

Springfield 2020

Superintendent's Report

December 21, 2020

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Report Overview

- Italian Club Holiday Songs
- Governor's Teacher of the Year Announcement Video
- Technology Update: Google Applications & Gaggle Security
- Professional Development Update
- Calendar Reminders

JDHS Italian Club

Holiday Songs

Participating Students:

Juliana Monticello, Club President

Kaily Iglesias

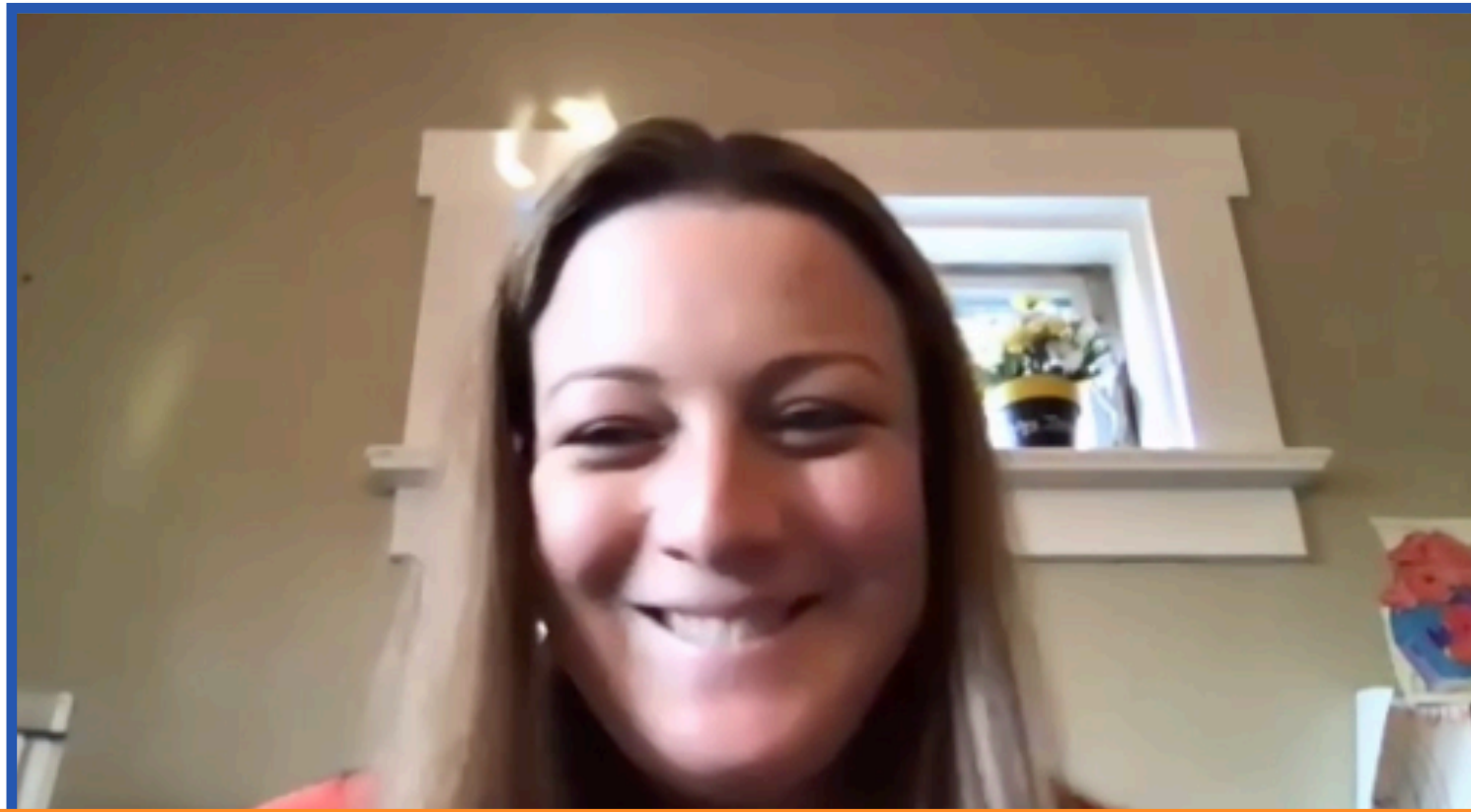
Polina Lastovskaya

Brielle Ramundo

Nicole Ramundo

Jenna Lashuk

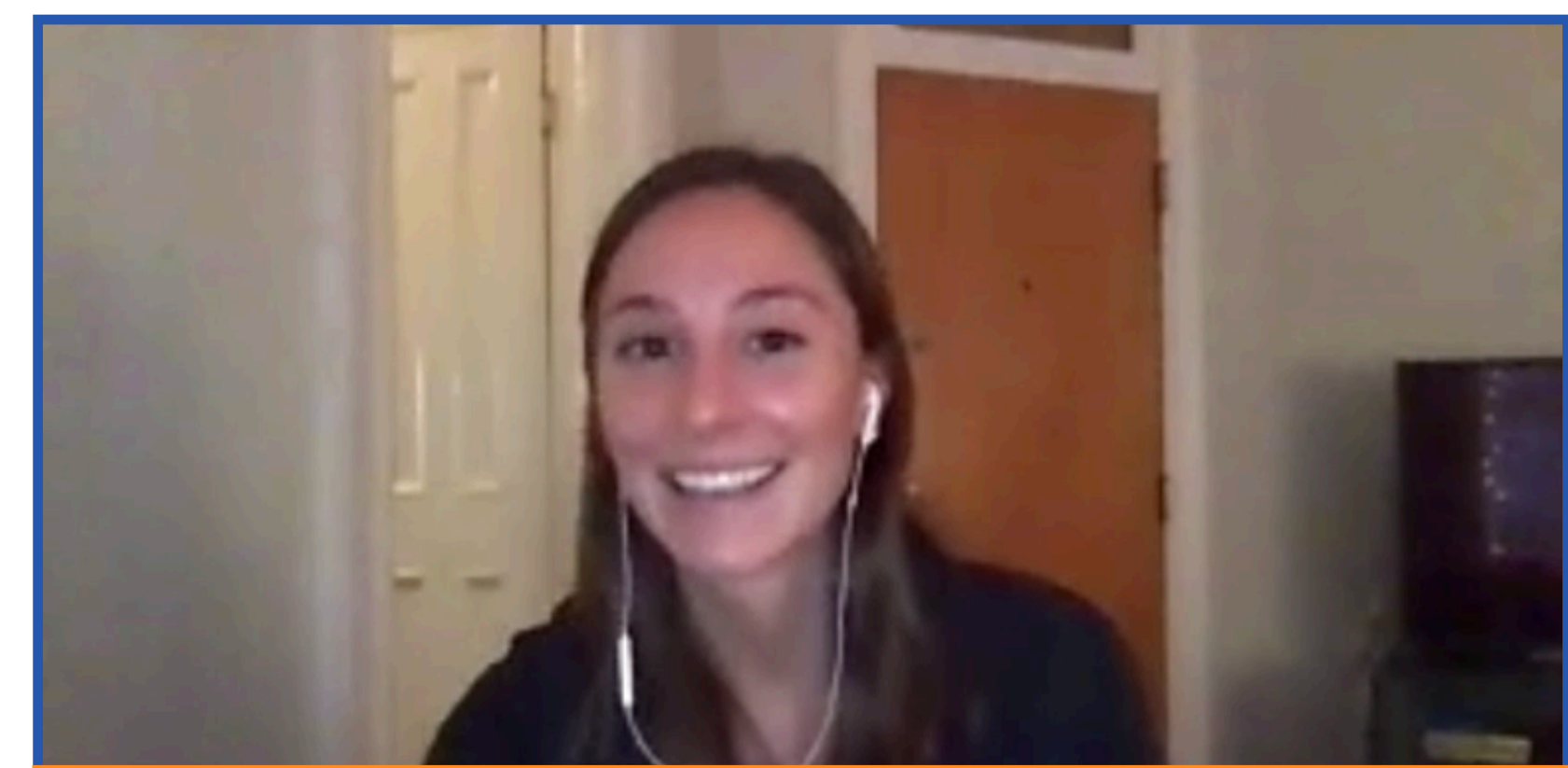
Ms. Agantina Scimone, Club Advisor



Ms. Jones - Teacher of the Year-
Grade 2- Walton



Ms. Gigante - Ed. Services Prof. of the
Year- Speech Therapist- Walton



Ms. Livingstone - Teacher of the Year-
Grade 4- Sandmeier

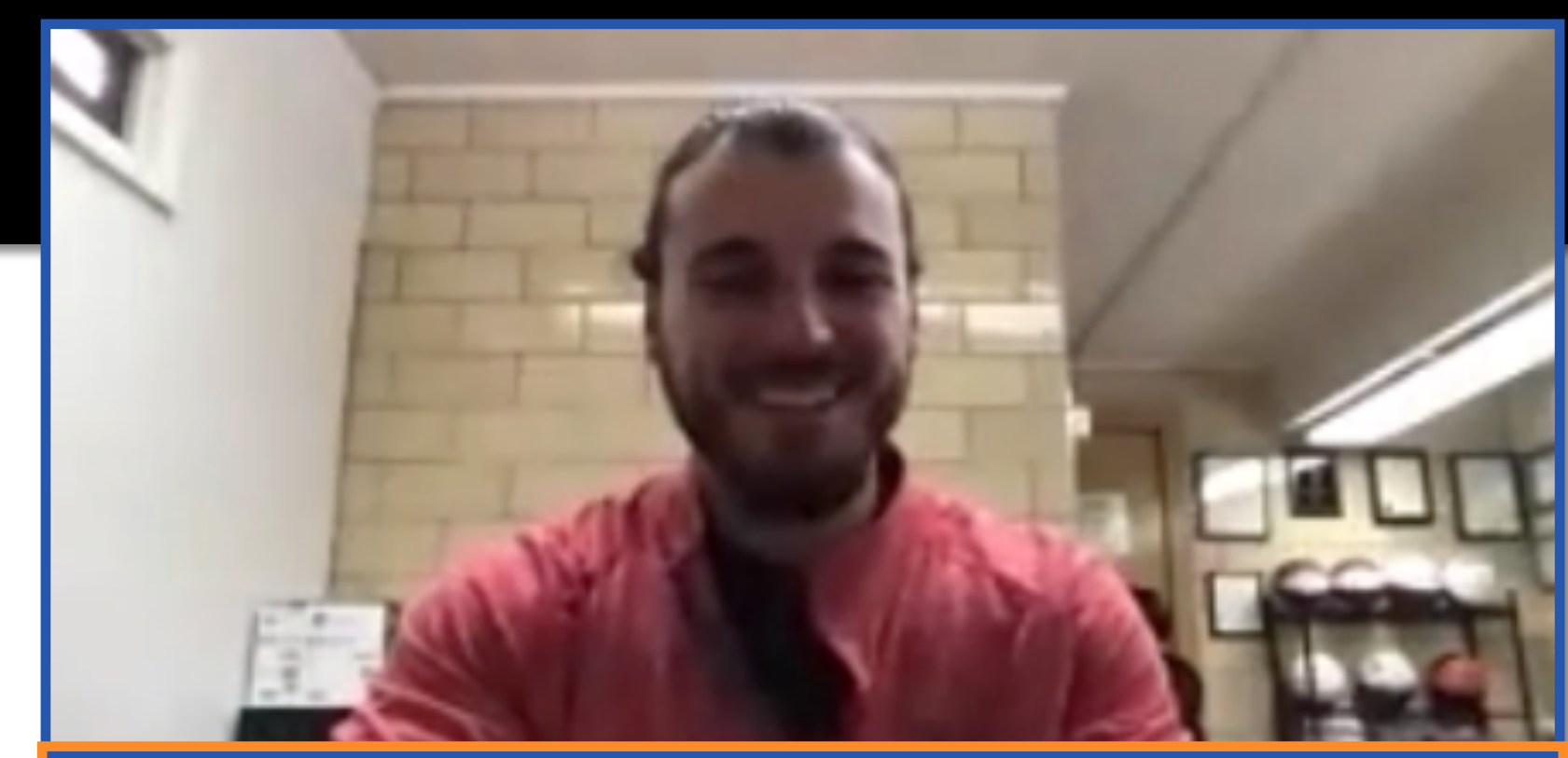
Congratulations Springfield Public Schools Governor's Educators of the Year!



Ms. Medina - Teacher of the Year-
AIS- Caldwell



Ms. Kanterman - Teacher of the Year-
Science Teacher- FMG Middle School



