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*From left: Dee-Andre Vance,
Tatum Hill, Emma Hukeljic, 2014-15
Teacher of the Year Eric Bowen and
Eldar Salihovic at Busch Wildlife
Conservation Area.*

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Welcome back to all of our Affton families, students, staff and community! We are excited to begin the 2014-2015 school year, and have lots of changes and new opportunities in store. New to our families, students and staff this year: 1:1 Chromebooks at Affton High School; Tyler SIS, a new student information system; and a shift to utilizing Chartwells as the district's food service provider.

Our goal at Affton School District is to help prepare our students to be a part of the community; citizens that see beyond the walls of our school and will be a part of the bigger world. We have a commitment to foster relationships with the Affton community and beyond, and are working toward that by:

- Regularly meeting with many facets of the Affton community, including our Faith Community, Business Leaders, and Legislators.
- Working with these groups to partner on two district-wide initiatives that will help the students in our district that need it most:
 - **Mentor Program**, piloted this past school year with the Affton Fire Protection District at Rogers Middle School (grades 6-8), and
 - **Cougar Packs**, a backpack food program that helps students identified as food insecure with healthy snack and meal options on the weekends, piloted this spring at Mesnier Primary (grades K-2).
- Partnering annually with the Affton Chamber of Commerce to host the Affton Community & Business Expo, a free event that features businesses throughout the Affton area and restaurants that offer free samples.

Affton School District recognizes our obligation to serve and be part of our community, and we are working to coordinate and provide authentic learning opportunities with area businesses and our classes. For example, this school year, our Advanced Marketing students will be working with Affton businesses to provide solutions for real challenges they are facing.

At Affton Schools, we talk a lot about being Affton Strong. Not only do we encourage our students to focus their efforts on their education and, ultimately, graduating from Affton High School, but we also work to instill the value of being a part of the greater community. Without the support of you, our families and neighbors, we could not be Affton Strong.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Dr. Steve Brotherton
Superintendent



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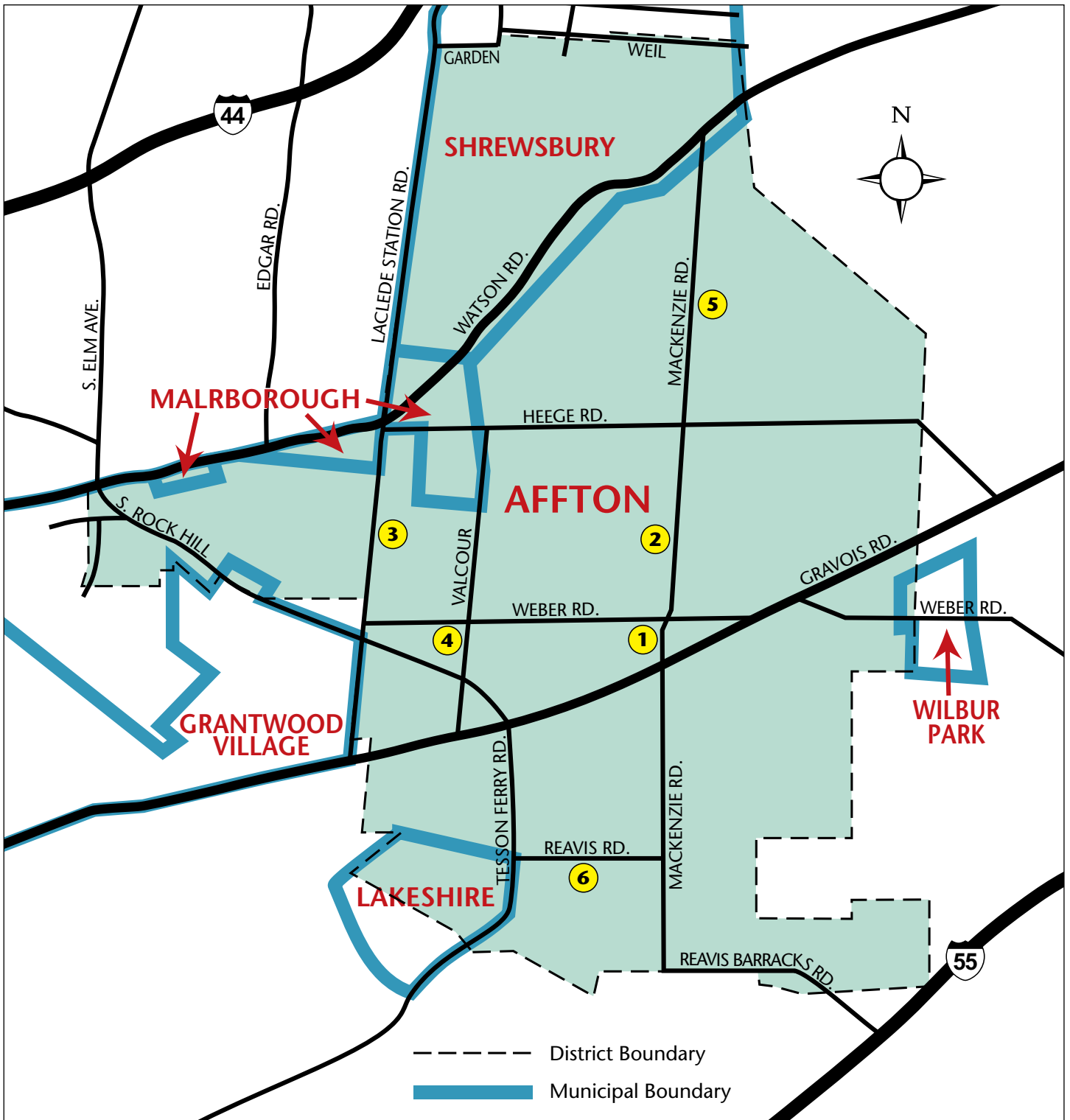
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2. Affton High School
8309 Mackenzie • 314-638-6330

