



# NORMANDY CONNECTIONS

THE NORMANDY SCHOOLS COLLABORATIVE NEWSLETTER

## Normandy Schools Collaborative Mission Statement

*Normandy Schools Collaborative prepares global leaders for college, career, and productive citizenship by empowering a community of confident learners and valuing the unique contributions of every student.*

**Thursday, August 15, 2024**

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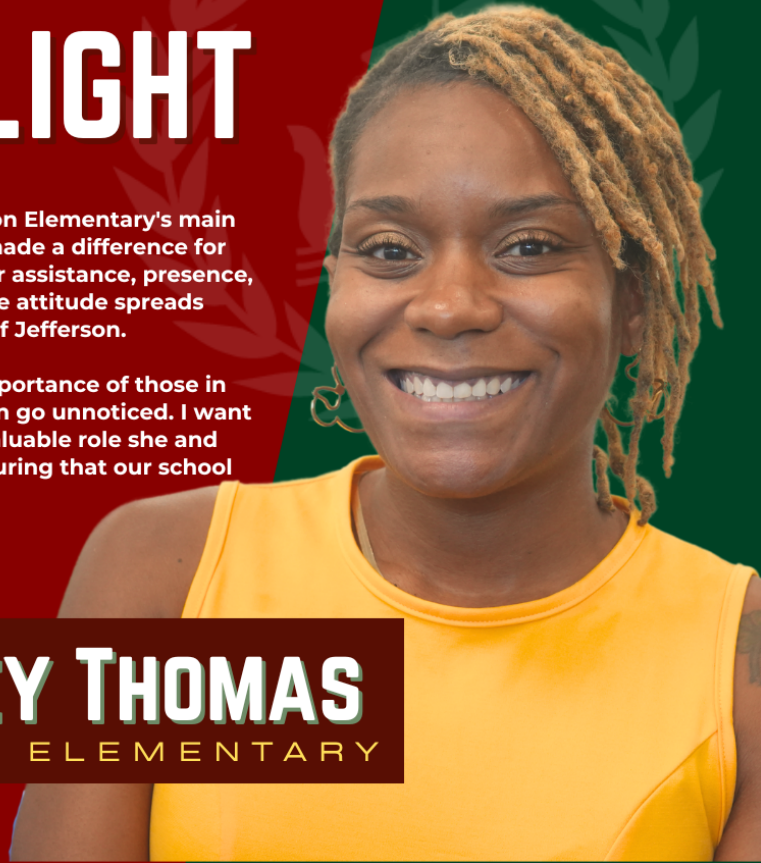
# STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Courtney Thomas, Jefferson Elementary's main office staff member, has made a difference for students and teachers. Her assistance, presence, kindness, and collaborative attitude spreads throughout the hallways of Jefferson.

We are all aware of the importance of those in her position, but they often go unnoticed. I want to shine a light on the invaluable role she and her colleagues play in ensuring that our school community thrives.

*SUBMITTED BY AIGNER WILSON*

**COURTNEY THOMAS**  
JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY



## NSC Staff Spotlight!

Help us recognize NSC staff making a difference in our schools. Nominate them today!

[Chris Trahan](#), Director of Communications

[Raygan Clark](#), Multimedia Specialist

[Kennedy Davis](#), Multimedia Specialist

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# ***BACK TO SCHOOL***

MONDAY, AUGUST 19, 2024



## **Find What You Need for Back to School**

The first day of the new school year is **Monday, August 19**. Our [Back to School](#) page has everything you need to know about registration/enrollment, uniforms, school supplies, start times, and more.

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# SCHOOL REGISTRATION

## 2024-2025 School Year

**Now Open**



Contact Us  
**314-493-0400**

More Information  
**Normandysc.org**



### Student Enrollment and Registration Ongoing for the New School Year

The first day of school is **Monday, August 19**, and we're excited to welcome our students back! But remember, all students **MUST** be registered/enrolled to attend Normandy Schools Collaborative. Registration is essential to ensure your child has a smooth start on day one.

Why is registration so important?

- It ensures your child is placed in the right classes.
- It allows us to prepare meals, transportation, and resources.
- It helps us plan for a successful school year!

Don't wait—register today and set your child up for success! If you haven't already registered, **click the image above to complete the process.**

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### Beyond the Backpack Prepares Students for the New School Year

Beyond the Backpack, held on Saturday, August 10, at our Early Learning Center and The Normandy Middle School at Lucas Crossing, was a hit! Our strong partnership with [Beyond Housing](#) allowed us to support more than 2,500 families and ensure our students are well-prepared for the new school year starting on **Monday, August 19**.

Students had a great time meeting their principals and teachers, while NSC staff, partners, and JEGB members joined in the fun to kick off the school year.

