

Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School

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The Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School staff and students are thrilled to recognize **Natalie Buys** as our **Volunteer of the Month** for her incredible dedication and leadership as the head of our parent group!

In this role, Natalie has gone above and beyond. One of her many strengths is organizing and leading our monthly parent meetings with well-structured agendas, ensuring they are both efficient and effective in supporting our staff and students.

Natalie also plays a key role in coordinating volunteers for school dances, fundraisers, and other important events—often stepping in as a volunteer herself. Under her guidance, the parent group organizes staff dinners on conference days, providing much-needed support and appreciation for our hardworking teachers.

Thanks to Natalie's leadership, our fundraising efforts have flourished, including successful events such as car washes, the Tillamook PUD truck wash, selling concessions at home games and meets, and our annual Penny Wars. This year alone, the parent group has raised nearly **\$5,000**, directly benefiting our teachers and students.

We are incredibly grateful for Natalie's time, energy, and commitment to our school. Her dedication and passion help create a stronger, more connected school community.

Thank you, Natalie, for all that you do!

Sincerely,

Lori Dilbeck, Principal

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