



ONTARIO-MONTCLAIR SCHOOL DISTRICT
"Our Community, Our Children, Our Commitment, Our Future"

RESOLUTION 2026-27-02

**RECOGNIZING OCTOBER 23-31, 2026
AS RED RIBBON WEEK**

WHEREAS, the National Family Partnership (NFP), a national organization and Californians for Drug Free Youth (CADFY), Incorporated, a statewide organization, are sponsoring "Red Ribbon Week" from October 23, 2026 through October 31, 2026;

WHEREAS, in 1988, the National Family Partnership (NFP) sponsored the first National Red Ribbon Week in honor of Enrique (Kiki) Camarena, a Drug Enforcement Administration agent who lost his life in 1985 as a result of his work;

WHEREAS, Red Ribbon Week exemplifies Agent Camarena's philosophy, "I'm only one person, but I want to make a difference";

WHEREAS, schools, businesses, law enforcement agencies, churches, youth organizations, hospitals, service clubs, government agencies, and individuals in the State of California are encouraged to demonstrate their commitment to a drug-free society by participating in and promoting activities supporting the Red Ribbon Campaign;

WHEREAS, the Ontario-Montclair School District supports efforts for substance abuse prevention education and to ensure the success of the Red Ribbon Campaign;

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees encourages students, parents, and staff members to participate in drug awareness activities by making a visible statement that "we are strongly committed to live a healthy, drug-free life"; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Ontario-Montclair School District hereby supports the Red Ribbon Campaign, and recognizes October 23, 2026, through October 31, 2026, as "Red Ribbon Week" in the Ontario-Montclair School District.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Ontario-Montclair School District encourages all students, staff members, parents, and community members to pledge:

"Make a Difference. Be a Hero. Stay Drug Free"

Adopted by the Ontario-Montclair School District Board of Trustees on this 2nd day of July, 2026.

Attest:

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