3. Gotsch Intermediate School
8348 S. Laclede Station • 314-842-1238

4. Mesnier Primary School
6930 Weber • 314-849-5566

5. Rogers Middle School
7550 Mackenzie • 314-351-9679

6. Affton Early Childhood
9832 Reavis Rd. • 314-633-5988

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DISTRICT CALENDAR 2014-15

AUGUST

- 7 Kindergarten Open House, Mesnier Primary
- 11 Open House, Rogers Middle
- 12 Open House, Affton Early Childhood Full Day Students
- 13 Freshman Orientation, Affton High School
- Open House, Affton Early Childhood Part Day Students
- 1st & 2nd Grade Open House, Mesnier Primary
- 14 **School Opens**
- 19 Open House & Curriculum Night, Gotsch Intermediate
- 29 Professional Development Day; **No School**

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Labor Day; **No School**
- 4 Curriculum Night, Mesnier Primary
- 15 Curriculum Night, Affton Early Childhood

OCTOBER

- 14 Evening Parent Conferences, Grades 9-12
- 16 End of First Quarter
- Evening Parent Conferences, Grades 9-12
- 17 Professional Development/Record Day; **No School**
- 21-22 Evening Parent Conferences, Grades 6-8
- 23 Evening Parent Conferences, Grades K-5
- 28 Evening Parent Conferences, Grades K-5
- 31 **Early Dismissal, Grades Pre-K-8**
- Parent Conferences, Grades K-8

NOVEMBER

- 4 Professional Development; **No School**
- 26-28 Thanksgiving Break; **No School**

DECEMBER

- 18 ½ Record Day; **Early Release, Grades 9-12**
- 19 End of Second Quarter; ½ Record Day
- Early Release, All Schools**
- 22-31 Winter Break; **No School**

JANUARY 2015

- 1-2 Winter Break; **No School**
- 5 **School Resumes**
- 16 Professional Development Day; **No School**
- 19 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; **No School**

FEBRUARY

- 4 Curriculum Night, Affton High School
- Evening Parent Conferences, Grades K-5
- 6 **Early Release, Grades Pre-K-8**
- 16 Presidents' Day; **No School**
- 17 **Early Release, Grades 9-12**
- 19 Evening Parent Conferences, Grades 9-12

MARCH

- 19 End of Third Quarter
- 20 Professional Development/Record Day; **No School**
- Possible Weather Make-Up Day #6 (if needed)*
- 23-27 Spring Break; **No School**

APRIL

- 3 Spring Holiday; **No School**

MAY

- 15 ½ Record Day; **Early Release, Grades Pre-K-5**
- 25 Memorial Day; **No School**
- 26 **Early Release, Grades 6-12**
- 27 **Last Day for Students; Early Release, All Schools****
- 28-29 Possible Weather Make-Up Days #1-2 (if needed)*

JUNE

- 1-3 Possible Weather Make-Up Days #3-5 (if needed)*

* Possible school day(s) due to weather make-up

** Last day of school will be determined by the end of April due to possible weather make-up day(s)

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AFFTON HIGH SCHOOL



SCHOOL INFORMATION

Address:

8309 Mackenzie Road
St. Louis, MO 63123

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Website/Facebook:

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School History:

The first high school classes were offered in 1930, and were housed in the basement of the former McKenzie School, which now serves as the Administration Building of the district, at 8701 Mackenzie Road.

The first section of the original Affton Senior High School building, which was later named W.F. Gaunt High School, was constructed in 1936 at 8520 Mackenzie Road, and the first class to graduate from the new high school was in 1937.

The current high school building was built in

CONTACTS

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Heather Mayfield
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1955, with additions of classrooms and a cafeteria in 1958, an auditorium, pool, library and more classrooms in 1959, a "pod" in 1969, and a student commons and athletic complex in 2003.

The Affton High School mission is for all to work cooperatively to increase student achievement by consistently focusing on the concepts of respect, trust, academic rigor and professionalism using open communication and appreciation of diversity.

AHS welcomes the incoming Class of 2018. Go Cougars!



Dr. Susan Jackson
Principal



Phil Beermann
*Asst. Principal
Grades 11 & 12*



Tim Luecke
*Asst. Principal
Grades 9 & 10*

ABOUT AFFTON HIGH

Grades: 9-12

2013-14: Enrollment: 764

School Hours: 7:40 a.m.-2:25 p.m.

Number of Teachers: 54

EVENTS

Freshman Orientation:

Aug. 13, 8 a.m. - Noon

Parent Conferences:

October 14 & 16; Feb. 19

Curriculum Night:

Feb. 4



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AHS COUGAR 2014-15 SPORTS SCHEDULE



DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
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VARSITY FOOTBALL

Fri	8/22	Windsor C-1	7 p.m.	Home
Fri	8/29	Parkway West	7 p.m.	Away
Fri	9/5	LIFT FOR LIFE ACADEMY	7 p.m.	Home
Sat	9/13	Jennings	12 p.m.	Away
Fri	9/19	Perryville	7 p.m.	Home
Sat	9/27	McCluer South/Berkeley	1 p.m.	Away
Fri	10/3	Normandy	7 p.m.	Home
Fri	10/10	Maplewood/Richmond Heights	7 p.m.	Home
Fri	10/17	St. Charles	7 p.m.	Away
Fri	10/24	TBD	7 p.m.	Home

