

## ACTIVITY FEES

Platte County School District #2 charge activity fees for students involved in extra curricular activities and rental fees for musical instruments provided by the school.

Any student in grades 6-12 who chooses to participate in an extracurricular activity must pay a \$25 fee. This fee will cover any and all extra curricular activities that student will participate in during the 2021 - 2022 school year. One activity --\$25.00, seven activities - \$25.00.

Any student in grades 4-12 who uses a musical instrument provided by the school will be charged a \$25 annual rental fee.

The Booster Club is willing to help with these fees if certain conditions are met. Students need to contact a Booster Club member before school starts so arrangements can be made before the activity begins.



# FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Breakfast & Lunch will be  
FREE for all students for  
the 2021-2022 School Year.

\*Students must have money on their  
account to purchase ala carte items.

This institution is an equal  
opportunity provider.

## **Home Schooling**

**Every parent, guardian, or other person having control or charge of any child within Platte County School District #2 and required by law (W.S. 21-4-101 and W.S. 21-4-102) to attend school, but who intends to educate said child in a home-based educational program shall be required to demonstrate to the Board of Trustees that said program provides a basic academic educational program as defined by law and appropriate to the educational level of said child.**

**This information must be provided to Platte County School District #2 before August 25, 2021. For further information about the Compulsory Attendance laws and home-based education, please contact the Platte County School District Office at 836-2735.**

## **FOOD BAG PROGRAM PROVIDES WEEKEND MEALS FOR STUDENTS**

The "Totes of Hope" will once again sponsor the Food Bag Program for families with students enrolled in Guernsey-Sunrise Schools and Guernsey Early Childhood Center.

A limited number of backpacks will be available for those students who will benefit from the supplemental food for the weekends.

Food Bags will be provided to students on Thursdays, filled with a variety of ready to eat or easy to prepare foods, such as cereal, canned fruit, vegetables, pastas, or meat, soup and snack items.

Applications for this program will be available at Guernsey-Sunrise School and GECC offices. Please return the completed applications to the school offices as soon as possible.

Everyone interested in receiving the Weekly Food Bags must submit an application, including families who were enrolled in the program during the 2020-2021 school year.

Applications will be reviewed on a first come, first service basis. The first Food Bag distribution will be Thursday, September 2, 2021.

**BUS ROUTE INFORMATION IS OFFERED**

Platte County School District #2 will be operating three bus routes for the 2021-2022 School Year.

- Route 1     Hartville and North
- Route 2     Wendover Route/Guernsey State Park
- Route 3     Winchester Road/Airport Road

Depending on the number of bus students, routes and pick up times will remain basically the same as last year. Drivers will notify you if there is a significant schedule change.

If you are new to the district and need to make arrangements for bus service or have other questions, contact the bus barn at 836-2515 or the Central Office at 836-2735.

**Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)  
Notice for Directory Information**

The *Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act* (FERPA), a Federal law, requires that Platte County School District #2 (PCSD#2), with certain exceptions, obtain your written consent prior to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from your child's education records. However, PCSD#2 may disclose appropriately designated "directory information" without written consent, unless you have advised the District to the contrary in accordance with District procedures. The primary purpose of directory information is to allow the PCSD#2 to include this type of information from your child's education records in certain school publications. Examples include:

- A playbill, showing your student's role in a drama production;
- The annual yearbook;
- Honor roll or other recognition lists;
- Graduation programs; and
- Sports activity sheets, such as for wrestling, showing weight and height of team members.

Directory information, which is information that is generally not considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if released, can also be disclosed to outside organizations without a parent's prior written consent. Outside organizations include, but are not limited to, companies that manufacture class rings or publish yearbooks. In addition, two federal laws require local educational agencies (LEAs) receiving assistance under the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965* (ESEA) to provide military recruiters, upon request, with the following information – names, addresses and telephone listings – unless parents have advised the LEA that they do not want their student's information disclosed without their prior written consent. **[Note: These laws are Section 9528 of the ESEA (20 U.S.C. § 7908) and 10 U.S.C. § 503(c).]**

If you do not want PCSD#2 to disclose directory information from your child's education records without your prior written consent, you must notify the District in writing by **August 25, 2021**. PCSD#2 has designated the following information as directory information.

