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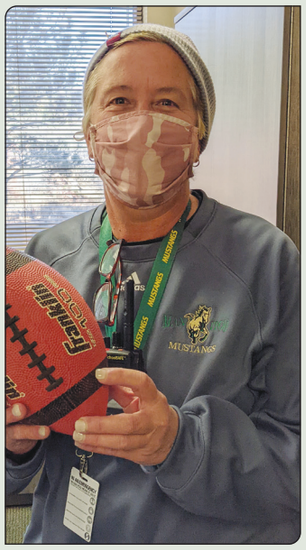
MSSD Honors our School Resource and Security Staff!

Friday, Jan. 7, was National School Resource Officer Day. MSSD thanked our team with a lunch provided by our Nutrition Services Team. Thank you for all you do to ensure the safety of our students and staff each and every day!

Mandy Strider
MSPD school resource officer



Janie Anderson
Director of safety and security

Jediah Nation
MSHS and MSMS security officer

Steve Zesati
MSES security officer

Elizabeth Booth
UPES security officer

A message from Superintendent Elizabeth Domangue

Happy New Year! It was wonderful to be with staff and students as we started the new year.

Last week, we offered exciting professional development opportunities for staff — 7 Steps to a Language-Rich Interactive Classroom, The Write Tools, trauma-responsive practices, and more. It was great to see staff together again collaborating and planning.

Then, on Thursday, students entered schools, excited to be back with their peers and eager to learn. While talking with students at lunch, they shared stories of the adventures that happened during the break, and said they were ready to be back in school. I observed students carrying presents that they were not able to give to their friends and teachers before the Winter Break. This made me think about how kind and special our students are each and every day.

I love the start to a new year. We have great things to look forward to as we begin this second semester — new learnings, new experiences, new field trips, new friends. Let's make 2022 an exceptional year.

Important dates

Martin Luther King Jr. Day, no school: Monday, Jan. 17 • **Late Start:** Wednesday, Jan. 26