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

Mon	8/25	Windsor C-1	4:15 p.m.	Away
Sat	8/30	Parkway West	10 a.m.	Home
Mon	9/8	LIFT FOR LIFE ACADEMY	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/15	Jennings	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/22	Perryville	4:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	9/29	McCluer South/Berkeley	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	10/6	Normandy	4:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	10/13	Maplewood/Richmond Heights	4:15 p.m.	Away

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

Thu	8/28	Windsor C-1	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/2	Parkway West	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/9	Northwest R-1	5 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/23	Clayton	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	10/2	McCluer South/Berkeley	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/9	Normandy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	10/16	St. Charles	4:15 p.m.	Home

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
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VARSITY SOCCER

Wed	8/27	St. Pius	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	8/29	John F. Kennedy	6 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/2	Southside Tournament/Bayless	4 p.m.	Away
Thu	9/4	Northwest R-1	6 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/9	Maplewood/Richmond Heights	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	9/10	Parkway Central	6:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	9/11	Parkway West	6:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/15	Pacific	6:30 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/17	Union	5:30 p.m.	Home
Thu	9/18	Southside Tournament/Lutheran South	6 p.m.	Home
Mon-Sat	9/22-27	CYC Tournament	TBD	Away
Mon	9/29	Priory	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/30	Seckman	6 p.m.	Home
Mon	10/6	Windsor C-1	6 p.m.	Home
Tue	10/7	Clayton	6 p.m.	Home
Wed	10/8	Fox	6 p.m.	Home
Tue	10/14	University City	6 p.m.	Away
Wed	10/15	Whitfield	6 p.m.	Home
Thu	10/16	Webster Groves	4 p.m.	Away
Mon	10/20	McCluer	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	10/21	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/23	Southside Tournament/Bishop DuBourg	6 p.m.	Away

JUNIOR VARSITY SOCCER

Wed	8/27	St. Pius	4:15 p.m.	Away
Fri	8/29	John F. Kennedy	4:15 p.m.	Home
T/W	9/2-3	Ladue JV Tournament	TBA	Away
Thu	9/4	Northwest R-1	4:15 p.m.	Away
Fri	9/5	Ladue JV Tournament	TBA	Away
Wed	9/10	Parkway Central	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	9/11	Parkway West	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/15	Pacific	5 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/17	Union	4 p.m.	Home
Thu	9/18	Lutheran South	4 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/29	Priory	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/30	Seckman	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/2	Webster Groves	4 p.m.	Away
Mon	10/6	Windsor C-1	4 p.m.	Home
Tue	10/7	Clayton	4 p.m.	Home
Wed	10/8	Fox	4 p.m.	Home
Wed	10/15	Whitfield	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	10/20	McCluer	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	10/21	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/23	Bishop DuBourg	4 p.m.	Away



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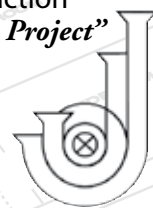
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DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
VARSITY SWIMMING & DIVING (BOYS)				
Wed	8/27	Webster Groves	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	9/4	Hazelwood East	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/9	Parkway Central/University City	4:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/10	Mehlville/Oakville	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/16	McCluer South/Berkeley	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	9/24	Vianney	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/30	Parkway West	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	10/2	MICDS/John F. Kennedy	4:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	10/8	Rockwood Summit Invitational	3:30 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/9	Rockwood Summit Invitational	7 p.m.	Away
Tue	10/14	Conference	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/16	Mehlville	4:15 p.m.	Away
Fri	10/17	Clayton/John F. Kennedy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	10/21	University City	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/23	Mehlville/McCluer South-Berkeley	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	10/28	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/30	Conference	4:15 p.m.	Away

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY (BOYS/GIRLS)				
Thu	8/28	Parkway Central	4 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/3	Cross Country Kick-Off	4 p.m.	Away
Fri	9/5	Lutheran South Invitational	4 p.m.	Away
Sat	9/13	Cross Country Festival	8 a.m.	Away
Sat	9/20	Festus Invitational	9 a.m.	Away
Sat	9/27	Hancock Invitational	9 a.m.	Away
Sat	10/4	Ron Jorgenson Invitational	9 a.m.	Away
Sat	10/11	Affton Invitational	9 a.m.	Away
Sat	10/18	Borgia Invitational	4 p.m.	Away
Fri	10/24	Clayton Invitational	4 p.m.	Away
Sat	11/1	Districts	TBA	Away
Sat	11/8	STATE	TBA	Away

VARSITY SOFTBALL (GIRLS)				
Fri-Sat	8/29-30	Cor Jesu Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	9/2	Eureka	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	9/3	Notre Dame Regional	4 p.m.	Away
Fri	9/5	Notre Dame	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/9	Mehlville	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	9/12	Hancock	4:15 p.m.	Home
Sat	9/13	Seckman Tournament	TBA	Away
Mon	9/15	Bishop DuBourg	4:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/17	St. Pius	4:30 p.m.	Away
Thu	9/18	Parkway West	4 p.m.	Away
Mon	9/22	Lutheran South	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	9/24	Nerinx	4:30 p.m.	Away
Thu	9/25	Oakville	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	9/26	Parkway Central	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	10/1	Sullivan C-2	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	10/2	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	10/6	Windsor C-1	4:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	10/8	Districts	TBA	Away

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL (GIRLS)