**-Student's name**  
**-Address**  
**-Telephone listing**  
**-Electronic mail address**  
**-Photograph**  
**-Date and place of birth**  
**-Dates of attendance**

**-Participation in officially  
recognized activities and sports**  
**-Weight and height of members of  
athletic teams**  
**-Degrees, honors, and awards  
received**  
**-The most recent educational agency or  
institution attended**

## Vocational Opportunities Notice

Guernsey-Sunrise Schools offer a variety of vocational opportunities through the Business Education, Industrial Technology, and Family & Consumer Science departments. These opportunities are offered regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, or disability. Admission for specific courses is based on grade level, and in some cases, prior experience related to advanced courses.

Business Education: Keyboarding, Accounting, Practical Accounting, Typing, Senior Survival.

Industrial Technology: Welding I & II, Cabinetmaking I & II, Senior Survival

Family & Consumer Science: Culinary Arts I & II (ProStart), Hospitality, Fashion, Senior Survival.

Additional information about courses can be found in the High School Course Descriptions by contacting the Guidance office at (307)836-2745.

Platte County School District #2 does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its educational programs or activities. Inquiries concerning Title VI, Title IX, Section 504, and the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) may be referred to PCSD#2 Personnel, Mike Beard (Title VI, IX), Liesl Sisson (Section 504), or Linda Victory (ADA) at 555 South Wyoming Street, Guernsey, Wyoming 82214 or (307) 836-2735.

**Visit our website today!**

**[www.guernseysunrise.org](http://www.guernseysunrise.org)**

While it continues to be under constant reconstruction, our site is a great place to go for school information. The school calendar, daily breakfast and lunch menus and school activities are posted for your information. The web site is also a great way to contact teachers and other school staff if you have a question or a concern. You can also log on to Power School and access your child's grades and attendance information. If you have suggestions on how the web site can serve you better, just let us know.

### **Asbestos Plan Available for Inspection**

The asbestos coordinator for Platte County School District #2 is Dennis Flaherty. The Asbestos Management Plan is located in the superintendent's office and is available during regular business hours. The superintendent's office is located in the Guernsey-Sunrise Elementary building. The phone number is 836-2735.

A few areas of low health hazard Asbestos Containing Materials (ACM) have been found in the schools. These areas must be monitored and reinspected every six months. These require only the lowest level response. Complete documentation is available in the Central Office.

Platte County School District #2 is fortunate that the schools contain very little ACM and we strive to maintain it in a safe condition.



## Model Notification of Rights Under the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA)

PPRA affords parents certain rights regarding our conduct of surveys, collection and use of information for marketing purposes, and certain physical exams. These include the right to:

- *Consent* before students are required to submit to a survey that concerns one or more of the following protected areas (“protected information survey”) if the survey is funded in whole or in part by a program of the U.S. Department of Education (ED)–
  1. Political affiliations or beliefs of the student or student’s parent;
  2. Mental or psychological problems of the student or student’s family;
  3. Sex behavior or attitudes;
  4. Illegal, anti-social, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior;
  5. Critical appraisals of others with whom respondents have close family relationships;
  6. Legally recognized privileged relationships, such as with lawyers, doctors, or ministers;
  7. Religious practices, affiliations, or beliefs of the student or parents; or
  8. Income, other than as required by law to determine program eligibility.
- *Receive notice and an opportunity to opt a student out of*–
  1. Any other protected information survey, regardless of funding;
  2. Any non-emergency, invasive physical exam or screening required as a condition of attendance, administered by the school or its agent, and not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of a student, except for hearing, vision, or scoliosis screenings, or any physical exam or screening permitted or required under State law; and
  3. Activities involving collection, disclosure, or use of personal information obtained from students for marketing or to sell or otherwise distribute the information to others.
- *Inspect*, upon request and before administration or use –
  1. Protected information surveys of students;
  2. Instruments used to collect personal information from students for any of the above marketing, sales, or other distribution purposes; and
  3. Instructional material used as part of the educational curriculum.

These rights transfer from the parents to a student who is 18 years old or an emancipated minor under State law.

