

PENN MANOR SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Staff Members, Students, Parents/Guardians:

Penn Manor School District is seeking nominations for two awards, the Outstanding Employee Award and the Outstanding Educators Award, which are presented yearly. Nominations are requested from parents/guardians, students and school employees of Penn Manor School District who recognize an employee's influence through relationships, exceptional service to the school community and his/her commitment to the quality of our educational programs. All nominees must be an employee of the district during the 2016-2017 school year. We are accepting letters of recommendation until Friday, February 24, 2017.

The Outstanding Employee Award will be presented up to two support staff employees. The Outstanding Educator Award will be presented to two teachers, - one elementary and one secondary teacher. Individuals are encouraged to recommend someone they believe has made an impact on the students, parents, or employees in the Penn Manor School District.

Letters of recommendation should include a description of:

- 1) The personal attributes that make this individual an outstanding nominee for this award.
- 2) A brief description of how the nominee has inspired students academically and socially.
- 3) Examples of ways the nominee has promoted the educational programs, supported school functions, and/or participated in our school community.

All nomination letters should include the name of the person who provided the nomination. Letters may be submitted to any Penn Manor building principal or mailed to:

Attention: Outstanding Employee Award Committee or Outstanding Educator Award Committee Administrative Offices Penn Manor School District P.O. Box 1001 Millersville, PA 17551-0301

Each staff member or teacher will be notified of his/her nomination, but the name of the person nominating them will remain anonymous. They will not receive a copy of the nomination. However, if you would prefer that the nominee be aware of your action on their behalf, you may wish to write them a personal note or a copy of your letter. Final selections for these awards will be made by the Outstanding Employee Award Committee and Outstanding Educator Award Committee, which is composed of District Administrators and School Board Members. Names of award winners will be made public in April.

Congratulations again to last year's award winners!

Outstanding Employee Award:

Margaret A. Murr

Hambright Elementary School

Anne A. Butterfield

Penn Manor High School

Outstanding Educator Award: Sherlyn S. Wolf Hambright Elementary School

Jeremy M Nesmith

Penn Manor High School

Thank you for your continued support for the awards and consideration of individuals who make a contribution to our school community.

Jerry Egan, Ed.D., Co/Chairperson The Outstanding Employee Committee

Cheryl(A. Shaffer, Ed.Dl, Go-Chairperson

The Outstanding Employee Committee