



Community Connections

For our children, our community, our world, our future

Important dates:

December 3

Attendance Area
Community Forum
WMS, 6-7:00 p.m.

December 6

Attendance Area
Community Forum
Sunset Elementary
6-7:00 p.m.

December 12

School Improvement
Plan, 5:15 p.m.
School Board Meet-
ing, 6:00 p.m.
Windsor Elementary

Dec. 20—Jan. 2

Winter Break
No School



Character Trait for

December

CARING: Showing a genuine concern for the welfare of others and being a kind, supportive helper

Parents, Guardians and Community Members,

It's hard to believe that December is here and the end of another year is upon us. As we enter December and the holiday season, I have been reflecting on all of the many things we have to be thankful for in Cheney Public Schools.

To begin with, I am thankful to live and work in a community that truly supports children and public education. We have many volunteers who donate their time and resources to our schools, and our community consistently supports our children and schools through the passage of levies and bonds. The ability to meet the needs of our growing district would not be possible without the exceptional support of our community. Thank you!

I am also thankful to work with all of the amazing employees in Cheney Public Schools. Our classified and certificated staff members truly care about children and do their best each and every day to meet the social and emotional and learning needs of all students. I could share countless examples of our staff members going above and beyond their normal duties in support of our students. We are extremely fortunate to have such dedicated and caring employees serving the students and families of our school district.

Without question, the heart of our school district is the approximately 4,800 students who fill our classrooms. I am consistently impressed by their amazing accomplishments and thankful for the many ways in which they positively represent our schools and community. One of many current examples of the positive impact our students have is the work of our high school FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America). This group is making a difference in our community by raising money through a service project to buy coats, gloves, and socks for elementary students in our district. Their service reminds me of the importance of supporting the many local organizations, especially during this holiday season, that provide outreach and support for members of our community and region who are in need.

We definitely have a lot to be thankful for in Cheney Public Schools! As we prepare to head into 2019, my sincere hope is that each of you has a joyous holiday season and a happy new year. As always, if you have questions about any aspect of our school system, please call me at 509-559-4502 or email me at rroettger@cheneysd.org.



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Robert W. Roettger

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Superintendent

Our essential foundations

- ★ High Expectations and Continuous Progress
- ★ Involvement and Engagement with School District Community
- ★ Stewardship and Planning

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Evelyn Rowe at CHS

November 2018
Student of the Month

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Science Experiments, Concerts & Book Fairs!

District Attendance Boundary Review

Thank you to everyone that participated in the Thought-exchange survey that ran from November 5-16, 2018. The input received through this survey is being used to conduct three community forums in order to take a deeper dive into the information as well as seek any additional input. The last of the forums is scheduled for Thursday, December 6 at 6:00 p.m. at Sunset Elementary.

As a reminder, the committee, which is comprised of community members, district administrators, and staff will be considering the input received when drafting the attendance boundary proposals to be presented to the Board of Directors after the first of the year. Any revisions would not take effect until the 2019-20 school year.

EWUs K9 Unit Visits Salnave Elementary - 2nd Grade Class

