



Taylor Road Elementary Newsletter

Welcome Back to Taylor Road!
2016-2017 is going to be a GREAT year!



September 2016



Mr. Miller's Message....

Dear Taylor Road Families –

What a quick summer! Another year at Taylor Road Elementary is off to a fantastic start! Although we returned to school earlier than we ever have before, I'm proud to say that our students jumped right back into their terrific Tornado ways of enthusiastic learning and exceptional behavior... even when our air conditioning system decided to go back on summer vacation for a few days! The staff and I really appreciate students' patience and perseverance while we experienced life in a rainforest here at Taylor Road. I'm sure it won't be long until we miss those hot days!

If you're reading this, I thank you for visiting the school's website and ask that you continue to do so as often as possible. The website is a great resource for district and school information and updates – not to mention some pictures when our camera's in the right place at the right time. A reminder that we have significantly changed our security and arrival/dismissal procedures – so please make sure to check out that information on the website if you haven't done so already. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me. Thanks for all you do to make Taylor Road terrific!

Jeremy Miller, TRE Principal

Coming up this month...

- Sept. 2** Yankee Candle fundraiser kickoff (Get 'em while they're hot!)
- Sept. 5** No School – have a safe holiday weekend!
- Sept. 7** Buffalo Wild Wings Family Night 5pm – 7pm
- Sept. 12** PTO Meeting – 7pm
3rd grade Reading Guarantee mtg. (Immediately after PTO)
- Sept. 14** Watch D.O.G.S. Kickoff 6:30pm at TRE
- Sept. 19** Yankee Candle orders are due
- Sept. 21** McDonald's Family Night 5pm-7pm

Congratulations August STUDENTS of the MONTH

You have shown awesome Acceptance!

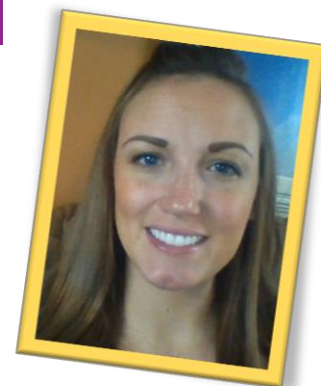
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Ethan S.	Mariame D.	Kourtney C.	Dominic D.	Liam S.
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			Michael G.	



Taylor Road Elementary welcomes our new family members:

Ms. Catherine Cromer

My name is Catherine Cromer, I'm a K-4 intervention specialist at Taylor Road. Prior to teaching, I spent time as a nanny for four young children, two of which had special needs; this fostered my desire to teach children with special needs. I also spent time as a flight attendant which was an exciting and convenient way to travel and see the world! I love spending time with my family, I have 2 young children and we enjoy being outside as much as we can. I'm looking forward to a great year at Taylor Road Elementary!



Ms. Amy Hoffmannbeck

Hi There! I'm Amy, and I love being a school speech-language pathologist! Having the opportunity to work with so many students with wide ranges in age and interests, along with a caring and talented staff, is what makes it so great! This is my fourth year in Reynoldsburg, but my first year at Taylor Road. Previously, I was at WRMS, WRJH, and RHS-LAC. I grew up in Worthington, Ohio and attended The Ohio State University for my B.A. in Speech and Hearing Science and my M.A. in Speech-Language Pathology. I am married to my high school sweetheart and we have one "fur-baby," our five year old spaniel mix named Trigg. I like Buckeye football, camping, Fall, Halloween, Christmas, a good book, and fun crafting! I'm excited to be a Tornado and look forward to a great year!



Ms. Jennifer Jacobsen

Hello! I am so excited to be here at TRE this year! My name is Mrs. Jacobsen and I am the 4th grade Intervention Specialist working with children with IEPs. This is my 11th year teaching. I graduated from Ohio Northern University in 1997 with my bachelors in Elementary Education, Reading Specialties, and Special Education. In 2002 I received my masters of reading from OSU. Right out of college I taught for 8 ½ years and then was a stay at home mom for 9 years before returning to teaching 2 years ago. My awesome husband and I have two fantastic boys, ages 10 and 9 who keep us very busy with different activities. In my spare time I enjoy reading, traveling, being with my family and redecorating my home.



Ms. Marisa Sloan

Hello, my name is Ms. Sloan and I am excited to be joining the Taylor Road and Reynoldsburg community this year! I am teaching 4th grade Math this school year. I am originally from Canton, Ohio and the majority of my family still lives there. I graduated from The Ohio State University with my Bachelor's and Master's in Middle Childhood Education (grades 4-9) with focuses in math and science. The school year is already off to a great start in my classroom and I am looking forward to what's ahead at Taylor Road!

Ms. Amber Willeman

I am very excited to be a part of the Taylor Road community! My name is Amber Willeman and I am the new kindergarten teacher here at Taylor Road. I am from a little town in northwest Ohio called Napoleon. Recently, I received my Early Childhood Education degree from Ohio Dominican University, where I also ran Cross Country and Track. I had the opportunity to student-teach at Taylor Road, where I enjoyed my experience and felt welcomed by the staff and students! Now I am really excited to be a part of the wonderful staff here! I really enjoy helping students grow a passion for learning. I look forward to a wonderful year!



Ms. Allyson Zollars

My name is Allyson Zollars and I teach second grade here at Taylor Road Elementary. I recently graduated with Bachelors from Ashland University. This is my first teaching job and I am excited to be here with such a welcoming staff. Outside of school, I enjoy my time with my 18 month old daughter, Adrienn. She is so full of life and always on the go. I am excited to see what this year has in store for me here at Taylor Road and it will be a pleasure to meet and get to know all of you.

