

## Student Performers

### Naperville Central High School Drum Show

**Directed by: Brandon Estes and Ben Wahlund**

Sarah Andrews, Nathan Bryk, Sam Cohn, Ben Dierking, Raelyn Erwin, Isaac Frank, William Gayde, Cody Johnson, Frank Li, Cole Nasman, Matt Paras, Naina Prasad, David Schneck, Trevor Smith, Shivam Thakrar, Adam Wigger, Jimmy Sellas

### Scott School 5th Grade World Music Ensemble

**Directed by Susan Tarson and Kimberly McShane**

Monet Bastin, Judd Chamberlain, Amena Fathima, Erica John, Kennedy Kimble, Nelson Lindmark, Molly McCarthy, Ryan Madson, Christopher Sanchez, Keathren Summers, Kasie Thomas, Angelica Woods

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## OUR BELIEFS

Naperville Community Unit School District 203 believes  
an exemplary school district...

Values the dignity and uniqueness of each individual

Promotes responsible citizenship

Is the result of a collective partnership of  
students, staff, parents and community.

## OUR VISION

Building a Passion for Lifelong Learning

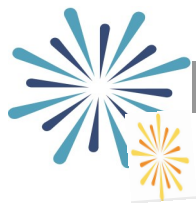
## OUR MISSION

Our mission is to educate students to be self-directed learners, collaborative workers, complex thinkers, quality producers and community contributors.

# District Awards CELEBRATION

April 15, 2015





## Program

### Masters of Ceremonies

Bob Ross, Assistant Superintendent for Secondary Education  
Kitty Ryan, Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Education

### Welcome

Jackie Romberg, President, Board of Education

### Proud to Be 203 Award

Dan Bridges, Superintendent of Schools

### Rebecca Smith-Andoh Memorial Award

Christine Igoe, Assistant Superintendent for Student Services  
Cheryl Jordan, Daughter of Rebecca Smith-Andoh

### Naperville Education Foundation

Ann Spehar, Executive Director

### Arlo Schilling First Year Teacher Award

Dennise Vaughn, Chair, Naperville Education Foundation Board of Trustees  
Jim Godo, Assistant Vice President for External Affairs, North Central College

### Student Entertainment

Scott School 5th Grade World Music Ensemble

### Keynote Speaker

*District 203 Teacher of the Year 2014*

Seth Brady, Social Science, Naperville Central High School

### Those Who Excel 2014-15 Nominees

Classroom Teacher—Seth Brady  
Community Volunteer—Lance Jansen  
Educational Service Personnel—Chris Kunzer  
Outstanding Early Career Educator—Bridget Ortmann  
School Administrator/Principal—Pete Flaherty  
Student Support Personnel—Pam Seubold  
Team—Mark Trembacki & Kathy Ruiz

### Those Who Excel District 203 All Star Team

Julie Carlsen, Director of Community Relations

### Closing Remarks

Julie Carlsen



## School Spirit

Share your school spirit and celebrate on Twitter using

**#Celebrate203** during tonight's event!



## Special Thanks to the District Awards Committee

Gwen Bockman, Seth Brady, Julie Carlsen, Polly Collins, Maureen Dvorak, Peter Flaherty, Margie Griffith, Jeanette Harris, Christine Igoe, Lance Jansen, Chris Kunzer, Monica Lucibello, Tracy Mackh, Marta Maschman, Bridget Ortmann, Alice Parrott, Kevin Pobst, Kathy Ruiz, Kitty Ryan, Pam Seubold, Betty Stevenson, Mark Trembacki





### Team Nominees (continued)

#### **Naper Elementary Instructional Assistants Team**

Christina Conenna, Nancy Vahldick



#### **Naperville North High School S.U.C.C.E.S.S. Team**

Conrad Crosby, Pamela Dandridge,  
Loren Francis, Karyn Morgan, Khalid  
Smith, Tameka Smith

#### **Prairie Elementary Special Education Teaching Assis- tants**

Becky Brophy, Judy Buerger, Margaret  
Gahan, Michelle Gorrell, Georgia Harle,  
Carol Jalali, Regan Menconi, Bridget  
O'Grady, Fran Schlesinger, Jennifer  
Trezona, Deb Wieckiewicz

