



VILLAGE NEWS

Parent and Family Engagement

October Vol. 2

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 27, 2021
Report cards

October, 23 2021
Walk for Life

Free flu shots throughout Oct.
(See District website for full schedule)
Dreher High School Oct. 16th, 9-1pm
Webber Elem. Oct. 30th, 9-1pm

Visit your school's website for more details on
upcoming school events.

SPOTLIGHT

National Custodian Day

National Walk to School Day

National Principal's Month

National Bully Free Month

National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

National Dropout Prevention Month

National Hispanic Heritage Month



Sharon Harris— 803-908-6392

Horrell Hill Elem.

South East Middle

L.R. High



Doris Burton—803-743-7612

Caughman Rd. Elem.

Hopkins Middle



Gwendolyn Scott—803-908-9594

Mill Creek Elem.

Gadsden Elem.

L.R. High



Troy Jefferson—803-915-5014

Webber Elem.

Hopkins Elem.

L.R. High

National Custodian Day - October 2, 2021

National Walk to School Day - October 6, 2021

National Principal's Month

National Principals Month represents an opportunity to acknowledge and support the important work of principals. These school leaders fight every day to give their students the best education and we owe it to them to advocate on their behalf.

National Bully Free Month

A month long event to prevent childhood bullying and promote kindness, acceptance, and inclusion.

National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Breast cancer awareness is a movement that aims to increase awareness and reduce the stigma linked to the symptoms and treatment of breast cancer.

National Dropout Prevention Month

Though the graduation rate has increased nationwide in the last decade, much more needs to be done so that every child has the opportunity for a brighter future that a high school diploma helps ensure.

National Hispanic Heritage Month September 15 - October 15

Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15, by celebrating the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America.

The observation started in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan in 1988 to cover a 30-day period starting on September 15 and ending on October 15. It was enacted into law on August 17, 1988, on the approval of Public Law 100-402.

The day of September 15 is significant because it is the anniversary of independence for Latin American countries Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico and Chile celebrate their independence days on September 16 and September 18, respectively. Also, Columbus Day or Día de la Raza, which is October 12, falls within this 30 day period.