

Saluting Superintendents

Kimberly Moritz

Erie County Association of School Boards Salutes Retiring Superintendents



Thoughts...

- Her fondest memory of school was her 6th grade teacher, Mr. Blynn, who helped take care of her during trying times when her father had been hurt in a coal mining accident.
- Retirement plans include working with NYSCOSS and becoming a coach for leaders across the state, traveling, volunteering, and working in other industries.
- On the first day of school, Kimberly hopes to be cruising in Alaska with her husband and their friends.
- Superintendent Moritz is a graduate of Plum Senior High School in Pittsburgh, Pa. We are fortunate to have had her move to New York State where we have been blessed with her wisdom, guidance and leadership throughout many districts.

Kimberly Moritz has served as the Superintendent of the Springville Griffith Institute Central School District for the last 6 years. Kimberly began her teaching career in the Pine Valley CSD, where she taught for 10 years. Prior to serving in her current role, she served as the Superintendent of the Randolph Central School District for 8 years, and was the High School principal for 2 years. Other administrative positions included serving as the Gowanda High School principal for 4 years and as the Middle School Assistant Principal for 2 years in the Frontier CSD.

Kimberly states the best moments about serving as a Superintendent is when she is able to work with students, work with the Board of Education working through problems, and working collegially with administrative teams within the district to make the district a better place for kids. She is most proud of the fact that she has been able to pass three capital projects that brought about much needed improvements in the district, work with Erie 2 CC BOCES on a P-Tech program, leading the district away from trouble areas that preceded her in the district, as well as develop a phenomenal leadership team. Superintendent Moritz's message for ECASB members is to "keep doing the hard work - in the end it is worth it"! As she winds down her career as the Superintendent of Springville Griffith Institute, she thanks all the school leaders who taught and encouraged her over the years, Board of Education Members who volunteer their time to do the hard work, her colleagues within and outside the school district and especially District Clerk and secretary Kathy Tucker .