



**Palestine ISD Board of Trustees appoints two new board members**

Jeffrey Schwab and Daniel Tatum were appointed to serve as board members at the August school board meeting by the PISD Board of Trustees. Both Jeffrey and Daniel attended Palestine ISD schools, and are PHS graduates.

Jeffrey Schwab will serve in Place 3, and will complete the term of Dana Staples, and Daniel Tatum will serve in Place 4, completing the term of Rickey Ferguson.

Thank you to Dana and Rickey for their years of service on the board, and for their support & inspiration to the students and staff of Palestine ISD and the Palestine community.

The Palestine ISD Board of Trustees is pleased to welcome Mr. Schwab and Mr. Tatum to the Board.

**BACK TO SCHOOL**



**Wildcat Weekly**

*from the Superintendent: Jason Marshall*

Welcome back everyone as we begin the 2015-16 school year!

As principals, teachers, and support staff all welcomed students and parents this first week of school; Central Office administrators and I enjoyed visiting the campuses and handing out pens to teachers. From our youngest students to our seniors, it was great to see their smiling faces and to see them already following procedures and ready to go.

Campuses did an exceptional job this first week of ensuring safety as students were being dropped off and picked up before and after school.

The district is pleased with the first week's student enrollment of 3,337, which is almost equal to the highest enrollment reached in 2014-15. Even though enrollment is good, we still need to be diligent in locating all students in our community who need to be in school.



**Ladycat Volleyball Team**

Congratulations to the Varsity Ladycat Volleyball team and Coach Kymberly Chapa! The Ladycats placed first in the Eustace Volleyball Tournament bringing home the Championship Trophy in the Bronze Division. What a great start to the season, and we look forward to more great news from the Ladycats!

Tonight, the Wildcat Football team will travel to Van for their season opener that will begin at 7:30 pm. Be safe and good luck to the players, band, cheerleaders, and drill team.

Today's edition of Wildcat Weekly is an abbreviated version of the usual weekly newsletter. Next week's edition will include highlights from all around the district.

Thank you to everyone for your efforts to make the first week a good one for Palestine ISD students, both in the classroom and out. I am excited to see what PISD will accomplish in 2015-16, and hope everyone has a great weekend.

Go Wildcats!

