Green Township School District

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Dear Parents and Guardians of the Green Township School District,

The Green Township School District has had a wonderful opening to the 2025/2026 school year. These first 6 weeks of the school year have been filled with meaningful activities that create important opportunities to develop connections between teachers and classmates. Our students opened the year with big smiles and high energy. From new classrooms, friends, and teachers to middle school lockers and PREK/K first days of school away from home, our students have navigated the many new experiences with tremendous success. While each of our students has had a different individual experience, the collective enthusiasm for the school year transcends the differences and brings us all together as the Green Hills School community of learners! Thank you to our students, staff, parents, and community members for making the launch of the 2025/2026 school year such an incredible success!

Throughout the past month, we have had several opportunities to come together as a school community. Thank you to all of our parents, guardians, and staff members who attended our annual Back to School Night event! We welcomed over 300 parents and guardians to our school to share the excitement for the school year and provide an overview of the plans for the school year. Later in the month, the PTA hosted their first meeting of the year with nearly 70 parents attending the event. These high levels of parent participation are indicative of the exceptional partnership that exists between the home and the school. The participation and involvement of our school community plays a critical role in the overall school experience here at Green! We are so thankful for our supportive school community and look forward to hosting many more opportunities throughout the year that will foster the development of these positive connections.

The first days of school quickly passed with a flurry of fun and excitement, and we moved right into beginning of the year activities. Each grade level has experienced varied events and experiences but some of the exciting activities included attending the first PTA Book Fair, starting middle school sports and club activities, taking class pictures, cheering in our September and October student achievement recognition whole school assemblies, and listening to daily morning messages of empowerment and success of all our students. Our youngest students have attended the first field trip of the year to Tranquility Farms and our middle school students are gearing up for a three day two night camping trip at the end of the month. Our students are being given amazing opportunities that promote joyful learning and positive experiences. We are extremely proud of our students for their hard work each and every day!

Please find updates to a variety of areas included below.

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District Goals 25/26 School Year - We are pleased to share our district goals for the 25/26 school year. We will be working to implement steps to reach each of these goals throughout the year. Updates on these initiatives will be shared periodically on each of these goals.

2025-2026 District Goals

Goal 1: Bolster student performance in Mathematics through an efficient use of intervention and support, data collection and analysis, and grade level attention to skill development for all students.

Goal 2: Bolster student performance in English Language Arts through an efficient use of intervention and support, data collection and analysis, and grade level attention to skill development for all students.

Goal 3: Amplify the good through connectivity and belonging for all students by focusing attention on positive attributes, understanding challenges through the student lens, and empowering student voices and perspectives.

Goal 4: Analyze current and projected trajectory of fixed and known budget related data and develop a strategic plan to address short term financial stability in the district and longitudinal analysis to generate a financial forecast.

Arrival and Departure – Thank you for your support as we ensure a safe and efficient arrival and departure experience for each of our students. Please be sure to monitor your children as you would in any parking lot area during dismissal. If you wish to spend some time with friends, please bring your children to the playground area so that the children can safely play away from the vehicles in the parking lot. Additionally, please continue to take your time when pulling in and out of the parking lot and always remember to show a little extra patience with one another to help to make everyone's day brighter! We appreciate everyone's support in our arrival and departure protocol!

The 2025/2026 school year is off to a great start. We have so many exciting events and opportunities planned for our students. Please contact us with any questions or concerns. We wish everyone a wonderful fall weekend!

Sincerely,

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Superintendent

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