**Platte County School District #2 has developed and adopted** policies, in consultation with parents, regarding these rights, as well as arrangements to protect student privacy in the administration of protected information surveys and the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information for marketing, sales, or other distribution purposes. PCSD#2 will directly notify parents of these policies at least annually at the start of each school year and after any substantive changes. PCSD#2 will also directly notify, such as through U.S. Mail or email, parents of students who are scheduled to participate in the specific activities or surveys noted below and will provide an opportunity for the parent to opt his or her child out of participation of the specific activity or survey. PCSD#2 will make this notification to parents at the beginning of the school year if the District has identified the specific or approximate dates of the activities or surveys at that time. For surveys and activities scheduled after the school year starts, parents will be provided reasonable notification of the planned activities and surveys listed below and be provided an opportunity to opt their child out of such activities and surveys. Parents will also be provided an opportunity to review any pertinent surveys. Following is a list of the specific activities and surveys covered under this requirement:

- Collection, disclosure, or use of personal information for marketing, sales, or other distribution.
- Administration of any protected information survey not funded in whole or in part by ED.
- Any non-emergency, invasive physical examination or screening as described above.

*Parents who believe their rights have been violated may file a complaint with:*

Family Policy Compliance Office  
U.S. Department of Education  
400 Maryland Avenue, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20202

# REGISTRATION

School will be starting Wednesday, August 25, 2021. We are beginning to arrange the classes and schedules. It is important that ALL students be registered. If your child attended school in Guernsey in the spring of 2021 there is no need to register.

If you are new to town or have an incoming kindergartner, it is important that you come to the school and register. Elementary Registration window opens on August 5th , from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM. Please come by to visit and pick up your New Student enrollment paperwork. Parents who have not pre-registered their students will need to pick up enrollment paperwork and schedule an appointment to meet with the principal prior to full enrollment in Guernsey-Sunrise school. Please feel free to contact the principal, Mrs. Liesl Sisson, at the school any time starting August 9th at 836-2733.

If you have a new incoming 7-12 grader you may stop by the High School office on August 17 & 18 to pick up their schedule and locker assignments.

For students in grades DK-6, please come by the central office, which is located inside the east door, directly across from the football field. Mrs. Martin, our Elementary/Central Office Administrative Assistant, will be happy to assist you and answer any questions you may have. You may also call her at 836-2733 if you have any questions.

For students in grades 7-12, please come by the high school office, which is located inside the north door. Mrs. Otero, our Secondary Office Administrative Assistant, will be happy to assist you and answer any questions you may have. You may also call her at 836-2745 if you have any questions.

By pre-registering, we can be certain that your child will be placed in the correct classes and cause less confusion for your student on the beginning days of school.

We are looking forward to a productive and rewarding school year.

## **SCHOOL PICTURES**

**Individual School Pictures for Guernsey-Sunrise Students in  
Grades DK-12 will be taken on  
Tuesday, September 21, 2021.**

**Pictures will be taken throughout the school day.**

**Parents are encouraged to have their children dress in colorful  
clothes for their pictures. There will be a choice of  
backgrounds to choose from again this year. A packet of  
picture information will be sent home at the beginning of the  
school year. It will have information of selections, packages  
and prices.**

## **CHILD IDENTIFICATION**

Child identification is the system throughout Wyoming that searches for and locates children, from birth through 21, who have handicapping conditions, which affect their education progress. School districts have programs and services to assist children from birth through age 5 and are able to refer them to other agencies for services. The division of Community Programs in the Department of Health and Social Services contracts with regional child development centers which are private non-profit organizations to provide services to preschool children. The division of Community Programs uses funds provided by the State of Wyoming and federal funds for the education of handicapped children provided through the Wyoming Department of Education.

School districts are responsible for identifying and planning for the education needs of children with handicapping conditions. If you have questions about your child's development or progress at any age, contact the Child Identification coordinator for Platte County School District #2, Linda Victory (836-2735).

**Wyoming Child Identification Program  
Wyoming Department of Education  
Jillian Balow, Superintendent of Public Instruction  
Call (307) 777-6205 for more information.**

## **Season Outlook Football 2021**

### **When is the first day of practice?**

Practice will start on August 16<sup>th</sup> at 8am on the practice field. Players must have a current sports physical for the 2021-22 school year with them or have turned one into the HS office prior to practice. Players without a physical are welcome to come but will not be able to practice until they receive a sports physical.

