

## Join Us in Celebrating Iowa's School Board Members This May

May is **School Board Recognition Month**, a time to honor the dedicated individuals who serve as a **Guiding Light for Student Success** in Iowa's public schools. Sponsored by the Iowa Association of School Boards (IASB), this month-long celebration recognizes the vital role school board members play in shaping education and supporting students.

The United Community School District is proud to celebrate the hard work and leadership of our school board members. In partnership with families, educators, and the community, they ensure our schools provide high-quality education and opportunities for every student.

"School board members make a profound impact on students' lives by setting the vision and direction for our district," said Superintendent Heather Holm. "They dedicate countless hours to meetings, policy development, community engagement, and advocacy—all with the goal of ensuring students have the resources and support they need to succeed."

The United Community school board plays a critical role in overseeing the budget, establishing policies, fostering a positive school culture, and making decisions that affect the entire community. Each year, board members reaffirm their commitment to guiding our schools forward—developing the next generation of teachers, doctors, business leaders, and even future school board members.

"Our board keeps the district focused on: **Student Learning** - Ensuring high achievement and unique learning opportunities for each and every United student; **School District Culture** - Maintain a positive and high-quality school district environment that attracts and retains students, staff and families for year to come; **Resource Management** - Handle all district funds equitably, efficiently, transparently, and responsibly in order to provide students with high-quality learning experiences.

To show our appreciation, the United Community School District will recognize our board members at the regular monthly meeting on **Thursday, May 8, at 6:00 p.m.** We invite staff, parents, and community members to join us in celebrating their contributions.

### Meet Our School Board Members

The following individuals serve on the United Community school board:

- **Brenda Stanley, President**
- **Lori Weyhrich, Vice President**
- **Jon Davis, Board Member**
- **Mike Lynch, Board Member**
- **Kathy Toms, Board Member**

We encourage everyone to take a moment to thank our board members for their dedication.

**#CelebrateIASchoolBoards**