Thu	8/21	Jamboree	4:30 p.m.	Away
Sat	8/23	Windsor Tournament	TBA	Away
Mon	8/25	Fox	5:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	8/27	Ladue	5:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/2	Northwest R-1	5:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/3	St. Pius	5:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/9	Brentwood	5:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/15	Crossroads	5:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	9/17	Notre Dame	5:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/22	Rockwood Summit	5:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/23	Clayton	5:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	9/26	Parkway West	5:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	9/29	Bayless	5:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/30	Windsor C-1	5:15 p.m.	Home
Sat	10/4	Affton Tournament	9 a.m.	Home
Mon	10/6	Herculaneum	6:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	10/8	Mehlville	5:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/9	Westminster Christian Academy	5:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	10/14	Parkway Central	5:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	10/16	Bishop DuBourg	5:15 p.m.	Away

JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL (GIRLS)

Mon	8/25	Fox	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	8/27	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/2	Northwest R-1	4:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/3	St. Pius	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/9	Brentwood	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/15	Crossroads	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	9/17	Notre Dame	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/22	Rockwood Summit	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/23	Clayton	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	9/26	Parkway West	4:15 p.m.	Away
Sat	9/27	Clayton JV Tournament	TBA	Away
Mon	9/29	Bayless	4:15 p.m.	Away
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Mon	10/6	Herculaneum	5:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	10/8	Mehlville	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/9	Westminster Christian Academy	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	10/14	Parkway Central	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	10/16	Bishop DuBourg	4:15 p.m.	Away

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DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL (GIRLS)				
Mon	8/25	Fox	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	8/27	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/2	Northwest R-1	4:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	9/3	St. Pius	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	9/9	Brentwood	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	9/17	Notre Dame	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	9/22	Rockwood Summit	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	9/23	Clayton	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	9/26	Parkway West	4:15 p.m.	Away
Sat	9/27	Orchard Farm Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	9/30	Windsor C-1	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	10/8	Mehlville	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	10/9	Westminster Christian Academy	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	10/14	Parkway Central	4:15 p.m.	Home

VARSITY SWIMMING & DIVING (GIRLS)				
Mon	12/8	Rockwood Summit	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	12/9	Webster Groves	4:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	12/15	Lutheran South	4 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/6	McCluer South/Berkeley/Normandy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/13	Kirkwood	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	1/14	Rockwood Summit Invitational	TBA	Away
Tue	1/20	Parkway Central	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	1/21	John F. Kennedy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	1/22	Barat Academy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/27	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	1/29	Lutheran South	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	1/30	Mehlville/Oakville	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	2/2	Hazelwood East/Barat Academy	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	2/3	University City	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	2/10	Parkway West	4:15 p.m.	Away
Fri	2/13	CONFERENCE	3:30 p.m.	Away

VARSITY BASKETBALL (BOYS)				
Mon	12/1	Southside Tournament	TBA	Away
Wed	12/3	Southside Tournament	TBA	Away
Fri	12/5	Southside Tournament	TBA	Away
Fri	12/12	Bayless	7 p.m.	Home
Mon	12/15	Seckman	7 p.m.	Home
Tue	12/16	Valmeyer	7 p.m.	Home
Fri	12/19	Jennings	7 p.m.	Away
Sat	12/20	Sullivan Shoot-Out	TBA	Away
Fri	12/26	Affton Holiday Tournament	TBA	Home
Sat	12/27	Affton Holiday Tournament	TBA	Home
Mon	12/29	Affton Holiday Tournament	TBA	Home
Tue	1/6	John F. Kennedy	7 p.m.	Home
Fri	1/9	Fox	7 p.m.	Home
Mon	1/12	Windsor C-1	7 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/13	St. Pius	7 p.m.	Home
Mon	1/19	Orchard Farm Tournament	TBA	Away
Wed	1/21	Orchard Farm Tournament	TBA	Away

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
Sat	1/24	Orchard Farm Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	1/27	Mehlville	7 p.m.	Away
Fri	1/30	Normandy	7 p.m.	Home
Thu	2/5	McCluer South/Berkeley	7 p.m.	Home
Fri	2/6	Maplewood/Richmond Heights	5:45 p.m.	Away
Mon	2/9	Hancock	7 p.m.	Away
Thu	2/12	Clayton	7 p.m.	Away
Tue	2/17	Northwest R-1	7 p.m.	Away
Fri	2/20	Conference Shoot-Out	TBA	Away

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL (BOYS)				
Fri	12/12	Bayless	4 p.m.	Home
Mon	12/15	Seckman	5:30 p.m.	Home
Tue	12/16	Valmeyer	5:30 p.m.	Home
Fri	12/19	Jennings	5:30 p.m.	Away
Fri	12/26	Herculaneum Tournament	TBA	Away
Sat	12/27	Herculaneum Tournament	TBA	Away
Mon	12/29	Herculaneum Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	1/6	John F. Kennedy	5:30 p.m.	Home
Fri	1/9	Fox	5:30 p.m.	Home
Mon	1/12	Windsor C-1	5:30 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/13	St. Pius	5:30 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/27	Mehlville	5:30 p.m.	Away
Fri	1/30	Normandy	5:30 p.m.	Home
Thu	2/5	McCluer South/Berkeley	5:30 p.m.	Home
Fri	2/6	Maplewood/Richmond Heights	4:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	2/9	Hancock	5:30 p.m.	Away
Thu	2/12	Clayton	5:30 p.m.	Away
Tue	2/17	Northwest R-1	5:30 p.m.	Away

