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Venetucci Parents/Guardians,

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As Venetucci's Principal, whether you are a new or returning family, I would like to welcome you to the beginning of the 2021-2022 school-year! As an administrative team, myself and Mrs. Agrusa (Assistant Principal) look forward to partnering with you to support the education of your Mustang(s) this year.

At Venetucci, our motto is One TEAM-One Mission-One Venetucci! Our vision is: Coming Together- Working Together-Growing Together-Succeeding Together.

In order to accomplish this, we commit to educating the whole-child through SEL (Social Emotional Learning) and AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) programs, collaboration, and continued focus on providing data-driven instruction and growth-mindset in our students and staff.

Communication and parent involvement is essential to student success. For the most up-to-date information, please visit our website at venetucci.wsd3.org. We will also frequently communicate via email and Remind, so please make sure we have your correct email address on file and that you have set up your Remind account.

Back to School - Meet the Teacher

- Thursday, August 12th at 3:00pm
 - Look for Welcome/Introductory Information from your child's assigned teacher via Remind!
- Friday, August 13th from 2:00-4:00pm
 - We invite all of our K-5 Mustangs and Mustang Families to stop by Venetucci for our Open House to meet your assigned teacher in-person, drop off school supplies, receive important information, and participate in our ice-cream social on your way out!

First Day of School

- For **1st-5th grades and all WISC** students, school starts on **Monday, August 16th at 8:40am**
- For **Kindergarten** students, please see the schedule below based on student last name.
 - **Monday, August 16-** First day for students **last names A-L**. They will not attend on the 17th.
 - **Tuesday, August 17-** First day for students **last names M-Z**. They will not attend on the 16th.
 - Please plan to attend Back to School/Meet the Teacher on Friday, August 13th to receive information from your child's teacher to better inform you of our procedures, expectations, and bussing system. Parents are encouraged to plan on bringing your child on their designated first day for student drop-off followed by a brief presentation and Q&A with administration at 9:00am in the Library.

Please refer to district communication from 7/27/21 or visit the district website for current WSD#3 Return to Learn Guidance including specific information on learning options, face masks, and safety precautions.

As a Venetucci TEAM, we look forward to a great 2021-2022 school year and partnership with you as we work together to grow our young Mustangs' minds. Please contact me any time with questions and/or feedback at livingstonea@wsd3.org or 719-391-3355.

Your Partner in Education~ *Ashleigh E Livingstone*

Widefield School District #3

Kevin Duren – Superintendent

