

Milford School District

Monthly Report

March 2026



Milford

SCHOOL DISTRICT

HOME *of the* BUCCANEERS

UPCOMING DATES



Week of March 15 - 21

Misphillion Book Fair Week
16: Board of Education Meeting
19: Ross PTP Meeting
19: Misphillion Reading and Math Night

Week of March 23 - 28

26: Banneker Spring Breakfast
26: DLI Family Night
26: Registration Event
27: Morris Bingo Night

Week of March 30 - April 3

Misphillion Student Appreciation Week
31: Muffins at Morris Family Breakfast
1: Building Bridges
1: Paraprofessional Appreciation Day
2: Schools Closed - Staff Professional Development

SPRING BREAK: APRIL 6 - 10

Week of April 13 - 20

School Social Workers Week
National School Breakfast Week
2: Read Across America Day
3: Morris PTP Meeting
4: Building Bridges
6: 2nd - 4th Grade Dance



STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS



Congratulations to our RYLA delegates- **Jimit P., Angela L., Autumn D., and Grayson K.!**

These students were selected to receive a scholarship from the Milford Rotary Club to attend the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA).

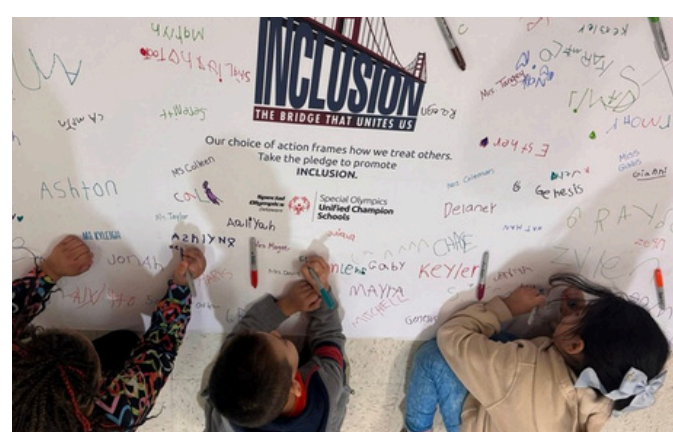
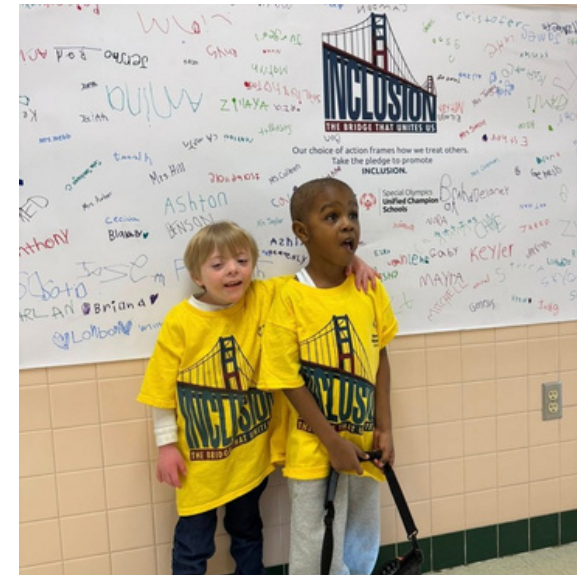
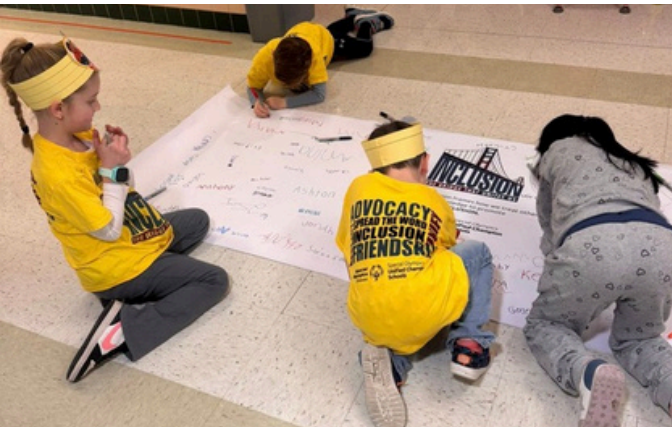
RYLA is a premier leadership development conference that brings together high school students across the Delmarva peninsula for a weekend focused on teamwork, communication, and personal growth.



