

EXCELLENCE COUNTS AWARDS



District 215 has an abundance of committed individuals - teachers, support staff, parents, and community members - who work unselfishly to make our schools and district successful.

Excellence Counts is an award that the Board of Education designed to recognize those individuals who have impacted the lives of our students, both in and out of the classroom.

Our award, Excellence Counts, provides an avenue for district staff, parents, students, and community members to nominate and honor those people who have done their very best for District 215. At each monthly meeting, the Board of Education will publicly acknowledge and honor Excellence Counts nominees for their contribution and dedication.

March 2015 Recipients

Karen Lake and Mitch Johnston

Karen Lake, TF North Publicity Representative and Math Aide and Winged Foot Foundation Founder Mitch Johnston were recognized during the March 2015 Board of Education meeting for their contributions to District 215.

Mitch (left) is pictured with Moses Hubert, TF Center Dean of Students (right)



In the statement below, Moses describes how Mitch has positively impacted District 215.

"Mitch Johnston, founder of the nonprofit Winged Foot Foundation has graciously granted our wishes for athletic equipment each year for the past five years. Mitch, who is originally from Dolton, has been a generous supporter of our TF North girls' and boys' track and cross country programs. Through his nonprofit organization, he has donated hundreds of running shoes, cross trainers, running spikes, and athletic gear to our athletes. His donations have bene invaluable because many of our students could not afford to participate otherwise.

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