

# WHITEHALL DISTRICT SCHOOLS

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Dear Whitehall Families,

Yesterday was an incredible day for Whitehall District Schools. Our entire staff came together at the High School for our back-to-school professional development day, where we welcomed new staff members and celebrated years-of-service milestones for our dedicated team.

Afterward, staff broke into small groups for our 2nd annual Viking Road Trip. Together, we delivered t-shirts to our newest Vikings—the Class of 2038. The smiles on the faces of our kindergarteners were priceless, and it was inspiring to see their excitement as they begin their journey in Whitehall Schools.

In addition to welcoming students, our staff also visited many of our local businesses to thank them for their ongoing support and to invite them to our Community Night on Friday, September 5, at the home football game.

The purpose of this annual tradition is not only to welcome our newest Vikings but also to strengthen the positive relationships that make Whitehall such a special place. We know that when our schools, families, and community work together as one team, we can provide the very best educational experience for every student.

We are excited to share a video from yesterday's event and look forward to another great school year ahead.

[2nd Annual Viking Road Trip Highlight Video](#)

Go Vikings!

CJ Van Wieren  
Superintendent  
Whitehall District Schools