



Naming of Facilities, Memorials, and Hall of Honor

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Themes from Research

- Naming of Facilities
 - Outlining categories/areas/criteria of recognition
 - Recognition of significant financial donations
 - Longevity and/or Separation Guidelines
- Naming Process
 - Requirement of Board & Superintendent Approval
 - Inclusive Committee
 - Board, Administration, Community
 - Length of naming

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- Memorials: Process
 - Should have easily understood criteria and cost
 - Provide consistency in implementation
 - Benefit to current students and the school
- Aesthetics & Durability
 - Typically benches or trees
 - Style, type, and placement determined by administration
 - Donation should include cost for purchase, installation, and initial maintenance
 - Donation should also include contribution to scholarships and/or student assistance accounts

Hall of Honor

- New Building → New Requests
- Expansion of ways to honor contributors to the school community
- Alternative to Naming Facilities

The Plan:

- Replace the former “Athletic Hall of Fame” with the “New Fairfield High School Rebels Hall of Honor”
 - Inclusive of Athletics, Performing Arts, Distinguished Alumni, and Community Contributions
- Standardizes practices, addresses questions from the past