

CHRISTINA
SCHOOL DISTRICT

DISTRICT UPDATES

Presented by
Dr. Dan Shelton
Superintendent
May 10, 2023



Teachers of the Year

Elyse Barnes

The Bancroft School

Serena Socha

The Bayard School

Laura Freehafer

Brader Elementary

Emily Szymanski

Brennen School

Jennifer Witte

Brookside Elementary

Peter Boyer

Christiana Vikings Campus

Cailah Preston

*Christina Early
Education Center*

Roger Phipps

Delaware School for the Deaf

Connie Spedden

Downes Elementary

Jennifer Dalgarn

Gallagher Elementary

Kevin Davis

Gauger-Cobbs Middle

Shannon Anderson

Glasgow High

LaShanda Wooten

Jones Elementary

Stephanie Drake

Keene Elementary

Mandee Wentzel

Kirk Middle

Alishya Hess

Leasure Elementary

Stephanie Dobson

Maclary Elementary

Laurie McGuire

McVey Elementary

Adrienne Bane

*Networks School for
Employability Skills*

Paula Woolfolk-Cohen

Newark High

Heather Townsend

Oberle Elementary

Michael Herring

Sarah Pyle Academy

Monica Christy

Shue-Medill Middle

Jacqueline Billic

Smith Elementary

Dr. Doreen Scott-Baker

Stubbs Early Education Center

Rose D'Alexander

West Park Place Elementary

Heather Wilson

Wilson Elementary

2023
2024



EMPLOYEE CHAMPIONS

OF THE YEAR

Leilani Donovan

Child Nutrition Services
Employee Champion of the Year
Glasgow High School

Linda Frazer

Transportation Employee
Champion of the Year
Lane Transportation Center

Alfred Hall

Technology Employee
Champion of the Year
Eden Support Services Center

Khiry Henderson

Custodial/Maintenance
Employee Champion of the Year
Eden Support Services Center

Tyishah McNeil

Paraprofessional Employee
Champion of the Year
Jones Elementary School

Andrea Woodard

Secretarial Employee
Champion of the Year
Leisure Elementary School

Congratulations!



TRUDY SMALL

2023-2024 Behavioral Health Professional of the Year!

Topping Out Celebration

Bancroft Topping Out Celebration Events

Tuesday, May 9 - Wednesday, May 24

Steel Beam Signing

Open to the public.

Thursday, May 25, 10-11:30 AM

Topping Out Ceremony

RSVP required.



CHRISTINA
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PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE

THE NEW BANCROFT SCHOOL

*Topping Out
Celebration*

New Bancroft School Construction Site
7th and Lombard Streets, Wilmington, Delaware

STEEL BEAM SIGNING
WEDNESDAY, MAY 10 - WEDNESDAY, MAY 24 | 10 AM - 2 PM

All are invited to sign the last steel beam that will be used to "top out" the new school. Open to the public.

TOPPING OUT CEREMONY
THURSDAY, MAY 25 | 10-11:30 AM
Rain Date: Friday, May 26

Watch us place the last and highest beam on the new school during this exciting construction tradition. RSVP required.

Please RSVP to Francine Davis at francine.davis@christina.k12.de.us

Spring Concerts Series

Performances started in April and will run through June 2.

Free and open to the public.

#MusicinourSchools

#ChristinaStrong





Strategic Plan Updates

Dr. Deirdra Joyner
Deputy Superintendent
& Chief Academic Officer

Strategic Themes



**WHOLE
CHILD**



**TEACHING
& LEARNING**



**COMMUNITY PRIDE
AND CONNECTION**

Facilities Strategic Plan Development

Selected an A/E Firm through the RFP process - Studio Jaed

Their negotiated proposal is before the Board tonight for approval.

Proposal Contains:

- Review of Updated District Facilities Assessment Report, Existing Systems, Energy Efficiencies of Buildings, and Renewable Energy Opportunities.
- Demographic, Capacity, and Enrollment Analysis
- Detailed Engagement Plan and Schedule
- Develop State Funding Request(s) for Capital Improvements

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