



Red Hawks Have Great News to Share!

As we enter the fourth quarter of what has been an amazing 2015-16 school year to date, we are excited to share with you some of the many exciting things our students and staff have been up to. You can learn more about all these achievements and future events by clicking on the link to our website below.

[Visit our Website](#)

Interpretive Reading Winners Announced This Week

Congratulations to all K-6 students who participated in our annual interpretive reading contest. Students were recognized for their ability to read with inflection, appropriately pronounce words, and use effective eye contact. Pictured at left are Consolidated Elementary School's interpretive reading winners with SDM Instructional Specialist Amy Mertes.

[Consolidated Interpretive Reading Story](#)



MHS HOSA Team Sends Three to National Competition

Milton High School's Health Occupations Student Association (HOSA) Team competed in Wisconsin Dells at the state competition this past week. We are proud to announce that three team members qualified for the HOSA National Competition in

June.

[MHS HOSA Team Story](#)



Department of Public Instruction and School Board Recognize Special Education Staff

Board President Jon Cruzan and our Board of Education congratulated several members of our student services team at the April 11, 2016 school board meeting. Our special education staff was recognized with a certificate of appreciation from the Department of Public Instruction last week for helping develop and improve the processes involved in writing Individual Education Plans (IEPs) for students with identified disabilities.



MHS Celebrates "Career Day"

Thank you to all our community partners, students, staff, and our partners at the Department of Workforce Development who helped make "Career Day" at Milton High School such a success. Secretary Ray Allen from the Department of Workforce Development, District staff and City of Milton Mayor Welch spoke at the event about the importance of partnerships and working together to get our students college- and career-ready. Students had the opportunity to visit more than 30 college and 60 employer booths and listened to classroom presentations about future opportunities that exist for our students after high school.



Middle School Unity Team Donates Water to Flint Michigan

Milton Middle School Unity Team and SDM staff

teamed up with local business owner Jason Cowley from Cowley's Piggly Wiggly to help those impacted by the water situation in Flint, Michigan this week.

Middle School Unity Team students sponsored a "Penny War" that raised more than \$300 earlier this month as part of their "Choose to be Nice" campaign. Cowley's Piggly Wiggly in Milton gave the students a great price on 153 cases of water. Our building and grounds department worked with Piggly Wiggly staff to load the water on trucks and get it to the UPS store in Janesville. It will be shipped to Flint, Michigan to help those in need. WAY TO GO RED HAWKS!!



Fun Fact Friday *"From the Bottom to the Top"*

Did you know which school district in the area is in the bottom one percent in spending of all school districts in Wisconsin, yet has some of the best student achievement scores in the region?

Answer: Milton!

There are 424 school districts in the state. We are ranked 421/424 (bottom one percent) in spending per student, yet our test scores are among the highest in the area. In 2016, we proudly received the highest percentage of proficient students on the 3-8 Badger Exam. In 2014, we received the highest ACT composite scores in the region.

Efficient, effective, and in partnership with our community - we are able to offer an exceptional educational experience at an affordable price for all.



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