### **What is the season outlook for Viking Football this year?**

Running the football has been a core philosophy here going back decades. We believe in it and focus on it year in and year out, this year however we will be implementing a spread offense to our playbook. We have solid players who can run the ball for us which will help us stay healthy for a playoff run. On the other side, we have always been a tough defensive team and that will be a focus for us the first day of camp. With the landscape of the east we are in a great position to make a run for the 1<sup>st</sup> seed going into the playoffs. This is going to be a very exciting season for Guernsey-Sunrise Football.

### **We have a very competitive schedule again this year!**

This is an interesting schedule, highlighted by a couple rivalry games. For the sixth straight year we see Farson, this time here at home for a game on Sept 3rd. Our home game schedule is Cheyenne Central JV Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>, Sioux County Neb Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>, Hulett on Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>, Burlington on Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>, and Midwest on Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>. Our away game schedule is at Hanna Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> and at Kaycee Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>.

**We hope everyone can come out and support the Vikings  
as we look to add another banner  
GO VIKINGS!!!**

# Volleyball

We would like to welcome Mr. D. to our G-S Lady Viking Volleyball team!  
Coach Kelley and Coach D are excited for the 2021 Volleyball season. Practice will start on Monday, August 16, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.

All players need to have their physicals completed before the first day of practice. They can bring their completed form with them to the first practice.

Players must have 9 days of practices before they are allowed to participate in the first match. Please make every attempt to be at each practice.

Eligibility, parent permission and activity fee forms will be available in the high school office on August 10<sup>th</sup>. These forms need to be completed and turned in to the office by Thursday, August 19<sup>th</sup>. **Home school parents**, please have your Affiliate School Membership Form filled out and fee paid to Wyoming High School Activities Association ***before*** August 16, 2021. This form can be located at [whsaa.org/forms/forms.asp](http://whsaa.org/forms/forms.asp).

There will be a meeting for athletes and their parents on **Thursday, August 12, 2021 at 6pm** in the East Gym.

We would love to fill our gym on game days, so please be watching for our schedule!



## Viking Football Schedule



### Varsity & Junior High 2021

#### Varsity

<u>Date</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Departure &amp; Return</u>
Sat. Aug. 28 <sup>th</sup>	zero week @ Encampment	12 start 8:00 & 6:00	Dubois, Midwest, Farson, Guernsey
Fri. Sept. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	vs. Farson	4:00	
Sat. Sept. 11 <sup>th</sup>	vs. Central Freshman	2:00	
Fri. Sept. 17 <sup>th</sup>	vs. Sioux County	7:00	
Sat. Sept. 25 <sup>th</sup>	@ HEM	12:00	7:30 & 4:30
Fri. Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup>	vs. Hulett	6:00	
Fri. Oct. 8 <sup>th</sup>	@ Kaycee	2:00	8:00 & 6:00
Sat. Oct. 16 <sup>th</sup>	vs. Burlington	1:00	
Fri. Oct. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	vs. Midwest	6:00	
Fri. Oct. 29 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup> round of Playoffs		
Fri. Nov. 5 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup> round of Playoffs		
Nov. 12 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup>	Championships at University of Wyoming-Laramie		

#### Junior High

<u>Date</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Departure &amp; Return</u>
Fri. Sept. 17 <sup>th</sup>	vs. Sioux County	5:00	
Sat. Sept. 25 <sup>th</sup>	@ HEM	10:00	7:30 & 4:00
Fri. Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup>	vs. Hulett	4:00	
Fri. Oct. 8 <sup>th</sup>	@ Kaycee	12:00	8:00 & 6:00
Fri. Oct. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	vs. Midwest	4:00	

