

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BONDUEL

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Bonduel Bears,

It is a proud day to be a Bonduel Bear. The past and the present are things to marvel at, while the future is a bright beacon of promise. History, tradition, pride, and great people have fueled the success of the School District of Bonduel. After all, how else could Bears thrive in the backyard of the Packers?

From an outsider's perspective, the future is bright. When you have good people, then everything for success is right here, right under your nose. Combined with a supportive community and a geographic location that allows a short drive to work and a feeling of living in the country, there is much reason for optimism, hope, and all things great.

I choose to view education through the lens of the greatest things that are yet to come. But we do have to work for it, and there is work to be done for sure. I challenge you to answer the question of how you view education and the world around you going forward. Do you see education for what it has been or for what it could be tomorrow? It is a goal of mine not just to further the education of our children, but to work to educate the community as well regarding what tomorrow could bring. It's about working together as a team for something that will be great long after we are all gone.

Most of you are already a part of a legacy whether you realize it or not, because you've contributed directly to the positives and survived any negatives. Our predecessors are great people and great leaders who have been a part of that journey with most of you. We know that those who experience success are a result of those around them. That already exists in Bonduel and it is my hope that by allowing a new member of the family to contribute, we will celebrate continued success together.

I bring a wealth of experience in a lot of areas that I believe will be instrumental to Bonduel moving forward. However, I also know that none of those experiences can hold a candle to the work being done on a daily basis in the district, the community, and the surrounding area. For those past, present, and future efforts which will help me to succeed, I am grateful.

There is one thing I've learned already in the very short period I've been on the job: Life is good. But it's just a little bit better in Bonduel. I hope you have had an outstanding and well-deserved summer. I also hope you'll join me in working together to usher in a renewed energy, enthusiasm, and vigor that helps us all rise above to the next level and create something awesome for those that will follow us after we are gone. It is, after all, what Bears do annually.

Yours in education,

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