

Herm Valentine



Herm Valentine graduated from Hopewell-Loudon in 1969 and began working at the school in 1973. Over the next 27 years, he wore many hats, including those of custodian, groundskeeper, bus driver, bus coordinator, and head of maintenance. A dedicated employee for many years, Herm could always be counted on when a job needed to be done, no matter what job or what time of the day. After his retirement Herm continued to volunteer his time to Hopewell-Loudon School. As someone who knew the building like the back of his hand, his help as a school facility committee member was invaluable. Before his passing, you may have even seen “Santa’s Helper” reading to the elementary students and checking to see who was naughty or nice.