

Dear Brooke Grove Families,

This year, MCPS hired a number of additional safety and security personnel to be “rovers” at elementary schools, where we previously did not have dedicated staff. We are pleased to welcome Mr. Tony Deane as our security staff. He is assigned to support all elementary schools in the Sherwood Cluster. He comes to help us make sure that our building is safe and healthy and can support us with any safety and security concerns. For example, he helped fix our gate for our play area and he has been out at recess to support with security. He also has helped us with traffic and has been able to fill in when the crossing guard is sick. He will be supporting our Safety Patrol program, and we look forward to him helping us with our fire drills and emergency drills. Please give Tony a big hello when you see him!

Next week, we will have a spirit week, starting Tuesday, since there is no school for students on Monday, October 24. Please see the attached newsletter for information about Spirit Week, Fall Festival Classroom Parties, PTA events, and meet another BGES family and staff member.


Wishing you a fun and relaxing weekend. To our families who celebrate, **Happy Diwali! I hope you have a blessed, healthy and prosperous Diwali.**

Warmly,

Jolynn Tarwater, Principal

**Attachments:**

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