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School District of New Berlin Recognizes Board Members During Wisconsin School Board Week

New Berlin, Wis. – The Wisconsin Association of School Boards has set Oct. 7-13 as Wisconsin School Board Week as a time to build awareness and understanding of the vital function an elected board of education plays in our communities. The School District of New Berlin is joining all public school districts across the state to celebrate Wisconsin School Board Appreciation Week to honor local board members for their commitment to New Berlin and its children.

"We are fortunate to have seven dedicated community members who devote their time and energy to our great district, and are happy to honor and recognize them during Wisconsin School Board Week," Superintendent Joe Garza said. "Our Board members are committed to the high level of excellence our community expects from this district. We appreciate all of their hard work."

SDNB's Board of Education members are Amy Crosby, Tom David, Krislyn Holaday-Wondrachek, Jody Kugler, Jeffrey Kurth, Susan Manley and Nate Nickerson.

Among the Board's many responsibilities are:

- Creating a vision for what the community wants the school district to be and for making student achievement the top priority:
- Establishing standards for what students will be expected to learn and be able to do;
- Ensuring progress is measured to be sure the district's goals are achieved and students are learning at expected levels;
- Being accountable for their decisions and actions by continually tracking and reporting results;
- Creating a safe, orderly climate where students can learn and teachers can teach;
- Forming partnerships with others in the community to solve common problems; and,
- Focusing attention on the need for continuous improvement by questioning, refining and revising issues related to student achievement.

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