

The Weekly Comet

From Dr. Tom Meyer, Superintendent of the Bellevue Community School District

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Upcoming Events, Early Dismissals, and "No School" Days

- May 21 - Last Day of School for Seniors; Awards Night
- May 24 - Last Day of School for the 23-24 School Year
- May 24 - Bellevue Elementary PAC School Carnival - 5:00-8:30 (see back side for more information)
- May 25 - Bellevue High School Graduation - 4:00 PM
- School Registration - August 5 & 6
- July 28-August 4 "Non-Contact" Period for Students and School Coaches, etc.
- August 23 - TENTATIVE 1st day of school for the 2024-2025 school year

New Superintendent for the Bellevue CSD - Mike Hilmer

As most people know, I am leaving the district at the end of June for a position as a Superintendent in the Clear Creek County Schools in Idaho Springs, Colorado. The new Superintendent for the Bellevue Community School District, starting July 1, 2024, will be Mike Hilmer. Mike has a variety of experiences in education, and will be an outstanding addition to the Bellevue CSD and the community of Bellevue with his passion for success and excellence.

Bellevue School Board Names Mike Hilmer Next District Superintendent

May 7, 2024

BELLEVUE, IA — The Bellevue Community School District School Board has named Mike Hilmer as the district's next superintendent.

Currently serving as the grades 7-12 activities director and physical education teacher, and head boys' basketball coach in the North Linn CSD, Hilmer brings a wealth of experience to his new role. Additionally, he is completing a superintendent internship with the district. In these roles, he has overseen all aspects of 7-12 athletics and fine arts programs, and he has led the district's facilities committee in strategic planning for future improvements.

Hilmer brings over 25 years of experience from North Linn, where he has demonstrated dedication and leadership. He holds a master's degree in PK-12 education administration from Grand Canyon University and is currently completing an advanced studies certificate in superintendency from the University of Northern Iowa. Prior to assuming his current roles, Hilmer served as a middle school social studies teacher in the Estherville Lincoln Central CSD.

"Our family is very grateful and excited to be joining the awesome team at Bellevue CSD," said Hilmer. "We really appreciate the opportunity and look forward to working with so many terrific people."

Board members worked with [Grundmeyer Leader Services](#) to conduct the search. Hilmer interviewed with interview groups consisting of students, parents, teachers, and community members on May 6, 2024.

Hilmer will officially begin leading the Bellevue Community School District on July 1, 2024.

Ag Equipment Day

Bellevue High School Ag Equipment students participated in FFA Day at the John Deere test farm in Bondurant last week for an outstanding day of learning.





Bellevue Elementary PAC

3RD ANNUAL

CARNIVAL



FRIDAY MAY 24th

5:00 PM UNTIL 8:30 PM

BELLEVUE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
PLAYGROUND, LUNCHROOM & GYM

\$10/BRACELET PER CHILD

BRACELETS ALLOW KIDS TO GO
ON INFLATABLES AND PLAY ALL
GAMES TO WIN TICKETS TO
REIMBURSE FOR PRIZES!

**GAMES PRIZES PETTING ZOO FOOD TRUCKS INFLATABLES
FACE PAINTING VENDORS LEMONADE COTTON CANDY MAGICIAN
HAIR CHALK/TINSEL COTTON CANDY BOGO BOOKFAIR BOOK BINGO**

**BRING CASH FOR BRACELETS,
FOOD TRUCKS, BOGO BOOKFAIR
& VENDOR BOOTHS**

**WANT FREE BRACELETS FOR YOUR KIDS?
VOLUNTEER 1 SHIFT AT THE CARNIVAL!!**

CONTACT KRISTENA MCDONALD FOR QUESTIONS &
VOLUNTEER SIGNUP
563-599-6588

**ALL BRACELET PROCEEDS GO TO THE
BELLEVUE ELEMENTARY PAC, BUT THE
CARNIVAL IS OPEN TO ALL ELEMENTRAY
FAMILIES IN THE BELLEVUE COMMUNITY.**

HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE FOR A FUN NIGHT