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL (BOYS)				
Wed	12/10	Affton Tournament	TBA	Home
Sat	12/13	Affton Tournament	TBA	Home
Mon	12/15	Seckman	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	12/19	Jennings	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	1/6	John F. Kennedy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Thu	1/8	University City	4:15 p.m.	Away
Fri	1/9	Fox	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	1/12	Windsor C-1	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/13	St. Pius	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	1/26	Herculaneum Blackcat Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	1/27	Mehlville	4:15 p.m.	Away
Wed	1/28	Herculaneum Blackcat Invitational	TBA	Away
Fri	1/30	Normandy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Sat	1/31	Herculaneum Blackcat Invitational	TBA	Away
Thu	2/5	McCluer South/Berkeley	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	2/9	Hancock	4:15 p.m.	Away
Thu	2/12	Clayton	4:15 p.m.	Away

VARSITY BASKETBALL (GIRLS)				
Mon	12/1	Southside Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	12/2	Southside Tournament	TBA	Away



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DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
Thu	12/4	Southside Tournament	TBA	Away
Thu	12/11	Windsor C-1	6:30 p.m.	Home
Fri	12/12	Bayless	5:30 p.m.	Home
Mon	12/15	McCluer South/Berkeley	5:30 p.m.	Away
Sat	12/27	Bishop DuBourg Tournament	TBA	Away
Mon	12/29	Bishop DuBourg Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	12/30	Bishop DuBourg Tournament	TBA	Away
Fri	1/9	Fox	5:30 p.m.	Away
Mon	1/12	Parkway West	6 p.m.	Away
Wed	1/14	Crossroads	5:30 p.m.	Home
Fri	1/16	Jennings	5:30 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/20	Desoto	7:30 p.m.	Away
Wed	1/21	Orchard Farm	7 p.m.	Away
Fri	1/23	Maplewood/Richmond Heights	5:30 p.m.	Home
Sat	1/24	Affton Tournament	TBA	Home
Mon	1/26	Affton Tournament	TBA	Home
Tue	1/27	Affton Tournament	TBA	Home
Fri	1/30	Normandy	5:30 p.m.	Away
Tue	2/3	Clayton	5:30 p.m.	Home
Mon	2/9	Herculaneum	7:30 p.m.	Away
Tue	2/10	Ladue	5:30 p.m.	Home
Wed	2/11	Grandview	5:30 p.m.	Home
Tue	2/17	Lutheran South	7 p.m.	Away
Fri	2/20	Shoot-Out Conference	TBA	Home

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL (GIRLS)

Thu	12/11	Windsor C-1	5 p.m.	Home
Mon	12/15	McCluer South/Berkeley	4:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	12/15	Trinity	5 p.m.	Away
Fri	12/26	Herculaneum Tournament	TBA	Away
Sat	12/27	Herculaneum Tournament	TBA	Away
Mon	12/29	Herculaneum Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	12/30	Herculaneum Tournament	TBA	Away
Fri	1/9	Fox	4:15 p.m.	Away
Mon	1/12	Parkway West	4:30 p.m.	Away
Wed	1/14	Crossroads	4:15 p.m.	Home
Fri	1/16	Jennings	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/20	Desoto	6 p.m.	Away
Wed	1/21	Orchard Farm	5:30 p.m.	Away
Fri	1/23	Maplewood/Richmond Heights	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	1/27	Windsor JV Tournament	TBA	Away
Wed	1/28	Windsor JV Tournament	TBA	Away
Thu	1/29	Windsor JV Tournament	TBA	Away
Fri	1/30	Normandy	4:15 p.m.	Away
Tue	2/3	Clayton	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	2/4	Gateway Science Academy	4:15 p.m.	Home
Mon	2/9	Herculaneum	6 p.m.	Away
Tue	2/10	Ladue	4:15 p.m.	Home
Wed	2/11	Grandview	4:15 p.m.	Home
Tue	2/17	Lutheran South	5:30 p.m.	Away

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE
VARSITY WRESTLING				
Wed	12/3	University City	5 p.m.	Away
Sat	12/6	Affton Invitational	9 a.m.	Home
Tue	12/9	Windsor/St. Mary's	5 p.m.	Home
Wed	12/10	Normandy/Parkway West	5 p.m.	Home
Tue	12/16	Hillsboro/Herculaneum	5 p.m.	Away
Wed	12/17	McCluer South/Berkeley/Ladue	5 p.m.	Away
Fri	12/19	Moberly Tournament	TBA	Away
Sat	12/20	Moberly Tournament	TBA	Away
Fri	1/9	All-Suburban Conference	4 p.m.	Away
Sat	1/10	All-Suburban Conference	9 a.m.	Away
Tue	1/13	Hancock/Notre Dame	5 p.m.	Away
Wed	1/14	Parkway Central/Richmond Heights/Maplewood	5 p.m.	Away
Sat	1/17	Riverview Gardens Tournament	TBA	Away
Tue	1/20	Seckman Freshman Tournament	5 p.m.	Away
Wed	1/21	Union	5 p.m.	Home
Sat	1/24	Lindbergh JV Tournament	TBA	Away
Sat	1/24	MS/Berkeley Tournament	TBA	Away
Wed	2/4	MICDS/Chaminade	5 p.m.	Away
Sat	2/7	Seckman Tournament	TBA	Away
Fri	2/13	Districts	TBA	Away
Thu	2/19	STATE	TBA	Away


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Secretary:

Becky Blake

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Mary Beth Graefe
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ABOUT ROGERS

Grades: 6-8

2013-14 Enrollment: 528

School Hours: 7:10 a.m.-1:55 p.m.

Number of Teachers: 46

EVENTS

Open House:

Aug. 11

Student-Led Conferences:

Oct. 21 & 22; Feb. 4

School History:

Students in sixth, seventh and eighth grades originally attended classes in the first frame school house in Affton, and moved into one of the four rooms in the McKenzie School building. Eighth grade students wishing to receive a diploma went to the county courthouse in Clayton to take four days of

exams. The first eighth grade class to graduate from Affton took place in 1922.