Congratulations to our students who successfully completed the BUCS Connect Mentorship Program at Mispillion Elementary School and Benjamin Banneker Elementary School! Through connection, leadership, and service, these mentors made a meaningful impact while building relationships with our younger BUCS.



SPREAD THE WORD - INCLUSION



BANNER OLYMPICS



STAFF HIGHLIGHTS



ANGEL MILLS

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR

2026



The Delaware State Behavioral Health Professional of the Year (BHPOY) program is administered by the Delaware Department of Education (DDOE). Each year the program recognizes outstanding service by school employees who are health care practitioners or human service providers who offer services for the purpose of improving an individual's mental health. The Delaware Charter School Network also is invited to participate.

Employees considered for the award include:

- School counselors
- School social workers
- Licensed clinical social workers
- School psychologists
- School nurses

STAFF HIGHLIGHTS

NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL DIAGNOSTICIANS WEEK



SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKERS WEEK MARCH 1 - 7, 2026



TREASURES



Margaret Sollie
District

Ms. Sollie is truly a valued member of the Milford School District community. She consistently demonstrates a willingness to support both staff and students across the district and serves as an important resource in helping us meet the needs of our families. Her commitment to going above and beyond her responsibilities reflects her genuine dedication to the success and well-being of those she serves.

Students look forward to the opportunities they have to work with Ms. Sollie, whether through individual sessions, small group support, or participation in BUCS Connect. Her positive impact and collaborative spirit are greatly appreciated, and we are grateful for her continued dedication and readiness to assist whenever needed.



Michael Casale
Banneker

Mr. Casale is a valued member of the MSD community who consistently goes above and beyond to support student success. He not only emphasizes the importance of physical activity and healthy habits, but he also designs engaging and creative experiences that make learning enjoyable for students. Most recently, Mr. Casale implemented the Banneker Winter Olympics 2026, an event that connected current events with physical education in a fun and meaningful way. Students participated in activities such as Luge (sitting on a long mat with scooters underneath), Bobsled (pushing teammates on scooters), and Speed Skating (using carpet squares). Through these activities, students experienced the value of teamwork and community while striving to earn gold, silver, or bronze medals. This memorable event created an exciting learning opportunity that students will not soon forget. Excellent work, Mr. Casale.



Erin Adams
MHS

Ms. Adams exemplifies an unwavering commitment to her students and serves as a consistent source of support and encouragement within the classroom. She demonstrates an exceptional ability to meet each student where they are academically and emotionally, approaching every learner with respect and without preconceived limitations. Ms. Adams celebrates the accomplishments of all students, whether large or small, and takes genuine joy in their growth and success. Her dedication to building meaningful relationships with students is evident in the trust and connection she fosters each day. While her ability to create a welcoming and supportive environment may appear effortless, it is the result of intentional effort and deep care for the well-being of every student. Ms. Adams' kindness, compassion, and commitment significantly enhance the educational experience for the students she serves.



Trisha Davis
MMS

Ms. Davis is truly a valued member of the MSD community, consistently going above and beyond in service to her students and school. She worked diligently to organize the "Turkey Trot," an initiative that encouraged students to collect canned goods throughout the community for donation to those in need. Her efforts not only supported a meaningful cause but also helped instill a spirit of service and compassion in students. Ms. Davis is an exceptional colleague whose dedication and positive influence are felt by both students and staff. Her commitment to supporting and encouraging students ensures they know they have someone firmly in their corner. Thank you, Ms. Davis, for the countless ways you make a difference and for the lasting impact you continue to have on our school and community.

