

**Recognition
Board of Trustee Meeting
December 15, 2019**

State Honors – Cross Country

Denton High School

The Denton High Boys Cross Country team finished third at the UIL State Cross Country Meet at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock. It is believed that this is the highest finish posted by a Boys Cross Country Team from Denton High in the school's history.

The Broncos finished with a team score of 131 with five runners finishing in the Top 45 of the state's elite runners.

The team was also the District 6-5A Runner-Up and the Region 1-5A Runner-Up leading up to their historic finish at State.

The team's individual finishes at the state meet included:

Wyatt Athey	10 th
Drew McLaughlin	11 th
Matthew Norton	11 th
Carlos Woods	11 th
Jorge Sanchez	12 th
Jake Meyering	10 th
Ryan Kennedy	10 th
Lane Regan	11 th

The Denton High Boys Cross Country Team is coached by Mike Tidwell, Brock Simmons and Yvette Bravo.

Guyer High School

Guyer High's Brynn Brown, senior, posted a new course and state record of 16:25.89 in running 5K to win her first UIL Class 6A State Cross Country title at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock in November.

The Guyer High School Girls Cross Country Coach is Jonathan Ponsonby.

Board Spotlight

Mark Kiraly, Ryan High School, teaches AP Calculus each day to our local students. He also teaches students across the nation through his affiliation with AP Daily and The College Board. During this time when teaching students both face-to-face and via ConnectedLearning, Mr. Kiraly has not only mastered his subject area, he stands as an example of how to offer the highest quality of instruction via dual platforms.

To highlight his work with students both locally and through out the nation, we are proud to feature him in this month's Board Spotlight.

Vernon Reeves is the principal of Ryan High School.

Denton ISD Student Resource Officers

Our district is fortunate to partner with six law enforcement agencies in our community to provide our students and staff direct access to officers during the course of a school day. The following men and women provide a link that not only boosts the safety of our school buildings but the community at large. Their presence and ability to build relationships helps to prevent and assist many during challenging times.

Braswell High School

Little Elm Police Department

Rachel St. Pe

Russ Hall

Denton High School

Denton Police Department

Kris Johnson

Brian Langford

Guyer High School

Denton Police Department

Rick Howell

Patrick Black

Ryan High School

Denton Police Department

Marc Hodges

Cherlynn Hurd

Calhoun Middle School

Denton Police Department

Katie Johnson

Crownover Middle School

Corinth Police Department

Toby Sims

Harpool Middle School

Denton County Sherriff's Office

James Korak

McMath Middle School

Denton Police Department

Trevor Todd

Myers Middle School

Corinth Police Department
Bill Soye

Navo Middle School
Little Elm Police Department
David Salomon

Rodriguez Middle School
Oak Point Police Department
Crystal Harding

Strickland Middle School
Denton Police Department
Keith Adams

Bell Elementary
Little Elm Police Department
James Conley

Paloma Creek Elementary
Little Elm Police Department
Marc Childress

Savannah Elementary
Fresh Water District
Eric Olson

Denton ISD's Coordinator of SROs is Lt. David Mays, Denton Police Department.