

# **BURKEVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

September 6, 2011

Dear Burkeville ISD Parent/Guardians,

School is off to a great start! The students and faculty were eager to begin the 2011-2012 school year. Volleyball, football, and band are in full swing.

- Burkeville ISD will have Open House on Monday, September 12, 2011 from 6:00p.m.-7:00p.m.
- The Elementary will have school pictures on Tuesday, September 13, 2011 and the Jr/Sr High will have school pictures on Tuesday, September 20, 2011.
- The seniors will have cap and gown pictures on Tuesday, September 27, 2011.
- Burkeville ISD has adopted the C Scope Curriculum that is aligning to the new accountability tests STAAR (State of Texas Assessment of Academic Readiness) and EOC (End of Course).

Burkeville ISD's accountability rating for 2011 required improvement. In accordance with Texas Education Agency requirements at least (50%) of the membership of the Campus Intervention Team (CIT) must be external to the district. Burkeville ISD's external member is Mr. Bill Conway. The external primary CIT Contact (member) is assigned to assist the campus in improving its performance and the Commissioner of Education in monitoring the progress of the campus in implementing the school improvement plan (SIP) for improvement of student achievement.

Burkeville ISD's mission statement reflects our responsibility as educators: BISD is committed to provide opportunities for all students to reach their potential in acquiring and using knowledge and skills for the purpose of making appropriate decisions, pursuing worthwhile personal goals and contributing positively to society.

Burkeville ISD is committed to having the best education for our Burkeville students. Thank you for your continuous support. Together we can make a difference in our children's future.

Respectfully,

*Paula A. Quick*

Paula A. Quick, Superintendent