



# The Panther Times



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## From the Desk of Mr. Sasfy:

Happy New Year to our parents and Swedeborg community! We hope everyone had a blessed and merry Christmas!

Our school district would like to thank the individuals, organizations and churches that have helped to make this Christmas even more special for our students. We are truly blessed to be partnered with such wonderful organizations and people!

The Masonic Lodge of Richland
The Masonic Lodge of Columbia
Shop with a Cop Program
The Faith Baptist Church of Waynesville

This year, 2023, will be the 104<sup>th</sup> year that this school has served the Swedeborg community as an accredited Missouri school district. Over the years, as the Swedeborg community changed, our school district adapted to meet the educational needs of our students and to support the community.

Last year, we undertook significant changes to school district personnel, class infrastructure, maintenance and fiscal expenditures. Though the implementation of these changes were difficult it was required to better support our students' educational needs and the Swedeborg community.

This year, we will be working on the Continuous School Improvement Plan (CSIP), for the school district. To make this an effective plan, we will be seeking parent, student and community input through meetings, surveys and questionnaires.

A major component of the CSIP will be the proposed implementation of a four-day school week. We will be addressing this issue and others in the upcoming months as we work together to complete, certify and submit our CSIP to the Missouri Department of Education.

Mr. Mark

## **News, Notes, and Dates to Remember:**

#### **Early Release**

12:30 p.m. release time *every* Wednesday

#### **Start of Quarter 3**

Monday, January 3

## **PTO Meeting**

Thursday, January 12, 6:00 p.m.



## A-B Honor Roll Recognition

Friday, January 13, 8:00 a.m.



## **Student of the Month Recognition**

Friday, January 13, 8:05 a.m.

#### No School!

Monday, January 16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day

#### **School Board Meeting**

Monday, January 23, 6:00 p.m.



## **Spirit Day (Wear Tie-Dye)**

Tuesday, January 31



## 100th day of School!

Wednesday, February 1

#### **Upcoming PTO Events**

Annual Pie Supper Crowning of a King and Queen Valentine's Dance