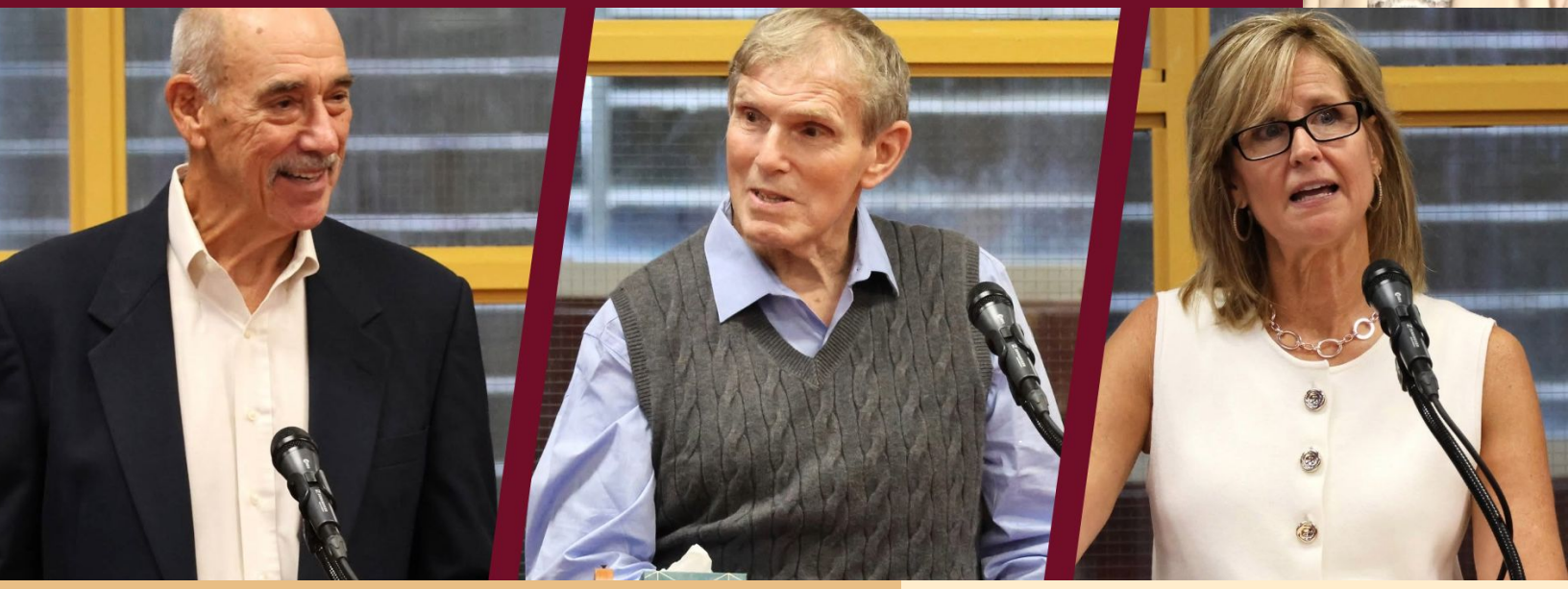
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From the SUPERINTENDENT'S DESK

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2026 WALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

On Monday, Sept. 21, Stow-Munroe Falls High School welcomed three outstanding individuals into our Wall of Fame: H.F. "Butch" Baer, who served as a coach and teacher of General Business, Health, and Physical Education; Charlie Morris, Marketing Education Coordinator and Assistant Tennis Coach; and Wendy Paul-Mikulski, School Counselor.

Family members, friends, colleagues, and members of the community gathered to celebrate their service and the lasting impact each has made on generations of Bulldogs. The Wall of Fame recognizes former Stow-Munroe Falls High School staff members whose leadership and commitment to students helped shape our school community.

Each of this year's inductees contributed to Stow-Munroe Falls in a meaningful way, building relationships with students, supporting colleagues, and creating a legacy that continues well beyond their years of service. Their induction is a fitting recognition of the important role they have played in the history of our district.

Learn more about the Wall of Fame and nomination process on the district website at SMFSchools.org.

REPORT CARD CELEBRATIONS

This week, I joined Board President Jason Whitacre and Board Member John Moyer in visiting schools across the district to celebrate this year's Ohio School Report Card results. At each stop, principals and staff received cookies and a giant school report card as a small thank-you for their hard work.

Each school achieved accomplishments worth celebrating. A special congratulations goes to Highland Elementary, which earned an overall 5-star rating, the highest overall rating!



Reminders!

Homecoming Weekend is here! Please join us for several family-friendly events, open to the community:

- Friday, Oct. 2, at 5 p.m. the **Homecoming Parade** will step off on a short route near the high school, followed by a fun festival outside the high school's Field House.
- Friday, Oct. 2, at 7 p.m. our **Varsity Football** team will take on Wadsworth. **Homecoming King and Queen** will be announced at halftime.

The **Homecoming Dance** will take place Saturday, Oct. 3. This is a student-only event.



CENTER STAGE AWARD WINNERS RECOGNIZED

Monday evening's Board of Education meeting gave us the opportunity to recognize the outstanding work taking place throughout Stow-Munroe Falls City Schools. I was pleased to join Board President Jason Whitacre in presenting this month's Center Stage Awards to Jandra Cotts, Math Specialist; Jason Holmes, Grade 6 Teacher; Mariah Jones, Assistant Mechanic; Michelle Juszczec, Educational Assistant; Nick Kish, Principal; Belinda McClain, Secretary; Angela Mullet, Custodian; Victoria Pittner, Educational Assistant; Nicole Polster, School Psychologist; Bobbi Shanholtzer, School Counselor; Bryce Sheppert, Intervention Specialist; and KayLynn Sheppert, Special Education Assistant. Each was recognized for the commitment and care they bring to our students and schools.



VOYA UNSUNG HEROES AWARD

Congratulations to Dan Schneck, recipient of the 2026 Voya Unsung Heroes Award. This national honor recognizes educators who make a meaningful difference through innovative ideas and a strong commitment to students.

DONUTS WITH GROWNUPS AT FISHCREEK

Fishcreek Elementary welcomed families to school Sept. 16–18 for its Donuts with Grownups before-school event. This was their first year hosting this event. Students had the opportunity to start their day alongside parents, grandparents, and other special adults while enjoying donuts and spending time together at school.

SHOW YOUR HEART OF A BULLDOG PRIDE



Our Heart of a Bulldog apparel sale is underway! Choose from a variety of apparel options to show your Stow-Munroe Falls pride. Orders are due by **Oct. 6**. Browse the collection and place your order at: https://shop.youngprinting.com/smfschools/shop/home

