-8)
550 Semanski Street South
Enumclaw WA 98022
Steve Rabb, Principal
steve_rabb@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Douglas Burnham, Dean of Students
douglas_burnham@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7150
Fax: 360.802.7224

Thunder Mt. Middle School (Grades 6-8)
42018 264th Avenue SE
Enumclaw WA 98022
Virginia Callison, Principal
virginia_callison@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Chad Davidson, Dean of Students
chad_davidson@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7492
Fax: 360.802.7500

Black Diamond Elementary (Grades K-5)
25314 Baker Street
Black Diamond WA 98010
Gerrie Garton, Principal
gerrie_garton@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7570
Fax: 360.802.7610

Byron Kibler Elementary (Grades K-5)
2057 Kibler Avenue
Enumclaw WA 98022
Julene Miller, Principal
julene_miller@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7263
Fax: 360.802.7300

Southwood Elementary (Grades K-5)
3240 McDougall Avenue
Enumclaw WA 98022
Susan Arbury, Principal
susan_arbury@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7370
Fax: 802.7374

Sunrise Elementary (Grades K-5)
899 Osceola Street
Enumclaw WA 98022
Chris Beals, Principal
chris_beals@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.802.7425
Fax: 360.802.7427

Westwood Elementary (Grades K-5)
21200 SE 416th
Enumclaw WA 98022
Keri Marquand, Principal
keri_marquand@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7620
Fax: 360.802.7622

Administration Office
2929 McDougall Avenue
Enumclaw WA 98022
Mike Nelson, Superintendent
michael_nelson@enumclaw.wednet.edu

Tim Madden, Business Director
tim_madden@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Terry Parker, Curriculum, Instruction, Assessment Director
terry_parker@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Kathleen Lockyer, Human Resources Director
kathleen_lockyer@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Aaron Stanton, Student Support Services Director
aaron_stanton@enumclaw.wednet.edu
Chad Marlow, Technology Coordinator
chad_marlow@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7117
Fax: 360.802.7140

Transportation
450 Semanski Street South
Enumclaw WA 98022
Everett Cunningham, Supervisor
everett_cunningham@enumclaw.wednet.edu
360.802.7232
Fax: 360.802.7243

2010-11 Board & District Goals

Focus Area 1: Professional Learning Communities

IMPROVEMENT GOAL: To implement PLC as a direct way of meeting our mission of All Students Achieving at High Levels. PLC's focus efforts around three big ideas: Students & Staff Learning, Staff Collaboration, and Academic Results for Students. Below are the four critical questions of our PLC work:

- What is it we want our students to learn?
- How will we know if our students have learned it?
- How will we respond if our students don't learn?
- How will we enrich and extend the learning for students who have learned it?

Focus Area 2: MATHEMATICS

IMPROVEMENT GOAL: Develop a district-wide, evidence-based mathematics program that will produce high-level and equitable mathematical understanding by all students and allow them to perform successfully on state/national accountability and college readiness assessments.

Focus Area 3: Literacy

IMPROVEMENT GOAL: To reignite a passion for reading in all students and staff by fully reaffirming and implementing our Enumclaw School District Reading Frameworks, reviewing our K-10 District Reading Grade Level Performance Expectations, developing a K-8 Reading curriculum scope and sequence that articulates our District Reading Frameworks, monitoring the reading skills progress of every student and provide necessary skill support and enrichment and providing many opportunities for our students to read books at their proper instructional level.

QUESTIONS????

Q: Where can I get information on required immunizations for my child?

A: The immunization requirements are listed at <http://www.doh.wa.gov/cfh/Immunize/default.htm>

Q: Where can I get athletic and physical forms for my student?

A: You can print the forms from the district website <http://www.enumclaw.wednet.edu/ourdistrict/faqs.aspx> or stop by the school buildings to pick them up.

Q: How can I find out about my student's academic progress, schedule, and even what they've had for lunch today?

[cont.](#)

A: The "Family Access" system is perfect for you! You can check grades, class attendance, lunch account balance, and other things on all of your students! Go to <http://www.enumclaw.wednet.edu/families/familyaccess/default.aspx> and sign up today!

Q: Can I make payments to my student's lunch account online?

A: Yes! Log into Family Access, click on the 'Food Service' link and you will see the link to make payments.

Q: How can I find out about current school news, EMS roof progress, and other district related items?

A: Our district website is continuously updated as events happen. Please visit <http://www.enumclaw.wednet.edu> and bookmark us today!