



New Milford Public Schools
50 East Street
New Milford, CT 06776
860-355-8406
www.newmilfordps.org



New Milford High School
860-350-6647

Mr. Greg Shugrue, Principal
Mrs. Liz Curtis, Ass't. Principal
Mrs. Linda Scoralick, Ass't. Principal
Mr. Eric Williams, Ass't. Principal



Schaghticoke Middle School
860-354-2204

Dr. Christopher Longo, Principal
Mrs. Kerri Adakonis, Ass't. Principal
Mrs. Jennifer Chmielewski, Ass't. Principal
Mrs. Barbara Nanassy, Ass't. Principal
Dr. Len Tomasello, Transition Admin.



Sarah Noble Intermediate School
860-210-4020

Mrs. Anne Bilko, Principal
Mrs. Emily Gervasio, Ass't. Principal
Mrs. Jennifer Hankla, Ass't. Principal
Mrs. Jennifer Meyers, Ass't. Principal



Hill & Plain Elementary School
860-354-5430

Mrs. Paula Kelleher, Principal
Mrs. Jennifer Hankla, Ass't. Principal



Northville Elementary School
860-355-3713

Mrs. Susan Murray, Principal
Mrs. Barbara Nanassy, Ass't. Principal

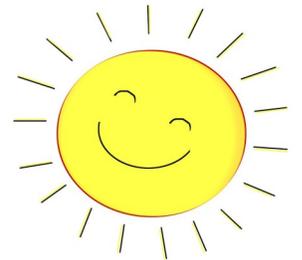
Spotlight on New Milford Schools

Volume 7, Issue 1

July 2016

Summer Blogs Encourage Continued Learning

Summer is the perfect time for students of all ages to relax and we hope our New Milford Public Schools' students find plenty of time this summer to do just that with family and friends. Whether it's at the beach, at camp, or in their own backyard, summer provides students with an opportunity to kick back and just have fun.



Summer is also a time when learning loss can occur. This learning loss is called the "summer slide," and happens when children do not engage in educational activities during the summer months. The good news is that the summer slide is preventable and the New Milford Public Schools' instructional coaches want to help! The coaches have built learning blogs for our kindergarten through eighth grade students and their families which allow them to have access to content and information all summer long, at a pace and time that work for their families. In doing so, the hope is to help our students avoid that troubling dip that comes with two months without school.



Blogs can be accessed from both the [district](#) and individual school websites. Once there, parents and students will find resources on a variety of topics including math and science.

One of the most effective ways to prevent summer learning loss is by reading over the summer. Encourage your students to read every day, and not only can the summer slide be prevented, but students can actually make gains. To help with that endeavor, the blog sites include a link to the [New Milford Public Library](#) and links to sites that offer free books.



New Milford Public Schools

50 East Street
New Milford, CT 06776
860-355-8406

Mr. Joshua Smith
Superintendent

Ms. Alisha DiCorpo
Assistant Superintendent

Ms. Ellamae Baldelli
Human Resources Director

Mr. Kevin Munrett
Facilities Manager

Mr. Anthony Giovannone
Fiscal Services & Operations
Director

Mrs. Laura Olson
Pupil Personnel & Special Services
Director

Ms. Roberta Pratt
Technology Director

Mrs. Sandra Sullivan
Food Services Director

Board of Education

Mr. David A. Lawson
Chairperson

Mr. Bill Dahl
Vice Chairperson

Mrs. Wendy Faulenbach
Secretary

Mrs. Tammy McInerney
Assistant Secretary

Mrs. Angela C. Chastain

Mr. Robert Coppola

Mr. Dave Littlefield

Mr. Brian McCauley

Mr. J.T. Schemm

NMPS' New Assistant Superintendent



Ms. Alisha DiCorpo has been named Assistant Superintendent of New Milford Public Schools. Ms. DiCorpo comes to New Milford from the Thomaston Public Schools where she had served as Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment since 2014. Previously, Ms. DiCorpo was Assistant Principal at Black Rock Elementary School in Thomaston from 2010-2012. In 2012, she was promoted to Principal at the school.

Prior to working in Thomaston, Ms. DiCorpo was the District Professional Development Coordinator for Watertown Public Schools. She has also spent time in the classroom as a fourth and fifth grade teacher.

Ms. DiCorpo's educational background includes a Bachelor of Science degree in Education and a Master of Science degree in Educational Leadership, both from Central CT State University. She holds her sixth year degree and certification in Educational Leadership from Southern CT State University.

Ms. DiCorpo says "I am honored and privileged to have been chosen to work collaboratively with an exceptional team of educators to improve outcomes for all students in New Milford. I look forward to working with the Board of Education, administrators, educators, staff, students, families and community members to enhance educational opportunities and to prepare all students with the requisite skills and knowledge needed to compete in our global society."

W
e
l
c
o
m
e

The mission of the New Milford Public Schools, a collaborative partnership of students, educators, family and community, is to prepare each and every student to compete and excel in an ever-changing world, embrace challenges with vigor, respect and appreciate the worth of every human being, and contribute to society by providing effective instruction and dynamic curriculum, offering a wide range of valuable experiences, and inspiring students to pursue their dreams and aspirations.