Times and dates are subject to change



## Viking Volleyball Schedule



### High School 2021

<i>Date</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Times</i>	<i>Departure &amp; Return</i>
Sat. 8-28 **	@ Harrisburg (JV)	10:00	7:30 & 1:30
Tues. 8-31	vs Lingle	4:00, 5:00 6:00	
Fri. 9-3	vs Lusk	5:00, 6:00, 7:00	
Tues. 9-7 ***	@ Southeast (JV)	4:30 & 5:30	2:30 & 8:00
Thurs. 9-9	@ Edgemont	5:30, 6:30	2:30 & 9:30
Fri. 9-10	vs HEM	4:30, 5:30	2:30 & 3:30-jfvb
Mon. 9-13 *	@ Wheatland (JV)	4:00, 5:00	2:45 & 6:30
Fri. 9-17	vs Sioux Co.	4:00, 5:00	
Sat. 9-18	@ Midwest	12:00, 1:00	9:00 & 6:00
Mon. 9-20 *	vs Douglas (JV)	4:00, 5:00	
Thurs. 9-23	vs Rock River	4:30, 5:30	
Sat. 9-25	Lusk Tournament	9:00 start	7:30 & 5:00
Fri. 10-1	@ HEM	4:00, 5:00 JH 2:00, 3:00	11:00-9:00
Sat. 10-2	Morrill Tournament	9:00 start	7:30 & 5:00
Thurs. 10-7 *	vs Wheatland (JV)	4:00, 5:00	
Thurs. 10-14	@ Lingle	4:00, 5:00, 6:00	2:45 & 8:00
Mon. 10-18 *	@ Douglas (JV)	4:00, 5:00	2:15 & 7:30
Fri. 10-22	vs Midwest	4:00, 5:00	
Sat. 10-23	@ Rock River	12:00, 1:00	9:30 & 3:30
10-29/10-30	Regional @ Buffalo (A/C Host)		
11-4, 11-5, 11-6	State @ Casper		

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\*Douglas & Wheatland – our junior varsity vs their junior varsity

\*\*Banner Co. – our junior varsity vs their varsity

\*\*\* Southeast – our varsity vs their junior varsity





*Lady Viking Volleyball Schedule*  
*Junior High 2021*



<i>Date</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Times</i>	<i>Depart. &amp; Return</i>
<i>Fri. Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> *</i>	<i>vs HEM</i>	<i>2:30, 3:30/4:30, 5:30 - HS</i>	
<i>Mon. Sept. 13<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>@ Wheatland</i>	<i>4:00 &amp; 5:00</i>	<i>2:45 &amp; 6:30</i>
<i>Tues. Sept. 14<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>vs Lingle</i>	<i>5:30 &amp; 6:30</i>	
<i>Friday, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> *</i>	<i>vs Sioux Co.</i>	<i>2:00, 3:00/4:00, 5:00 - HS</i>	
<i>Mon. Sept. 20<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>@ Lusk</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	<i>2:45 &amp; 7:30</i>
<i>Tues. Sept. 21<sup>st</sup></i>	<i>@ Rock River</i>	<i>4:15 &amp; 5:15</i>	<i>1:45 &amp; 8:00</i>
<i>Thurs. Sept. 30<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>@ Lingle</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	<i>3:15 &amp; 7:00</i>
<i>Fri. Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> *</i>	<i>@ HEM</i>	<i>2:00 &amp; 3:00</i>	<i>11:00 &amp; 9:00 (HS)</i>
<i>Tues. Oct. 5<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>vs Wheatland</i>	<i>5:30 &amp; 6:30</i>	
<i>Thurs. Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> *</i>	<i>vs Rock River</i>	<i>3:00 (Wheatland JV 4:00 &amp; 5:00)</i>	

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\*Junior high before the high school



*Viking Basketball Schedule*  
*Junior High Girls 2021*



<i>Date</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Times</i>	<i>Departure &amp; Return</i>
<i>Tues. Oct. 26<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>@ Lusk</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	<i>2:45 &amp; 7:30</i>
<i>Thur. Nov. 4<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>@ HEM Tri (HEM &amp; Rock River)</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	<i>1:00 &amp; 8:00</i>
<i>Mon. Nov. 8<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>@ Wheatland</i>	<i>4:00 &amp; 5:00</i>	<i>2:45 &amp; 7:30</i>
<i>Tues. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>vs Lusk</i>	<i>5:30 &amp; 6:30</i>	
<i>Tues. Nov. 16<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>vs Lingle</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	
<i>Fri. Nov. 19<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>vs HEM</i>	<i>2:00 &amp; 3:00</i>	
<i>Mon. Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup></i>	<i>vs Wheatland</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	
<i>Tues. Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup></i>	<i>@ Lingle</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	<i>3:15 &amp; 7:00</i>
<i>Mon. Nov. 29<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>vs. Rock River</i>	<i>4:30 &amp; 5:30</i>	
<i>Tues. Nov. 30<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>@ Douglas</i>	<i>4:00 &amp; 5:00</i>	<i>2:00 &amp; 7:15</i>

