



### **Dobbs Literally Born Into TPSD Family**

**TUPELO, Miss.** — For 20 years, Art Dobbs has served many roles for the Tupelo Public School District, including the last five as principal at the high school — the same role his dad served in the 1980s and 1990s.

Inspired by his parents throughout life, he earned his bachelor's at Mississippi State, his master's from Walden University in Minneapolis, and his Educational Specialist's degree from Delta State.

Born in the All-American City, he has been a proud part of the district his entire life, after choosing against a possible profession in fitness management.

The pizza lover's favorite vacation destination is Kiawah Island, South Carolina, with wife, Shelley and dog, Gracie.

If he could drive anything, he would be riding into school in a blue 1976 Ford Bronco with a white top.

And to the surprise of many people, you can catch this amateur radio operator on KE5HJN.

This week's TPSD Administrative Focus and winner of a Buffalo Wild Wings gift card is Art Dobbs, principal of Tupelo High School.

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