#### **Ranch View Elementary PLC Leadership Team**

Jeff Arndt, Michael Buckley, Jeanine  
Crockett, Marci Dill, Jamie Ferro, Robin  
Graefen, Julie Groves, Jessie Mougette,  
Dena Porter, Nancy Sheridan



#### **River Woods Elementary Leadership Team**

Colleen Blanco, Diane Cruz-Manrique,  
Mary Giuliani, Angela Matteson, Kristyn  
Moroz, Susan Orozco, Deb Rosso,  
Jacqueline Rouse, Kathy Rusnak, Leticia  
Saucedo, Stacey Siambekos, Sharon  
Wehrli

#### **Scott Elementary Home and School Executive Board**

Paige Butler, Amy Fewkes, Melissa  
Fosco, Paula Gabel

#### **Steeple Run Elementary PLC Leadership Team**

Cheryl Clark, Sara Dekmar, Vickie  
Derybowski, Alison Gray, Barb Krema,  
Robin Lipkowitz, Michelle Michalek,  
Meredith Mitchell, Diane Pece,  
Jennifer Reible, Jessica Schleimer, Shana  
Smith

#### **Washington Jr. High School PE Team**

Jeff Burke, Becky Chiappetta, Tami  
Engler, Jay Konrad



### Proud to be 203 Award

**Terry Jelinek**

### Rebecca Smith-Andoh Memorial Award

#### **Noel Anderson**

Art Teacher

Prairie Elementary

#### **Nicole Folsom**

Psychologist

Elmwood Elementary

#### **Angel Kalat**

Communication Arts

Naperville North High School

#### **Karen McKissick**

LRC Director

Scott Elementary

#### **Jennifer Noltan**

Social Worker

Lincoln Jr. High School

#### **Kate Shaw**

Fourth Grade Teacher

Highlands Elementary

#### **Katrina Waite**

Social Worker

Ann Reid Early Childhood Center

#### **Tracy Wilks**

Vision Itinerant

Riverwoods/Maplebrook Elementary

### Arlo Schilling First Year Teacher Award

#### **Kayla Berghoff**

First Grade Teacher

Scott Elementary

#### **Stephanie Charvat**

Jr. High Counselor

Madison Jr. High School

#### **Phoebe Connor**

Special Ed Vocational

Naperville North High School

#### **Katelyn Haack**

Fifth Grade Teacher

Elmwood Elementary

#### **Caitrin Jones**

Special Education Teacher

Naperville Central High School

#### **Shannon March**

Kindergarten Teacher

Naper Elementary

#### **Yusra Mohiuddin**

First Grade Teacher

Steeple Run Elementary

#### **Suzanne Reay**

Kindergarten Teacher

Kingsley Elementary



## District 203 Those Who Excel Nominee

### Classroom Teacher Nominees

#### Jean Abbott

*Early Childhood Teacher*

*Ann Reid Early Childhood Center*

#### Kim Blitek

*PE Teacher*

*Kingsley Elementary*

#### Carol Galen

*Fourth Grade Teacher*

*Prairie Elementary*

#### Kate Geraghty

*Learning Behavior Specialist*

*Lincoln Jr. High School*

#### John Hayward

*Communication Arts*

*Naperville Central High School*

#### Chuck Hoff

*Art Teacher*

*Mill Street Elementary*

#### Judi Kernkamp

*Third Grade Teacher*

*Highlands Elementary*

#### Mary Kirby

*Third Grade Teacher*