In 1942, a junior high school was organized and held in the W.F. Gaunt School, and in 1959, Mackenzie Junior High School was built at 7550 Mackenzie Road. The name of the building changed to Mackenzie Middle

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314-842-1238
314-633-5991 (Fax)

Website/Facebook:

afftonschoools.net/gotsch-intermediate//
[facebook.com/GotschIntermediate](https://www.facebook.com/GotschIntermediate)

School History:

Gotsch School was opened to elementary students in the fall of 1968. Through the years, Affton students in third, fourth and fifth grades have attended McKenzie School, Heege School, Reavis School (of which Mr. Richard Gotsch was principal), and Mesnier School.

During a reorganization of schools in 1975, Gotsch became the Gotsch Early Childhood Center and housed the early

CONTACTS

Secretary: Jackie Todt

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Debbie Reid
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Dr. Christine Powers
Principal



Rose Davis
Assistant Principal

ABOUT GOTSCH

Grades: 3-5

2013-14 Enrollment: 524

School Hours: 8:40 a.m.-3:25 p.m.

Number of Teachers: 36

EVENTS

Open House & Curriculum Night:

Aug. 19

Parent Conferences:


Oct. 23, 28 & 31; Feb. 4

childhood education and kindergarten programs. In 1984, those programs were moved and fourth and fifth grade students began attending Gotsch School, and in 2008, third grade students were also moved from Mesnier to Gotsch Intermediate School.

In 2013, Gotsch Intermediate received a Promising Practice in Character Education from the Character Education Partnership (CEP) for "No Make Up Tuesday," when

female staff went without makeup to encourage their third, fourth and fifth grade students to do the same each week, and help reinforce the lesson that true beauty lies within and not in the way you look.

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314-849-5566
314-849-5695 (Fax)

Website/Facebook/Twitter:

afftonschools.net/mesnier-primary/
facebook.com/MesnierPrimary
twitter.com/Mesnier_Primary

School History:

Charles J. Mesnier Elementary School opened in the fall of 1958 with 22 classrooms. Charles Mesnier was superintendent of the Affton School District for 37 years before retiring in 1970. In the fall of 1984, Mesnier became a primary school.

In 2014, Mesnier Primary received a Promising Practice in Character Education

CONTACTS

Secretary: Joan Todt

Nurse: Karen Laubert

Counselor:

Peter Bogart
Janet Winchester

ABOUT MESNIER

Grades: K-2

2013-14 Enrollment: 526

School Hours: 8:10 a.m.-2:55 p.m.

Number of Teachers: 39

EVENTS

Kindergarten Open House: Aug. 7

1st & 2nd Grade Open House: Aug. 13

Curriculum Night: Sept. 4

Parent Conferences:

Oct. 23, 28 & 31; Feb. 4

from the Character Education Partnership (CEP) for their "Making Career Connections" program, which helped Kindergarten, first- and second-grade students develop a self awareness of possible job choices by examining the six career pathways and reflecting on how the school's core values can open up doors to a successful and satisfying career.

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314-544-3286 (fax)

Website/Facebook:

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facebook.com/AfftonEarlyChildhood

School History:

The Affton School District has offered early childhood education programming since 1970, when it was located at Gotsch School and then at Mesnier School. In 1983, Affton partnered with the Lindbergh School District to offer Affton-Lindbergh Early Childhood housed at Concord School in the Lindbergh district. In 2006, Affton split from Lindbergh to partner with Special School District and the program moved to

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Kathy Moran

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Stephanie Presson

Parents As Teachers:

Linda Lenzen, Facilitator
314-633-0019



Karin Fleming
Director

ABOUT ECE

Children ages 3-Pre-K

2013-14 Enrollment: 171

School Hours:

8:30-11:30 a.m. for morning half-day
12:15-3:15 p.m. for afternoon half-day
8:30 a.m.-3:15 p.m. for full-day classes

Teachers: 7

EVENTS

Open House:

Aug. 12 for full-day classes
Aug. 13 for half-day classes

Curriculum Night:

Sept. 15

the St. George School, located at the corner of Gravois Road and Heege Road.

In 2012, the new Affton Early Childhood Center was opened at 9832 Reavis Road. The 19,000 square-foot building was rehabbed from an industrial complex into a vibrant learning space that features eight classrooms, diagnostic facilities, an indoor project room, a multipurpose play area and stage, outdoor play areas, a conference

room and offices for Parents As Teachers. Early childhood programming is offered for children ages 3 years to pre-kindergarten, and both half day and full day classes are offered as well as before and after care.

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early, and on selected days when school is not in session. For further details, call 314-633-5920 or email meckhard@afftonschoools.net.

Before and after care is also available to students at Affton Early Childhood. For additional information, contact the school at 314-633-5988.

