

Superintendent Updates

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Dear Gull Lake Families,

Since our last update, I want to thank those who are checking out ways to serve in available roles in our District. We value your willingness and heart for serving GLCS kids and families through service in Education. We need you now more than ever!

This week, I want to draw your attention to the supporting service organizations featured on our District website under the "Community" tab on our landing page. (www.gullakecs.org/community) When you open the link, you will see groups such as Gull Lake Area Community Volunteers, Gull Lake Community Schools Foundation, Fine Arts Foundation, Sports Boosters, Band Boosters, Rotary, Richland Library and Richland Area Community Center. All of these groups have been raised up in our community by dedicated and caring individuals who have banded together to be part of something bigger than themselves.

Please look through these service organizations and see if your time and talents overlap with any special projects that are underway on behalf of our kids and community! We are entering a special time of year where we get a chance to count our blessings and give back to others. We have many things to celebrate amid the temporary challenges that we are learning to navigate together.

As you gather with your near and dear ones for Thanksgiving next week, keep an eye out for *The Communicator* District newsletter where you will be able to read more about our local service organizations in action.

District Highlight:

One special highlight to share from this past week is Emma Temple, Senior Flute, being selected for the MSBOA All State Band from amongst 1,466 other students who auditioned for a spot. Congratulations and well done!

Be safe, be well and Happy Thanksgiving!

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Raphael Rittenhouse".

Raphael Rittenhouse/Superintendent
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