



of A TRADITION EXCELLENCE

UG Appoints Simpson

Mayor Tyrone Gardner of the Unified Government of Wyandotte County has appointed our own Piper Middle School Librarian, Mrs. Erica Simpson, to serve as Chairperson of the Wyandotte County Public Library Board of Trustees. Mrs. Simpson has served on the eleven-person Public Library Board of Trustees for two years, having been originally appointed by Commissioner, Mike Kane. Mrs. Simpson is looking forward to this new leadership role and hopes to advocate for expanding library services to our growing Piper community.



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Piper Earns 6 Star Awards

For the second consecutive year the Piper School District has received six Kansans Can Star Recognition Awards. The Kansans Can Star Recognition Program recognizes district success in the outcome measures Kansans shared that they value. These outcomes, categorized as either quantitative or qualitative measures, serve as the roadmap for Kansas to reach its vision for education. The following are the areas where the district was recognized:

- Individual Plan of Study: Gold Award
- Social-Emotional Growth: Silver Award
- Postsecondary Effectiveness: Silver Award
- Academically Prepared for Graduation: . . .
- Copper Award
- High School Graduation: Copper Award
- Commissioner's Award



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Homecoming Royalty

Congratulations to Piper High School's 2022 Homecoming King and Queen, seniors Zane Busick and TyJanae Hooks! They were crowned at the Sept. 30 Homecoming game where the Pirates were victorious over Turner High School with a score of 62-6.



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New Academy Class

Archery, fishing, and hiking are a part of Introduction to Recreational Sports, a Health & Life Sciences Academy class now offered at Piper High School. Students go to Wyandotte County Lake to learn about outdoor recreation jobs, the history of archery, to participate in archery, fish the lake, and utilize the park's trails.



Fall Festival & Touch-A-Truck

Our littlest Pirates enjoyed autumn-themed sensory learning and explored various careers and equipment from the National Guard, Kansas City, Kansas Fire Department, Kansas City, Kansas Police Department, and Knetter Farms.



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