*Elmwood Elementary*

#### Robin Lipkowitz

*Learning Support Coach*

*Steeple Run Elementary*

#### Cindy McCabe

*Project Idea/Honors Math*

*Scott Elementary*

#### Laure Meath

*Third Grade Teacher*

*Ranch View Elementary*

#### Deborah Mitchler

*Learning Support Coach*

*Meadow Glens Elementary*

#### Kay Moore

*Instrumental Music*

*Beebe/Elmwood Elementary*

#### Katherine Papagiannis

*Mathematics*

*Naperville North High School*

#### Tracy Richards

*Learning Support Coach*

*Madison Jr. High School*

#### Melisa Serchuk

*First Grade Teacher*

*Maplebrook Elementary*

#### Pam Skarr

*Fifth Grade Teacher*

*Naper Elementary*

#### Jennifer Trannon

*Language Arts*

*Washington Jr. High School*

#### Marcy Troy

*Project Idea/Honors Math*

*Ellsworth Elementary*

#### Matt Wainwright

*Language Arts*

*Kennedy Jr. High School*

#### Veronica Zamora

*Dual Language*

*Jefferson Jr. High School*



### Team Nominees

#### Ann Reid Early Childhood Center Bilingual Team

Domenica Aguilera, Mary Gil-Villalobos, Paulina Jacobs, Maria Manosalvas, Roxana McCowin, Marcela Perez

#### Elmwood Elementary Problem Solving Team

Andria Baumgartner, Tara Bradbury, Lauri Cole, Debbie Czerak, Amy Duhig, Josh Falk, Nicole Folsom, Linda Griffin, Victoria Hegrans, Lora Nowicki, Lisa Polomsky, Lauren Rayborn, Erin Stablein, Meghan Suman, Lynn Vieni, Kimberly Wagner, Traci Welcker

#### Highlands Elementary Cafeteria Team

Marjeta Caca, Kevin Lackey, Ana McLaren

#### Jefferson Jr. High School PLC Leadership Team

Holly Bontkowski, Marian Ducommun, Joshua Louis, Stephen O'Malley, Liza Palubicki, Julie Petrovic, Kent Richardson, Mary Riordan, Trish Sniadecki, Amanda Sundstrom

#### Kennedy Jr. High School SFCP Cultural Diversity Celebration Planning Committee

Wendy Adcock, Ritu Ahuja, Nicci Booth, Dee Dauber, Sharon deWaard, Elaine Drikakis, Rachana Jain, Richa Jain, Daniela Kaleskova, Mary King, Jing Kong, Mary Mansfield, Bhamathy Parameswaran, Hetal Parekh, Reva Ramachandran, Aarthi Ramalingam, Cynthia Summers, Joanne Tsai, Romana Vaikutis, Brian Valek, Annerose Walz, Genevieve Zayed, Connie Zhang, Xiaoyi Zhang

#### Lincoln Jr. High School Office Team

Karen McGriff, Sherry Murray, Kendra Panek, Laurie Wilke

#### Madison Jr. High School Office Team

Tami Munroe, Kathy Schulte, Karen Spencer



#### Maplebrook Elementary SFCP Team

Bill Kostelny, Chris Lockhart, Michelle Vrlenich

#### Meadow Glens Elementary CSA Team

Noreen McMahon, Jen Minter

#### Mill Street Elementary Primary Autism Team

Melissa Buckles Haley, Kevin Downs, April Forst, Terry Giese, Jori Gonzalez, Brittany Hayes, Kristin Hill, Becky Horwath, Emily Keiner, Dolores Lago-Gonzalez, Chiou-Yueh Lay





