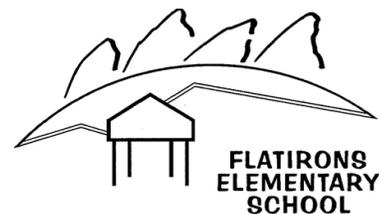


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Scott Boesel
Principal

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Dear Flatirons Families,

It is hard to believe we have closed the books on another school year at Flatirons. I have enjoyed talking to many of you during our annual end of year events. The last couple weeks have been a time of celebration for our outgoing fifth grade students and all of our returning students moving to the next grade level. The end of the year also signals a time of change for our staff as we say goodbye to some and hello to others. I wanted to let you know of some of the changes we have in store for next fall.

Kindergarten and Kindergarten Enrichment: Becky Spear will be returning to Kindergarten and teaching with Julie Oatman in Kindergarten Enrichment.

First and Second Grade: Due to decreased enrollment numbers we will have two first grades and two second grades in the morning, and these four classes will blend into three first/second grade learning communities in the afternoon. Trish De Fries will be teaching one of the morning first grade classes and we are hiring for the other first grade position. Katie Gallagher and Jamie Roth will be teaching the second grade classes in the morning. Trish, Katie and Jamie will teach the three first/second grade learning communities in the afternoon. Please see my letter that was sent on May 13th for more information.

Third Grade: Ines Rutkovskis will be teaching third grade with Stephanie Crawford. Ines has taught intermediate students for many years and is looking forward to working with Stephanie. They have already begun planning for the new year.

Fourth Grade: Sarah Mattison will be teaching fourth grade with Tim Godby. Sarah taught fourth grade at both Heatherwood Elementary and Bear Creek before coming to Flatirons. She is looking forward to working with fourth graders again and has spent time this spring with Tim making plans. Mr. Carlson will be teaching fourth grade at Crestview Elementary.

Fifth Grade: Cheryl Spear and Mike Strife will again be teaching fifth grade. I look forward to another great year.

Music, PE and Art: Ms. Osburn, Ms. Duggan (Tillotson) and Ms. Hazzard will again teach our specials.

Special Education: I am excited to announce the hiring of Allyson Zidell (a new “Ms. Z”) and Maryann Mugerian as our new Resource teachers. Allyson will be our full-time teacher and Maryann will be half-time. They have already been in the building and will continue to meet with Danielle Zielbauer to talk about kids. Danielle and Marina have taken positions in other districts for the coming year.

The end of the school year always brings change for the coming year. This year is no different. The one thing that will not change for next year is there will be great teachers and staff in the building working hard to provide an excellent school year for every student.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Boesel', written in a cursive style.

Scott Boesel, Principal