



# THE WREC EXPRESS

May 2024

## Principal's Corner



I am honored to serve as principal at Whiddon-Rogers Education Center. It is truly a privilege to be part of a learning community where parents, teachers, and students work in unison to build positive relationships that support academic and social-emotional growth. It is our mission at Whiddon-Rogers to Inspire, Empower, and Transform all our students into positive and productive members of society. Our faculty and staff members embrace the philosophy that all students do not learn the same way or at the same pace. We take pride in responding to the individual needs of each

student, and we utilize authentic methods and strategies to ensure positive student outcomes.

Please contact me at 754-321-7550 or email me with any questions.

Educationally Yours,  
Wylie L. Howard Jr., Principal

## Meet the Administrators:

Marc Larose, Intern Principal  
Sharnett Morris, Assistant Principal  
Esther McKee-Savage, Assistant Principal  
Sabrina Smith, Assistant Principal

## Mission Statement:

The Whiddon-Rogers Education Center's mission is to provide appropriate alternative educational strategies and resources that support social-emotional growth and instill a desire to become lifelong learners.

## Vision Statement:

Our vision is to become a nationally recognized school of excellence in innovative educational alternatives designed to prepare students for college and careers.



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## April Teacher and Employee of The Month



Mr. Voltz & Ms. Peyton

## Congratulations to CTE Student of the Year- Sabrina Jean-Noel:





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## Criminal Justice Students Visit NSU College of Law:



## Seniors Registering for Fall Classes at Broward College:

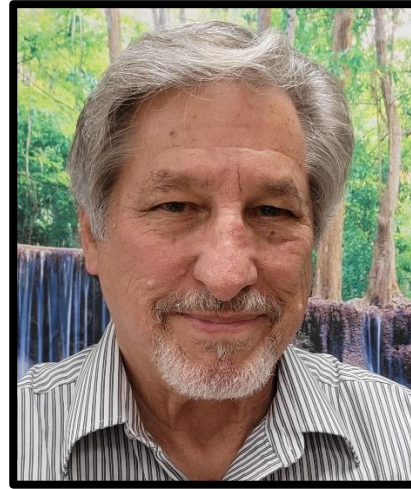




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## 2023-2024 Kid & Staff of Character Awards



*★ ★ ★ ★ ★  
★ Congratulations! ★ ★ ★ ★ ★*

Congratulations to Luisa Moreno (student) and Mr. Miller (staff member) who were nominated for our Character Award for the 2023-2024 school year! A handful of students were chosen from the nominees to represent the zones and Luisa Moreno is one of those. Thank you to all who participated in the process and Luisa and Mr. Miller.

## School-Based Mentoring Program

*F.I.Y.A.H (Forging, Intangible, Youth, Academic, Hope)*

Our school-based mentoring program provides guidance and support to students in need. It is an innovative supplement to the student-centered learning that takes place at Whiddon-Rogers Education Center, providing our students with another avenue through which they might feel more confident about their schoolwork, improve their attitudes and commitment to learning, and develop more fully as a person. The program is aligned to our School Wide Positive Behavior Plan.



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## Whiddon Rogers Bragging Points: Quarter 4

We are excited to announce that this quarter we have:

- 42 high school graduates
- 16 industry certifications earned.

### The B.R.A.C.E. Breakdown

- Broward Technical College Scholarship Opportunity
- One Blood Career Opportunity
- Upcoming: Broward College Fieldtrip
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*For more information, please contact Ms. Bell*

### Reporting Safety and Security Tips

- Visit our school's website.
- Fortify FL
- Safer watch app



### 2023-24 School Hours of Operation

Warning Bell 6:55 am

Start Time 7:00 am

Dismissal Bell 2:00 pm

### Community Engagement

#### ❖ BECOME A WREC PARTNER

Contact Ms. Kenyatta Medlock, Community Liaison

@ (754)321-7159 - VOLUNTEER TODAY!

<https://www.browardschools.com/volunteer>



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## Important Dates & Information

- May 6<sup>th</sup>- 10<sup>th</sup> – Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 7<sup>th</sup> – Interim Reports Issued
- May 9<sup>th</sup> – Fleet Week: The Life of a Sailor, Field Trip
- May 15<sup>th</sup> – Women of Elegance End of Year Celebration
- May 17<sup>th</sup> – Hampton by Hilton, Field Trip
- May 22<sup>nd</sup> – SAC Meeting
- May 24<sup>th</sup> – Early Release Day
- May 27<sup>th</sup> – Memorial Day, No School
- May 31<sup>st</sup> – SAVE Promise Club Summit, Field Trip
- May 31<sup>st</sup>- Hampton by Hilton, Field Trip

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Twitter - @whiddonrogers

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