

Greetings Gilbert Alumni! My name is Lindsey Beecher, and I am currently serving as the Superintendent of the Gilbert School District. I would like to fill you in on what has been going on in the district. The progress for our new High School is moving along at a feverish pace. The current plans are to move all the things from the current High School into the new High School on May 30 which is the last day of school for our students. Students, staff and some community volunteers will assist in this move. The makeup of the district will be a Preschool-2 building, 3-5 Intermediate building (this is where the current high school is located), 6-8 Middle School building, and the new 9-12 High School building. In August some time we will be hosting various open houses so the community can come in and see the new building and the renovations to current buildings so watch the website for updates.

We will be saying goodbye to some familiar faces as they head off into retirement that you may know. Kathy Henryson is retiring after teaching special education for many years in the Gilbert district. Some of you may have had Dan Knutson as your high school science teacher, and he is also retiring. Another high school staff member, Becky Rice, will be retiring from her position as the Spanish teacher. Les Jordan and Carrie Lambert will be leaving our elementary building. Mrs. Jordan has been the kindergarten teacher for the last 18 years and Mrs. Lambert is the guidance counselor. Marlene Wiegel, who works in the high school kitchen, will also be retiring. If you had any of these fine people when you were at Gilbert, drop them a line, they would love to hear from you!

We hope you have a fun and relaxing summer and encourage you to stop by and visit your alma mater whenever you would like or are in the area. Thank you for your continued support of the Gilbert district.