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Murrieta School Board



Incumbent

- Unanimously appointed by the Board of Education, September 2017, out of a field of 19 candidates.
- Passionate about quality public education
- Parent of two children in Murrieta Schools
- Voted to fund and expand Career Tech

Children, first and foremost.

I'm passionate about quality public education for the students/families of Murrieta Valley Unified School District (MVUSD). As a parent of two MVUSD students and a tireless volunteer throughout MVUSD, I have years of in-depth experience with the issues that matter most to our district.

Having worked extensively with the district for nine years through PTA at the school, district and county level, I have also served on the LCAP Advisory Committee, the Report Card committee the District ATP and the Counseling Advisory Council.

Committed to equity among that all stakeholders (students, parents, staff and community partners), I want to ensure everyone is heard when decisions affecting the whole are being made. I am willing to ask the tough questions and demand complete and transparent answers.

I will continue to work collaboratively with the staff and employee groups whose expertise and knowledge are indispensable to creating an environment that supports student learning and achievement. As we move forward into an increasingly complex and nuanced educational landscape, I am eager and highly qualified to continue the excellent work already being done in our California Exemplary School District.

I ask for your vote so that I can continue to work on behalf of our students.

Putting your children First and Foremost!

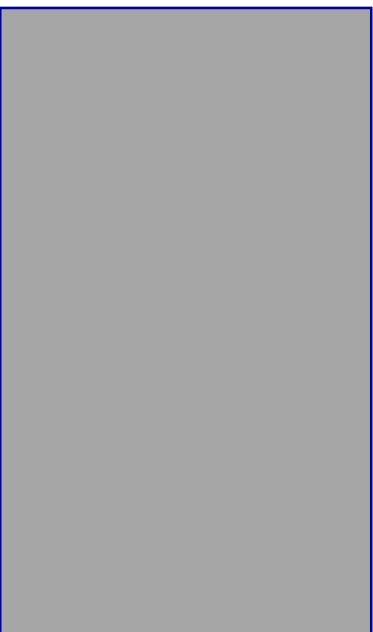
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Over this past year, I've voted to:

- Refinance several CFDs that yielded an extra \$3 million to our kids with no increase in taxes
- Support a resolution for tobacco-free school
- Increase school counselor days from 200 to 205 per academic year
- Approve our Strategic Plan for the Arts
- Adopt a resolution to become an Arts Equity School District
- Continue the Peer Assistance and Review Consulting Teachers and Induction Program
- Approve on-going Career Technical Education needs and course outlines
- Approve School Plans for Student Achievement
- Approve the on-going and outstanding collaborative work of both Murrieta Teachers Assn. and California School Employees Assn., in the Ad Hoc and negotiation processes
- Voted for stakeholder participation in the Measure BB Oversight Committee
- To support collaborative relationships with colleges and universities including: Cal State University-Fullerton, Grand Canyon U, La Sierra U, Alliant International U, Azusa U, and Pacific U, etc.
- To support community partnerships through shared facility use, using Faciliton
- Restructure our election processes to include Trustee Areas to ensure equitable opportunities for all voters and all candidates
- Approve overnight and out of state student field trips
- On-going, district-wide site facility improvements for Audio Visual, network and wireless infrastructure and Average Daily Attendance upgrades

About me

I earned a Bachelor of Science in Zoology from Colorado State University and worked professionally in the companion animal welfare field before marrying my husband, Jim, who works for Thales Avionics as a civilian contractor with the US Marine Corps on Camp Pendleton. We moved here from WA State in 2008 with our daughters, Johanna and Zenaide. After enrolling the girls at Lisa J. Mails Elementary School, I became active in the classroom, and with PTA.



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During the past 10 years I have served as an executive officer on three different PTA boards: Lisa J. Mails PTA (including President), Murrieta Valley Council PTSA (serving all 16 PTAs in the Murrieta Valley Unified School District [MVUSD] as President) and finally, 23rd District PTA (serving over 240 PTAs throughout Riverside County, as 1st VP-Leadership).

Because of my leadership and excellent community relationships, I was invited to serve on the LCAP Advisory Committee, the MVUSD Action Team for Partnerships Advisory Committee, among other positions.

On a daily basis, I've since been at school sites listening to students, parents, MVUSD employees and community partners as they share what's important to them. *My focus on family engagement is rooted in my belief that parent involvement is critical to student learning and achievement. Research supports this belief.*

I'm proud of MVUSD's long history of supporting parent rights!

Our School District's Mission

To Inspire Every Student To Think, To Learn, To Achieve, To Care

Murrieta Valley Schools educate over 23,000 students daily, from transitional kindergarten through high school, with an excellent, comprehensive academic and career technical pathways program.

We offer highly acclaimed visual and performing arts programs, championship interscholastic athletics and nationally recognized student activities programs. The student-centered educational programs emphasize a commitment to the academic success of each and every student.

MVUSD is one of the highest performing districts in Riverside County being named the only Exemplary School District in Riverside County, one of only 22 in the entire state. Create CA gave MVUSD the Arts Equity School District Award in 2018. MVUSD received the 2016 Honor Roll District distinction and has 11 California Distinguished Schools, eight Gold Ribbon schools and CBEE Star Schools. Murrieta Mesa, Murrieta Valley and Vista Murrieta were named among America's Best High Schools by U.S. News & World Report.