



# Indian Pride

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## Minooka Intermediate School Newsletter

### 1:1 Technology at MIS

The 1:1 program with Chromebooks is successfully underway. The teachers and students are excited for the increased availability of technology in the classroom which is allowing for greater differentiation.

Teachers are able to provide immediate feedback to students through Google Docs and Google Slides. These programs update live and allow multiple students to collaborate on projects at the same time. Also while using Google programs students learn to provide constructive feedback through the peer editing process.

Teachers are also using a wide variety of online resources to differentiate in their classrooms through the use of the following programs... and many more:

**Khan Academy:** a set of online tools that help educate students through short lessons in the form of videos. It also includes supplementary practice exercises and materials for educators.

**Learning Ally:** helps struggling readers through audio books and support services for educators, parents and students.

**Read Theory:** a fun, interactive educational tool for reading to use in school or at home.

**Freckle:** helps K-12 teachers differentiate instruction and reach every student at their own level across Math, ELA, Social Studies and Science.

**Zearn:** a nonprofit curriculum publisher and software developer on a mission to ensure all children love learning math.

**We can't wait to see what other creative ways teachers and students are going to utilize this new technology!**

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### September Events

9/17/19– PTO Meeting 5:30 PM

9/19/19– Band Parent Meeting  
6:00-6:30 PM

9/20/19– 5th Grade Dance 2:30-  
4:00 PM

9/27/19– 5 Hour Day: Dismissal  
around 12:30 PM

### October Events

10/14/19– Columbus Day: No  
School

10/18/19– End of Quarter 1

10/22/19– Picture Retakes

10/24/19– Fall Fest 5:30-7:00 PM

10/31/19– 5 Hour Day: Dismissal  
around 12:30 PM





# PRIDE ARROW WINNERS



September 9th-13th

## 5th Grade Winners

Bojan Ferreira

Tyler Firlit

Adam Frazier

Aubrey Phad

Lilian Russell

## 6th Grade Winners

Carter Gallup

Elie Rodriguez

Faith Walker



## September Students of the Month

### Congratulations:

Katie Bautista

(6 White Team)

Addison Davis

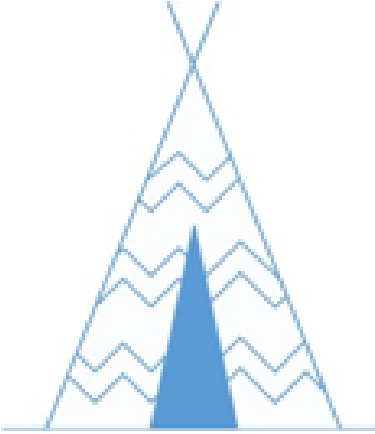
(6 Red Team)

Alexander Foster

(6 Blue Team)

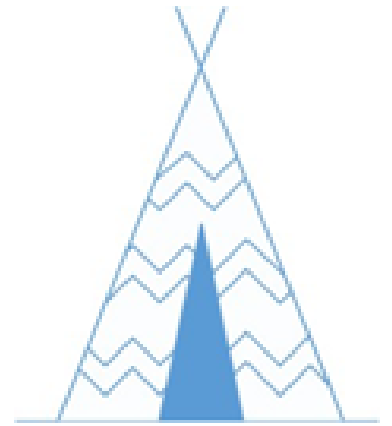


# Staff Celebrations



**Has a staff member at MIS done something extra for your or your child and you would like to recognize them?**

**Please go to the Minooka Intermediate School website and click on “About” at the top and then click “Staff Nominations” to nominate them today!**



**Congratulations to our staff who were nominated for “Staff Celebrations!” Fabulous job!**

*Mrs. Raczykowski*



*Mrs. Wolcott*

# ***MIS SPORTS PAGE!***

\*Note: Sporting events are subject to change and weather cancellations.  
For an up to date sports schedule visit: [min201.org/departments/athletics](http://min201.org/departments/athletics)



## **Upcoming Sporting Events:**

### **Boys Soccer B Games**

9/16/19, 4:30 PM @ Brooks

9/17/19, 4:30 PM @ Channahon

### **Cross Country Meets**

9/21/19, 9:00 AM @ Troy Cronin (Troy Invitational)

9/27/19, TBD @ Dunlap

## **Awards Night**

Awards will only be given to athletes that are present at the ceremony.

Boys Baseball, Boys Soccer, Girls Softball and Cross Country awards are on October 23rd at 6:30 PM.