# Office of the Superintendent

June 18, 2021

Dear PVSD Staff and Community,

It has been my honor and privilege to join the team this week as your Superintendent of Schools. Everyone has been so welcoming, kind, and gracious. It was wonderful to attend so many promotions and celebrations. I had the pleasure of meeting some of our students, staff, and families. I heard as a theme how much folks love PVSD for the people: the students, the teachers, the staff, and the families. So many on our team have been in PVSD since childhood-what a beautiful community.

I know that this year has been like no other. We thank you all for going above and beyond each day to meet the needs of our students as we strive towards "Excellence for All." It is clear that the demands have been taxing on everyone, and we hope that summer provides some needed rest, relaxation, and time with friends and family. I am very grateful that we expect a much more typical school for 21-22.

Thank you to the Board of Trustees and the entire PVSD community for the trust you have placed in me. I could not be more honored to serve Pleasant Valley.

This will be our final Friday Community Communication of the 2021-2022 school year. Look for us to return to scheduled messages the week of August 6. We will be sure to reach out if needed over summer and please do follow us on Facebook and Twitter for more information.

Wishing you a wonderful summer and cannot wait to make your acquaintance in August.

### Enrollment for 21-22 School Year

The school year may have ended for students, but staff is busy preparing for the 2021-2022 school year. If you have a student you need to enroll, go to our website, and choose the About Us tab. Then click on the Enrollment button. When you are on the Enrollment page, you will want to click the Pre- Enrollment button at the bottom of the page. Once you have completed the pre-enrollment, you will need to make an appointment to finalize the enrollment. School offices will be open for enrollment until June 25. After June 25, please call the Enrollment Office at (805) 389-2100 X1109 or email <a href="mayequez@pleasantvalleysd.org">mwazquez@pleasantvalleysd.org</a> for any enrollment questions. You can also call that number to make an appointment to finalize the enrollment process. School offices will reopen August 5.



Toward the end of July, watch for an announcement about Re-Enrollment. All students must do the "re-enrollment" process which is updating the student's information (including any new emergency contacts or new health issues), signing off on different yearly forms (i.e. the Chromebook agreement), and reading the updated school handbooks and district policies. Middle school students must have that process completed in order to participate in their Back to School Orientations in August.

### Summer Enrichment Website

PVSD has developed a webpage to provide information and activities for summer enrichment activities. The site contains links to various resources. Click here to view.

## **Board Highlights**

Last night the Board voted took action on the following items of interest as well as other agenda items found <u>here</u>. We appreciate their dedication to serving PVSD.

### Special Education Director

By unanimous vote, the Board appointed Katie Burchell as our new Director of Special Education. Director Burchell brings a wealth of experience supporting all students, with an expertise in serving students with special needs. We are thankful to have her in this leadership role.

#### Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) and District Budget

The Board approved both our LCAP and District Budget for the 2021-2022 school year. Thank you to staff who worked tirelessly to gather input from our educational community and to keep all informed in the process. We are proud to be able to expand and add services to our students, especially those who need additional support.

### Ninety Day Entry Plan

The Board reviewed and provided input to my Ninety Day Entry Plan. Click here to view.



