



a Proud Salute to our 2009-2010 NEW Teachers



Carol Koch

Music Teacher

St. Agnes & Wynot Public Schools

Birthday: July 23, 1946

Length of Service: First year at St. Agnes
What Do You Love About Teaching? "Children! And being a part of their road to success."

What is your most memorable moments?
"Coming to school on halloween (in costume) and no one recognizing me, including students, staff or even my own children! Also receiving the invitation from the Wayne State College Music director for my 5/6 grade melody chime choir to participate with the WSC Bell Choir during their Madrigal Feast."



Lyndsay Ingalls

High School Mathematics

Vermillion High School

Birthday: October 14, 1986

Length of Service: First year
What Do You Love About Teaching? "I love being able to work with the students and being able to see their faces light up when a challenging math topic finally 'clicks'."

What is your most memorable moments?
"During my senior year of college I was in the Chamber Choir and we took a trip to Omaha to sing with the Omaha Symphony. It was an exciting experience."



Cindy Weis

Elementary School Counselor

Austin School

Birthday: December 16, 1967

Length of Service: First year
What Do You Love About Teaching? "I love to work with children to reach their full potential. As a school counselor, I have a great opportunity to work with children, teachers and parents to help them start out their education in a positive way."

What is your most memorable moments? "Most of my memorable moments have been with my three children. Watching them grow up and meet their goals has been very rewarding for me."



Matthew Hotchkin

Middle School Computer

Vermillion Middle School

Birthday: July 30, 1983

Length of Service: First year at VMS
What Do You Love About Teaching? "Helping kids to understand and explore computers."
What is your most memorable moments?
"Working on labs with students."



Vanessa Prasnicky

Kindergarten Teacher

Austin School

Birthday: February 15, 1985

Length of Service: First year in Vermillion
What Do You Love About Teaching? "I love being with the kids all year and seeing the progress they make."

What is your most memorable moments? "My most memorable moment is the kids singing at the special Mother & Father Day programs that the Kindergarten put on for their parents."



Beth Hanson

Spanish Teacher

Vermillion High School

Birthday: November 11, 1985

Length of Service: First year
What Do You Love About Teaching? "I love teaching through my content I am able to show students new and amazing things, people, and cultures."

What is your most memorable moments? "My most memorable moment in teaching was watching a struggling student succeed."

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