

Sandridge School District 172 Board of Education Seeks Public Input on Sandridge Principal Search

Lynwood, Illinois... The Sandridge School District 172 Board of Education is seeking input from the local community as the district continues its search for the right person to serve as the principal of Sandridge School.

In order for concerned parents and district residents to offer their input and share their thoughts with the school district's leadership on this important personnel decision, the Sandridge 172 school board, in conjunction with the Superintendent's Office, will host a public forum for this position.

The principal forum will be held on Thursday, December 13th at Sandridge School (2950 Glenwood Dyer Rd, Lynwood IL) in the school's library. All parents, residents and stakeholders in the Sandridge School District 172 are invited and encouraged to attend.

Sandridge Principal Cindy Sowles is stepping down after serving eight years with the District as teacher and Principal.

"Our goal is to identify someone who is highly qualified, highly motivated, and a good fit for the Sandridge community," said Board President Roger H. Sons. "To do that, we believe it is important to hear from Sandridge community members as to the qualities, talents, and leadership style they desire for their school and, thus, from their next principal."

"We are fortunate to have members of our community who are very passionate about our schools. We value their input and ideas as we seek to live up to their expectations and fulfill our mission to provide all students with the opportunity to grow in knowledge and understanding, socially and ethically, in order to become life-long learners and responsible citizens in a complex and changing society" added Sons.

In addition to the public forum, the Board of Education will post on the homepage of the district's website: <http://www.sandridgesd172.org/>, an online survey to further gather public opinion from the Sandridge community on the principal search efforts, as well as to accommodate anyone unable to attend the public forums. This survey will be available beginning Saturday, December 15th.

The Sandridge School Board of Education is composed of Board President Roger H. Sons, Vice President Jason Dykema, Secretary Janet Jackson, and Board Members Heidi Rogan, Win Walker, Jerry Walstra, and Kim Grivakas.

Sandridge Principal Search Public Forum

Date: Thursday, December 13, 2018

Time: 7:00pm

Location: School Library, Sandridge School, 2950 Glenwood Dyer Rd