REMEMBERING OUR WHY



Banneker

Banneker students enjoyed special guest readers from MHS.



Morris

Morris Students and families and staff had a great time connecting during Spring Family Night.



Mispillion

Mispillion Elementary recognize students who embody what it means to be a true Buccaneer!



Ross

Ross students and staff celebrate Kindness Month and contribute ideas to bring positive change.



MMS

MMS students spread the word - Inclusion!



MCA

MCA students who made honor roll for the first semester with no major discipline infractions were rewarded with their first ever Honor Hour!



MHS

Milford FFA continued their tradition of offering a teacher appreciation breakfast during National FFA Week.



District

MSD celebrated National School Breakfast Week. We are proud to offer FREE breakfast and lunch to all of our students!

WE BELIEVE:

The foundation of excellence is rooted in an academically rigorous curriculum, supportive instruction, and high expectations for each learner.

In ensuring that each student has equitable access to the appropriate resources and supports to thrive.

The mindset that improvement is always possible and mistakes are learning opportunities.

Honoring each individual's identity, opinions, and dignity leads to a sense of belonging for each member of the school community.

The district's partnerships with families and community are integral to the success of our students and community at large.

The arts, extra-curricular, and co-curricular activities are integral components of a well-rounded education, fostering much personal growth.

ATHLETICS

CHEER. SUPPORT. BELIEVE.



The College Signing Day event in the Milford High School Auditorium brought together staff, students, and families to recognize the dedication and hard work these student-athletes have shown throughout their high school careers.

Congratulations to our Milford signees:

- **Ty Mackert** – Lacrosse – University of Lynchburg
- **Maddison Webb** – Softball – Delaware Tech
- **Isabel Betts** – Lacrosse – Meredith College
- **Madison Stahl** – Field Hockey/Lacrosse – Smith College
- **Adrionna Fountain** – Softball – Winston-Salem State University
- **Reid Schafer** – Baseball – Delaware State University



Congratulations to Wrestling Delaware State Champion Gregory Lockett!

TICKETS



ATHLETICS WEBSITE



(Weekly newsletters, calendars, and other important information)

SAVE THE DATES

WE ARE MILFORD DAY!

A family fun event open to our district-community, celebrating all that makes Milford special. Join us as we come together to connect, celebrate, and showcase the heart of our community. The day will feature delicious food, live performances, local vendors, face painting, bounce houses, sports exhibitions, and so much more!

JOIN US



SATURDAY
April 18, 2026



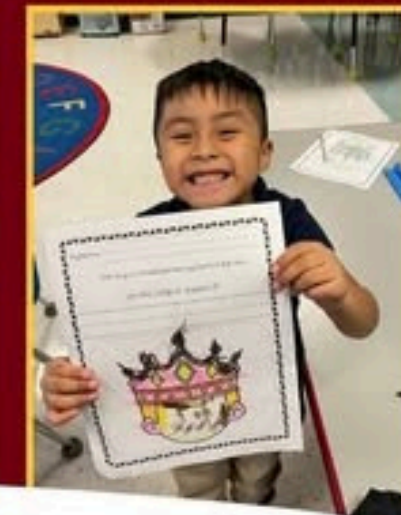
Time
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM



Mispillion Campus:
311 Lovers Lane, Milford



GAMES - EXPOS - PERFORMANCES - FACE
PAINTING - BOUNCE HOUSE - TOUCH-A-
TRUCK - REGISTRATION -AND MORE!



2026-2027

KINDERGARTEN Registration OPEN!

Families may register online or attend one of our in-person registration events listed below. Translators will be available at all in-person events.

