TOWNSEND MIDDLE SCHOOL

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"If we chase perfection, we can catch excellence."

GREETINGS TO ALL TOWNSEND MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS & PARENTS!

My name is Mark Irvin and I am the new Principal of Townsend Middle School. As summer vacation winds down, I wanted to take this opportunity to introduce myself and to share some important information. I am excited to meet everyone and to be a part of the Bulldog Team!

ATTENTION

For all 6th Grade and all new 7th/8th grade students:

- 6th grade student orientation will take place on Tuesday, August 19, 2025 at 6:00pm.
- New 7th & 8th grade student orientation will take place on Tuesday, August 19, 2025 at 6:00pm.
- All students and their parents will meet on the learning stairs adjacent to the cafeteria to begin the orientation.
- Please enter through the main elementary doors.
- Schedules will be available.
- I will discuss some of the expectations and daily processes associated with being a middle school student.
- After our discussion you can find classrooms and meet your teachers.

For returning 7th & 8th Grade Students:

- You will not receive a schedule until the first day of school.
- On the first day of school, please wait outside on the concrete pad by the band room.
- Because we do not use homerooms, designated meeting rooms for each grade level will be posted on the outside wall of the band room.
- Students will be brought into the building by staff and will report to those rooms. At this time, each student will receive a class schedule, locker assignment, and discuss location of handbook.
- Following the paperwork your teachers will then take you to the gym for an informational assembly.

IN ADDITION

- Parent Portal is a great way to track your student's grade. (Contact Alison in main office with any questions)
- The District website is an excellent resource to check for upcoming events, get updated school information and to discover all things Bulldogs. https://www.townsend.k12.mt.us/
- This orientation will help your student feel more comfortable about entering middle school.
- Call the school at 441-3451 with any questions. Many questions can be answered by going to the Townsend Public Schools website.
- We look forward to having your child as a Bulldog and WELCOME BACK!

Mark Irvin – TMS Principal