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## Cardiff School to Rededicate Playfield Areas after Iconic Principals

Cardiff by the Sea, CA (August 5, 2021) – <u>Cardiff School District</u> is honored to announce the rededication of the school's student play areas after two iconic Cardiff School Principals, both of whom led the school for over 20 years.

At the August 5th Cardiff School District Board Meeting, the Governing Board formally approved the dedication of the new wall ball court area as "Julie Parker Wall Ball Courts" and the renovated playfields as the "George Berkich Playfields." Both of these play areas are located on the Cardiff School's newly

renovated outdoor education and playfield spaces, which have been part of the Cardiff School site and used by students for over 100 years. The playfields were rebuilt through the use of Measure GG funds passed overwhelmingly by Cardiff voters in 2016.

"After 26 years of leadership, Principal Julie Parker has retired and all of us in the Cardiff School District will greatly miss her," said Board President Siena Randall. "Julie was an integral part of the completion of the upgrades to Cardiff School. In addition, she loves the game of wall ball and has helped cultivate the sport as an integral part of the school culture. It is more than fitting for the wall ball courts to bear her name."

Cardiff School District is a hub of the Cardiff community. The District has always made the school's hardcourt and playfields available to the community for after school hours outdoor recreation. Following this rededication, the final improvements left to be completed will be the new multipurpose room, the student drop-off/parking area, and northernmost turf area.

For more information about the renovation of Cardiff School, please visit https://www.cardiffschools.com.