PARENTS AS TEACHERS (PAT)

Children begin learning at birth and learn more during the first five years of life than at any other time. Parents As Teachers is an early learning program which supports parents in their role as the

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AFFTON COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION (ACVO)

ACVO is a partnership between Affton Schools and the Affton community. This partnership joins the two through volunteering to build a better future for our students and community. Areas for volunteering include: tutoring or mentoring; horticulture; technol-

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ENROLLMENT

OFFICIAL DISTRICT ENROLLMENT FOR 2013-14	2,513
Affton Early Childhood	Ages 3 years-Pre-K 171
Mesnier Primary School	Grades K-2 526
Gotsch Intermediate School	Grades 3-5 524
Rogers Middle School	Grades 6-8 528
Affton High School	Grades 9-12 764

STUDENT STATISTICS - 2014

Average Daily Pupil Attendance Rate: 93.13%
 College Placement, Class of 2014: 91%
 Career & Tech Ed. Placement: 2%
 Entering Post-Secondary (Tech) Inst.: 5%
 High School Dropout Rate: 1.9%
 Graduation Rate: 94.1%

STAFF STATISTICS

2014-15 Staff: 199 Teachers and Administrators
 131 Support Staff
 73.4% of teachers hold advanced degrees

DISTRICT, SCHOOL & STAFF RECOGNITIONS

- **Recognized for Outstanding Academics and Excellent MSIP5 Score** by Missouri Governor Jay Nixon
- **2014 Total Fleet Excellence in Bus Safety** by Missouri State Highway Patrol
- **Character Education 2014 Promising Practice Award** – Mesnier Primary School
- **One of U.S. News & World Reports's Best High Schools** – AHS
- **Missouri Project Lead the Way Outstanding Counseling Team** – Rogers, AHS
- **Project Lead the Way Engineering and Biomedical Program National Certification** – AHS
- **Fuel Up to Play 60 Schools** – Gotsch, Rogers
- **Fuel Up to Play 60 Hall of Fame** – Kathy Beezley, Rogers
- **Fuel Up to Play 60 National Ambassador** – Rachael Odhiambo, Rogers
- **Midwest Dairy It Starts With School Breakfast Contest Grand Prize Winner** – Rogers
- **Sammy Goldman "Living Big" Campership** – Anastasia Noblett, Gotsch
- **2014-15 District Teacher of the Year** – Eric Bowen, Gotsch
- **2014 Superintendent Award Winner** – Sheri Hogland, Gotsch
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For the 2013-2014 school year, the Foundation awarded \$22,900 for 27 grants, which included: video equipment, an iPad, a visit from a Raku artist, online curriculum, science and math resources, online curriculum, reimbursement and cost reduction for the ACT and Advanced Placement tests, and more.

AFFTON EARLY CHILDHOOD

- **Ashley Blair**, *Learning to Get Along Books & Interactive Software*
- **Janice Lee**, *Parents As Teachers, Speech & Language Foundation*
- **Linda Lenzen**, *Parents As Teachers, Activity Bags*
- **Chris Mataya, Bernie Pankey & Jennie Polzin**, *Affton Green Composting Materials*
- **Deanna Roberts**, *Enriching the Pre-K Program with an iPad*

MESNIER PRIMARY SCHOOL

- **Jennifer Conkwright**, *Kindergarten, Listening Center & Activities*
- **Laurie Clark**, *Kindergarten*, & **Kim Duy**, *Literacy Coach, Reading Workshop*
- **Natalie Gragnani**, *Kindergarten, See It to Believe It Science Manipulatives & Experiments*
- **Zandra Jackson**, *Math Interventionist, Math, Magic, Me!*
- **Cheryl Ladd**, *Kindergarten, Common Core State Standards & Differentiated Instruction*
- **Julie Livingstone**, *Kindergarten, Integrating Math & Communication Arts for Common Core State Standards Success*
- **Janet Peistrup**, *Reading Interventionist, Reading Intervention Resources*
- **Kristina Pluff**, *Second Grade, Guided Reading for the Gifted Student*
- **Trudi Sanders**, *First Grade, First Grade Leveled Library*

GOTSCH INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

- **Nicki Hejlek**, *Third Grade, Leveled Guided Reading Materials*
- **Laura Pezzani**, *SAIL, LEGO Robotics*
- **Patti Vogt**, *SSD Speech/Language*, & **Kim White**, *SSD Resource, VW Bus - Bringing Us Socialization & Fun*

ROGERS MIDDLE SCHOOL

- **Collette Book**, *Literacy Coach, Affton Reads! Promoting Adolescent Literacy through Parent Involvement*

AFFTON HIGH SCHOOL

- **Aaron Bernabo**, *Science, AP Physics Exam Cost Reduction*
- **Jane Bohn, Heather Mayfield & Erica VanBuren**, *Guidance Counselors, ACT Reimbursement for Juniors*
- **Chris Boley**, *Math, AP Exam Cost Reduction*
- **Carlynn Forst**, *Art, Visiting Raku Artist*
- **Paula Gyllenborg**, *Modern Language, National French Exam*
- **Brian Jennings**, *English, To AP or Not to AP*
- **Colleen Malone**, *Fine Arts, Green Screen Movie Making*
- **Daniel Polokonis**, *Math, AP Calculus AB & AP Calculus BC Exam Cost Reduction*
- **Judith Rethwisch**, *Theater, Preparing for Scholarships*

For additional information or to support the Affton Education Foundation, please visit their website at:
<http://www.afftoneducationfoundation.org/>



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PARENT ORGANIZATIONS

AFFTON PARENTS' CLUB

Membership is open to any adult with an interest in helping the children of Affton School District. Our mission is to work together in cooperation with parents and the community for all the children of the Affton School District through raising funds and distributing resources to the schools. Please like us on Facebook to stay connected with our events, activities and opportunities to STEP UP...!

