Welcome to Duke Pride with Dr. Mike! We hope that the information provided will keep everyone informed about what is going on in the Marlington Local School District. We ask that if anyone has any student and/or staff achievements that deserve to be highlighted, please email information to Lea Packey at l_packey@marlingtonlocal.org.

- **Congratulations** to senior **Mary Mason** who was recognized as The Alliance Review Athlete of the Week in basketball! Awesome Job Mary!

- **Congratulations** to our Decembers Students of the Month who were recently honored at our December 3rd board meeting:
  
  **High School Elk Teenagers of the Month:**
  - Trent Garner, son of Tim Garner
  - Kyleigh Muniz, daughter of Mike Muniz & Joy Muniz

  **Middle School Students of the Month:**
  - Mary Hottinger, daughter of Tom & Diana Hottinger
  - Tatem Hoffman, son of Timothy & Tina Hoffman

  **Elementary School Students of the Month:**
  - Adrian Gillman, daughter of Mary LaVoie from Lexington Elementary
  - Cassandra Tarter, daughter of Dave & Mary Tarter from Marlboro Elementary
  - Brady Tolley, son of Trevor Tolley & Brittany Eyrich from Washington Elementary

- **Congratulations** to **Jessica Gullace**, kindergarten teacher at Lexington Elementary on her nomination as a Walsh University Teacher of the Month for December. Awesome Job Jessica!

- **Congratulations** to **Nate Morrison** from the middle school on his nomination as a Walsh University Teacher of the Month for December. Awesome Job Nate!
• Congratulations to Nate Morrison from the middle school on his selection as The Alliance Review, Make the Grade Teacher of the month for December. Well deserved Nate!

• As a reminder, Monday, December 21st and December 22nd have been designated as Remote Learning Days. Wednesday, December 23rd through Sunday, January 3rd there will be NO SCHOOL for Christmas Break.

• Beginning Monday, January 4, 2021 through Friday, January 22, 2021 we will CONTINUE REMOTE LEARNING. For more information, please view my video at the following YouTube link: https://youtu.be/zmsB_wRwMaY.

• Due to the Christmas holiday and remote learning, this will be our last publication until next year.

We wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Dr. Michael R. Shreffler, Superintendent

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