Mr. Steinman- Teacher of the Year-
Phys. Ed. & Health- Dayton High School

Technology Update

- October 2020: District Staff migrated prior accounts to the Springfield Public Schools domain
- November 2020: Revised District Technology Policy & New Acceptable Use Policy introduced, specifically to allow for use of email addresses
- December 2020: Gaggle Implemented & Student Accounts activated
- January 2021: Teachers and students will be able to utilize the tools in the Google Suite

Technology Update: Google Applications

Assignments



Helps teachers distribute, analyze, and grade student work with G Suite for Education.

Calendar



Set reminders about upcoming activities and due dates, so you always know what's next.

Classroom



Streamline assignments, boost collaboration, and foster communication.

Cloud Search



Search across the district's content in Google Workspace services.

Drive and Docs



Store, share, and collaborate on files and folders.

Gmail



Restricted student email for in district and pre-approved communication.

Jamboard



Interactive virtual white board.

Keep



Variety of tools for taking notes, including text, lists, images, and audio.

Tasks



Create to-do lists that integrate with your Google Calendar

Technology Update: Keeping Students Safe

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Professional Development Update

December 7th:

NJASA Workshop on Culturally Responsive School Districts

December 11th:

Leadership Meetings with IDE Corp.

December 15th:

New Jersey Superintendent's Study Council- Using College and Career Readiness Analytics

December 16th:

Garden State Coalition of Schools

December 16th:

New Jersey Consortia for Excellence Through Equity

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Calendar Updates

- Winter Break School Closure Schedule:
 - December 23, 2020: Half-day
 - December 24, 2020-January 1, 2021
- Due to holiday travel and expected social contacts, the district will be virtual the week of January 4-8, 2021
- Hybrid instruction will resume January 11, 2021

Happy Holidays!



*Happy
New Year!*