In-Person Registration Events:

FEBRUARY 2 | 4:30-6:30 PM

• Morris Early Childhood Center

FEBRUARY 10 | 4:30-6:30 PM

• Banneker Elementary School

FEBRUARY 24 | 5:30-7:30 PM

• Morris Early Childhood Center

MARCH 11 | 4:30-6:30 PM

• Milford Middle School

MARCH 26 | 5:30-7:30 PM

• Mispillion Elementary School

APRIL 18 | 10-2 (WE ARE MILFORD DAY)

• Mispillion Elementary School

APRIL 22 | 4:30-6:30 PM

• Lulu Ross Elementary School

APRIL 29 | 4:30-6:30 PM

• MHS

MAY 5 | 4:30-6:30 PM

• Banneker Elementary School

MAY 13 | 4:30-6:30 PM

• Milford Central Academy

Required Documents:

- Parent/Guardian Driver's License/ID
- Child's Birth Certificate
- Student Health Appraisal
- Proof of Residence: Utility Bill (gas, electric, water, etc.), Mortgage Statement, or Housing Lease

Register Online:

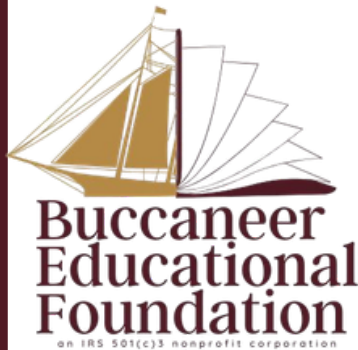


BUC BULLETIN BOARD

TOGETHER, WE ARE STRONGER. TOGETHER, WE ARE MILFORD.

Milford School District is built on the strength of our students, families, staff, and community. In recent days we have seen and heard comments that do not reflect the respect and care that make our community strong.

We remain committed to creating a culture where students, families, and staff feel safe, supported, and respected. We cannot achieve that if our community interactions are marked by hostility or personal attacks, online and in-person. Disagreement is natural, but how we engage with each other sets an example for our students. Our strength as a district has always come from working together. Let's model respect, understanding, and unity - not just in our schools, but across our district-community.



BEF is a partnership of educators, parents, business, and civic leaders dedicated to engaging the community through giving, inspiring academic excellence, funding new learning opportunities, & preparing the children of Milford School District for success.

benefitting the students and staff of the
Milford School District



JOIN OUR MAILING LIST

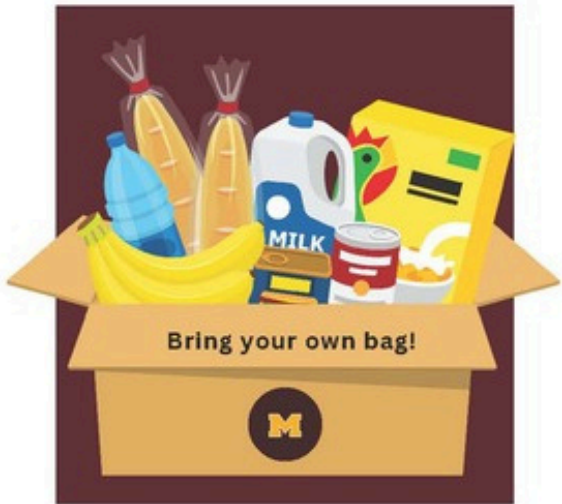


GRANT REQUESTS



DONATE NOW

MSD FOOD PANTRY



Do you live or have a student in the Milford School District?

Then you are eligible to access our free food pantry.

QUESTIONS?

Contact your school's SFI:

MHS: Latoya Bonville

MCA: Nick Albert

MMS: Shanika White

Ross/Mispillion: Jessenia Carranza
Banneker/Morris: Duvanel Louis

IMPORTANT:

- ▶ Everyone will need to complete a Federal Food Commodities Program Form. (One time for 2025) Need the names and ages of everyone in the household.
- ▶ Bring Proof of Residence / Home Address (Driver's License, Phone or Electric Bill)
- ▶ Park your car in a designated parking spot.
- ▶ Please bring your own bag.

DETAILS:

WHERE:

Benjamin Banneker
Elementary School
449 North Street

WHEN:

By appointment
with SFI during the week
First and Third Saturday of the
month from 8-12p

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- Competitive Pay
- Great work environment
- Health benefits
- Full Time & Part Time

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