Be sure to check out the video below.

A huge thank you to everyone who participated!

## Beyond the Backpack 2024



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## COMMUNITY EVENTS



North County Cooperative  
& Mid-County FD Present:



2024

# PANCAKE Fundraiser



Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup> • 6 - 8 pm

at the **Normandy High  
School Cafeteria**

6701 St. Charles Rd • St. Louis, MO 63133

**Menu: Pancakes & Bacon**

Donation: \$20

Amazon, The City of Berkeley and  
The Kiwanis Club of Normandy 24:1

will host a

**Kids' Fishing Derby**

Free Lunch

Free for Youth 15 and Under

at

**Ramona – Mathison Lake**  
**Saturday, Sept. 21, 2024**



**Mathison Lake** is located on Springdale Avenue  
(From Highway 70, travel ½ mile north on Hanley to Springdale Avenue,  
Left on Springdale ¼ mile to the park entrance)

Registration Begins at 7:00 a.m. at Mathison Lake  
Derby will be held from 7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Rods and reels will be loaned at the lake

**PUBLIC LIBRARY** also has rods and reels for checkout.

Prizes will be awarded at the end of the event for:

**Smallest Fish Caught**

**Largest Fish Caught**

**Largest 3 Fish Stringer**

For more information contact:

Shawn Wilson 314-566-6260

Robert Lee, Kiwanis Club of Normandy 24:1 — 314-332-9206

**For this event, all youth 15 & under MUST be accompanied by an adult**



Ramona- Mathison Lake Park  
8940 Ramona Lake Dr.  
Berkeley, MO 63134



**LIHEAP.ORG**

## Home Energy Assistance Program Available

The [Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program \(LIHEAP\)](https://www.liheap.org) is a federally funded program that assists income-eligible households with paying their utility bills. Payments are generally made directly to the utility company or fuel provider.

If you qualify for LIHEAP, you will get help through Energy Assistance and/or the Energy Crisis Intervention Program while funds last.

Please visit the websites below for more information on this program, or open the attachments below to learn how to qualify.

- [Missouri Department of Social Services](#)
- [Ameren Missouri](#)
- [LIHEAP.org](#)



What is LIHEAP (1).pdf

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## COMMUNICATIONS

### Can We Text You? Opt-in For District Text Messages.

Emergency school closures? Bus delays? Last-minute schedule changes? We can get that information to families & staff quicker via text messaging.

***To get text messages from the district, we have to get your permission—text 'Y' to 68453.***

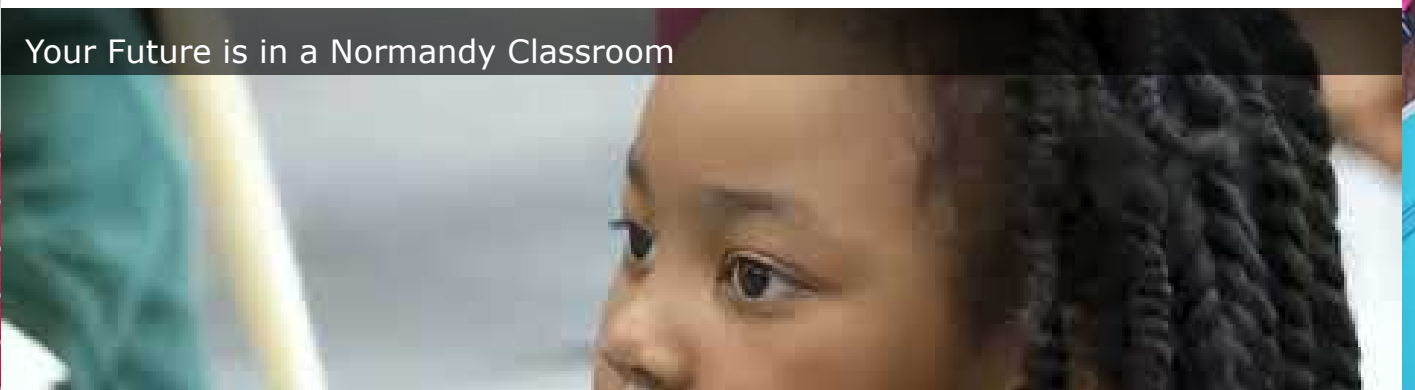
There is no charge to sign up. Your service provider may charge a fee for text messaging, depending on your plan.

If you have questions, please email [info@normandysc.org](mailto:info@normandysc.org).



## Join Our Team

Your Future is in a Normandy Classroom





**YOUR FUTURE IS IN A  
NORMANDY CLASSROOM**

TEACHERS CAN EARN \$44,000 - \$100,000+

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