



## MALVERN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Home of Leopards

“Where PASSION, PRIDE, & EXCELLENCE are expected.”

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### March and April 2019

As the district moves through the fourth quarter of the 2018-19 school year, I want to give a special “thank you” to our parents. Thank you for your partnership with us in the education of your child, and thank you for all the hours you spend supporting your child. I attend many functions every week, and I see many of you at different types of events because you have more than one child in the district. I know it is difficult to be at all events and time consuming as well, but it does not go unnoticed. I am a firm believer the support of parents and grandparents is vital in the education process and emotional development of children. Parents, again, I say thank you for all you do for the district and your children!

“Students of the Month” were recognized at our regular monthly school board meeting in March and April. Each student received a certificate of appreciation, a \$25 gift card to Walmart, and a Malvern Leopard gift bag (sponsored by the Malvern Leopard Foundation). Congratulations to the following students!

#### March – SOM:

Kindergarten	Marcus Killackey	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Brent Shaw	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Courtney Lerew
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	Arielle Whitley	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Jovannie Valdivia	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Virgie Toliver
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Valyn Lawrence	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Dontavious Gray	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Tre'Sean Mormon
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Daishawn Mallory	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Anayah Ware	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Dalton Rogers
				12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Michael Keenan

#### April – SOM:

Kindergarten	Ja'Marie Rucker	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Davis Black	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Alexa Hall
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	Luisa Barron	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Corrinna Phillips	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Audrey Carr
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Jamarian Harris	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Tyler Miles	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Winter Taylor
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Benjamin Pasley	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Cailen Price	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Damyia Hughes
				12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Ashley Ingram

On Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, “Hop on in to MES,” our Pre-K night for all incoming Kindergartners, was held from 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. It was a great opportunity for incoming Kindergartners to visit and actually see the campus before attending the school next year. Thank you to all who attended, and thank you to all of our staff who participated!

Last, I would like to congratulate Coach David Alpe and Malvern Graduate Madre Hill on being selected for the Arkansas Sports Hall of Fame. I had the great opportunity to attend the banquet this past month, and it was a special night to say the least. It was awesome to watch a player and his coach inducted together into the hall of fame on the same evening. Congratulations to Coach Alpe and Madre on the distinguished accomplishment!

Thank you for your continued support of our schools!

Brian Golden, Superintendent  
Malvern School District