### School Administrator/Principal Nominees

**Jacquie Discipio**

*Assistant Principal  
Washington Jr. High*

**Stephen Madden**

*Dean of Students  
Naperville North High School*

**Nick Micensky**

*School Principal  
Scott Elementary*

**Kaine Osburn**

*Deputy Superintendent  
Administrative Center*

**Mike Stock**

*Dean of Students  
Naperville Central High School*

**Tim Wierenga**

*Asst. of Assessment & Analytics  
Administrative Center*

### Student Support Personnel Nominees

**Kate Boyens**

*ELL  
Scott Elementary*

**Kathy Giordano**

*School Nurse  
Ann Reid Early Childhood Center*

**Sue Hubbard**

*Alt. Learning Opportunities Coordinator  
Naperville North High School*

**Patrice Kainrath**

*Speech/Language Therapist  
Naperville Central High School*

**Natasha Konrad**

*LRC Director  
Madison Jr. High School*

**Ryan Shambo**

*LRC Director  
Naper Elementary School*

**Caitlin Stanczak**

*Psychologist  
Jefferson Jr. High School*

**Kimberly Stemm**

*Social Worker  
Kingsley Elementary*

**Jennifer Thompson**

*Guidance Counselor  
Lincoln Jr. High School*

**Pat Webster**

*Social Worker  
Ranch View Elementary*



### Community/School Board Nominees

**Kacie Chitwood**

*Parent Volunteer  
Prairie Elementary*

**Jay Fisher**

*Parent Volunteer  
Kennedy Jr. High School*

**Kristin Fitzgerald**

*School Board Member/Parent Volunteer  
Jefferson Jr. High & Mill Street Elementary*

**Doris Gott**

*Hurrah Volunteer  
Scott Elementary*

**Andrea Grace**

*Parent Volunteer  
Mill Street Elementary*

**Lynn Hayes**

*Parent Volunteer  
Maplebrook Elementary*

**Heba Hussein**

*Parent Volunteer  
Ann Reid Early Childhood Center*

**Janel Jaeger-Connelly**

*Parent Volunteer  
Highlands Elementary*

**Hannah Koo**

*Parent Volunteer  
Meadow Glens Elementary*

**Kara Korosec**

*Parent Volunteer  
Naper Elementary*

**Amy Masterson**

*Parent Volunteer  
Ranch View Elementary*

**Katie Peterson-Reishus**

*Parent Volunteer  
Elmwood Elementary*

**Deneen Robert**

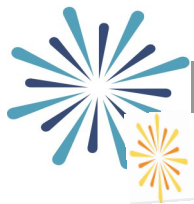
*Parent Volunteer  
Naperville North High School*

**Mariella Romano**

*Parent Volunteer  
Administrative Center*







### Educational Service Personnel Nominees

**Sam Biba**

*Custodian  
Washington Jr. High School*

**Lee Bruebach**

*Instructional Aide  
Kingsley Elementary*

**Antonio Cibils**

*Translator  
Jefferson Jr. High School*

**Elizabeth Dahlquist**

*Health Technician  
Naper Elementary*

**Karen Falconio**

*Health Technician  
Mill Street Elementary*

**Joe Garrison**

*LRC Assistant  
Prairie Elementary*

**Jane Heidemann**

*Instructional Aid  
Ellsworth Elementary*

**Sue Johnston**

*Instructional Aide  
Lincoln Jr. High School*

**Debbie Kromphardt**

*Instructional Aide  
Beebe Elementary*

**Diane Liesen**

*Instructional Aide  
Elmwood Elementary*

**Isabel Navarro**

*PFA Program Coordinator  
Ann Reid Early Childhood Center*

**Johnny Ramos**

*Custodian  
Scott Elementary*

**Rob Sommer**

*Resource Officer  
Kennedy Jr. High School*

**Betty Stevenson**

*Administrative Assistant  
Administrative Center*

**Dorota Waked**

*Instructional Aide  
Naperville North High School*

**Janet Walters**

*Instructional Aide  
River Woods Elementary*

**Cuauhtemoc Zarate**

*Custodian  
Naperville Central High School*



### Outstanding Early Career Educator Nominees

**Marie Bollinger**

*Second Grade Teacher  
Kingsley Elementary*

**Megan Carr**

*First Grade Teacher  
Prairie Elementary*

**Elise Farrelly**

*Language Arts/Science  
Jefferson Jr. High School*

**Carrie Mask**

*Fifth Grade Teacher  
River Woods Elementary*

**Rachel Ryan**

*Language Arts  
Madison Jr. High School*

**Michael Schweinberg**

*Fourth Grade Dual Language  
Mill Street Elementary*

**Erin Stablein**

*Learning Behavior Specialist  
Elmwood Elementary*

**Stephanie Strack-Hymen**

*Learning Behavior Specialist  
Naperville North High School*

**Lindsay Svien**

*Learning Behavior Specialist  
Scott Elementary*

**Samantha Szopinski**

*F.A.C.S.  
Naperville Central High School*

**Jennifer Walsh**

*ELL Teacher  
Ranch View Elementary*