Facebook: Affton Parents' Club APC

Denise Dolan, Co-President

314-570-6194 • dolanfammo@sbcglobal.net

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AFFTON MUSIC BOOSTERS (AMB)

The Mission of the Affton Music Boosters (AMB) is to offer financial and representative assistance to our Music Department. AMB annually offers a one-time scholarship to any vocal or instrumental senior music student graduating from Affton High School that is enrolled to pursue a major or minor degree in music. The Boosters also subsidize funds to the district-wide Affton Music Department. Teachers in the music department can request funding for needs not covered under the school budget.

www.afftonmusicboosters.com

info@afftonmusicboosters.com

Facebook: Affton Music Boosters

AFFTON COUNCIL FOR THE GIFTED & TALENTED

This organization promotes opportunities for students enrolled in SAIL or Advanced Math and their families, and provides support for enrichment programs in the district.

Facebook: Affton Gifted and Talented Council

Michelle Petterchak • 314-583-6500 • mpetterc@gmail.com

PARENT-COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Various opportunities are available for parents, teachers, administrators and community members to help students. Anyone interested in being a part of these committees should contact the appropriate school.

Mesnier Parent Advisory Council

Gotsch Parent Advisory Council

Rogers Parent Advisory Council

Affton High School Parent Advisory Council

District opportunities include the following; Contact Erica Chandler at 314-633-5908 or ehandler@afftonschoools.net for more information.

Buildings & Grounds Committee

Curriculum Committee

Technology Committee

CSIP Committee

Safety Committee

AHS 2014 SENIOR CLASS PROFILE

Graduates: 212 (96 Girls; 116 Boys)

Graduates attending college: 191 (91%)

- Four Year Colleges: 81 (39%)
- Two Year Colleges: 104 (50%)
- Other Schools: 5 (2%)
- Military Service: 8 (4%)
- Employment: 11 (5%)

Seniors attending: 41 Different Colleges

Four Year Colleges:

- St. Louis – 6 Colleges
- Missouri – 10 Colleges
- Out of State – 13 Colleges

Two Year Colleges:

- St. Louis – 6 Colleges
- Missouri – 1 College
- Out of State – 4 Colleges

Scholarships:

80 students were awarded 224 scholarships with the monetary value estimate of \$4.6 million.

- Missouri Bright Flight Scholarships: 8
- A+ Scholarship Candidates: 86
- Affton Education Foundation Scholarships: 12
- Various Affton Scholarships: 30
- Athletics Scholarships: 7

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- Affton Wall of Fame: 4
- President's Award for Educational Excellence: 17



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BOARD MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Affton School Board is to represent the community in ensuring our students receive the best education.

PUBLIC NOTICE

All responsible public agencies are required to locate, evaluate, and identify children with disabilities who are under the jurisdiction of the agency, regardless of the severity of the disability, including children attending private schools, children who live outside the district but are attending a private school within the district, highly mobile children, such as migrant and homeless children, children who are wards of the state, and children who are suspected of having a disability and in need of special education even though they are advancing from grade to grade. The Affton School District assures that it will provide a free, appropriate public education (FAPE) to all eligible children with disabilities between the ages of 3 and 21 under its jurisdiction. Disabilities include autism, deaf/blindness, emotional disorders, hearing impairment and deafness, mental retardation/intellectual disability, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairment, other health impairments, specific learning disabilities, speech or language impairment, traumatic brain injury, visual impairment/blindness and young child with a developmental delay.

The Affton School District assures that it will provide information and referral services necessary to assist the State in the implementation of early intervention services for infants and toddlers eligible for the Missouri First Steps program.

The Affton School District in partnership with the Special

SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

Regular meetings of the Board of Education are held the first and third Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room at Affton Early Childhood, 9832 Reavis Road.

School District of St. Louis County assure that personally identifiable information collected, used, or maintained by the agency for the purposes of identification, evaluation, placement or provision of FAPE of children with disabilities may be inspected and/or reviewed by their parents/guardians. Parents/guardians may request amendment to the educational record if the parent/guardian believes the record is inaccurate, misleading, or violates the privacy or other rights of their child. Parents have the right to file complaints with the U.S. Department of Education or the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education concerning alleged failures by the district to meet the requirements of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). The Affton School District has developed a Local Compliance Plan for the implementation of State Regulations for the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). This plan contains the agency's policies and procedures regarding storage, disclosure to third parties, retention and destruction of personally identifiable information and the agency's assurances that services are provided in compliance with the General Education Provision Act (GEPA). This plan may be reviewed at the Affton Administration Office, by appointment with the Director of Special Education. This notice will be provided in native languages as appropriate.

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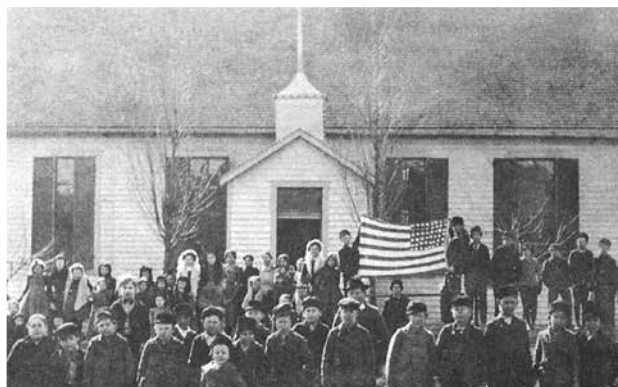
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SCHOOL LUNCH PRICES FOR 2014-15

The district's school lunch and breakfast program provides students with well-balanced meals that meet state and federal guidelines. Meal pricing for 2014-15:

Lunch Prices:

Mesnier & Gotsch Students: \$2.00
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Adults: \$2.55

Breakfast Prices:

Students: \$1.05
Adults: \$2.10
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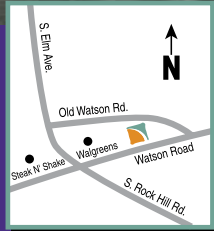




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