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As we prepare to start a new school year, I hope you all have had a restful, relaxing and fantastic summer. Seems like every year the time goes by faster. It feels like we just had field day and graduation and yet we are into August and getting ready to start back up. A lot has happened since May 28<sup>th</sup> when school ended and we are excited and prepared for a fantastic school year at Guernsey-Sunrise Schools.

I believe there has never been a time more exciting time to be in education than right now. We were one of only a few states across the country to have in-person learning all year. When we look back in 15, 20 or 30 years from now, history will show it that it was quite an accomplishment. What will this year bring? At this time there are a lot of moving parts, but hopefully we will be able to return to a "normal" educational world. Our maintenance and custodial staffs have been working tirelessly cleaning, repairing things and getting the building ready to open. The school looks awesome and is ready to be filled. We have had many staff members attend summer trainings and professional development opportunities, which will bring many exciting ideas and items to Guernsey-Sunrise Schools. The dedication of these Viking professionals is unsurpassed and they are constantly looking for ways to be better educators and serve their students.

As we return to the building August 25<sup>th</sup> COVID will still be with us and posing issues. We will not have a mask mandate, but will continue to monitor temperatures before school and practice social distancing when possible, as well as encouraging handwashing. We will again be putting in extra effort to disinfect the building and provide a safe learning environment for students and staff. A reminder, that if your child is feeling ill, running a temperature or has been in contact with a COVID case please keep them home, get tested if needed and contact the school ASAP. The safety of our students is our top priority and we will all have to do our part to keep the doors open.

As we move into the 2021-2022 school year, I am sure there will be things come up unexpectedly. We will do our best to share information and keep everybody updated in a timely manner. Please check our website, [guernseysunrise.org](http://guernseysunrise.org) and the Facebook page, Guernsey-Sunrise Schools for up to date information. We will also be sending out email "blasts" when needed to communicate with families. It is important we have a current email address and phone number for you to receive this information. If anything has changed please contact the school district.

In closing, all of us at Guernsey-Sunrise Schools are excited to get this new school year under way and off to an outstanding start. We are committed to making PCSD#2 the best in the state of Wyoming and providing our students a world class education while building strong relationships. If you have any questions or need additional information please don't hesitate to contact me at 307-836-2735.

VIKING PRIDE!!

Yours in Education,

Mike Beard, Superintendent  
PCSD#2

The 2019-2020 school year is upon us! I am very excited to be starting my first year as principal of Guernsey-Sunrise Schools. I plan to continue the successful initiatives that have been in place for the past couple of years. I am looking forward to seeing our hard work pay off!

Due to a steady increase in enrollment, we will be adding a second section of Kindergarten, 1st grade, and 3rd grade! New staff members include: Stephanie Smith, kindergarten; Sheryl Spears, 1st grade; Kyla Pierce, 3rd grade. We will also be welcoming Tracy Pare, Assistant Principal; Dana Gale, 4th grade; Mindy Kelly, 7-12 Business; Michelle Baker, Elementary SPED; Kyle Gunderson, 7-12 Social Studies; and Lana Swingholm will be transferring to 2nd grade.

As we prepare to begin the school year, there are some important upcoming events that everyone should be aware of: Elementary Registration beginning August 5th; Secondary (7-12) Registration, August 8th and 9th; Back to School Night/Parent Appreciation Night, August 15th; and then the moment we have all been waiting for, the first day of school on August 19th!

If you have any questions or concerns about the upcoming school year, please feel free to call me at the school or contact me via school email.

I am invested in the Guernsey Community and the Guernsey-Sunrise School system. I am truly excited for this school year and the future of our students! I believe our students deserve the best education possible, as they are the future of our community!

Engage. Inspire. Invest.

Liesl Sisson  
Principal  
Platte County School District #2