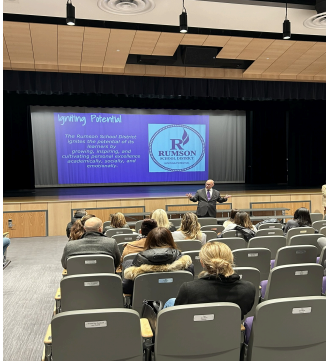




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Rumson, NJ - On Thursday, January 25, 2024, the Rumson School District hosted its much-anticipated preschool open house for the upcoming 2024-2025 school year. Dr. John Bormann, the district's superintendent, passionately emphasized the mission of "Igniting Potential," reaffirming the commitment to cultivating personal excellence in academics, social interactions, and emotional well-being. The event showcased the nurturing and intellectually stimulating learning environment inherent in the Deane-Porter Pre-K program, providing families with a valuable opportunity to engage with teachers, administrators, and support staff to gain insights into the curriculum and day-to-day operations. Parents were particularly impressed by the engaging presentation and staff dedication, leading many to express enthusiasm about enrolling their children in this supportive educational community. The open house not only successfully welcomed new families but also reinforced Rumson's unwavering commitment to early childhood education.

Dr. Michael Snyder, Director of Student Services, showcased his visionary commitment to igniting student potential throughout the event, with educators and administrators expressing unwavering dedication to providing a robust educational foundation for the youngest members of the Rumson community. The Deane-Porter School takes pride in its research-based preschool program, renowned for laying a strong foundation for academic success by focusing on developmentally appropriate educational experiences to foster growth in all areas – social, cognitive, emotional, and physical – within a fun and enriching learning environment. Through a combination of play-based learning, socialization opportunities, and rich learning experiences, the Deane-Porter Pre-K program aims to instill a love for learning and equip young learners with the skills and knowledge necessary for a successful educational journey.

As the open house concluded, Dr. Snyder expressed genuine excitement and anticipation for the incoming students who will embark on their educational journey in the Deane-Porter Pre-K program the following year. His emphasis on “fostering a spirit of exploration, curiosity, and confidence in young learners” echoed the district's commitment to providing a supportive and enriching educational experience. Embracing the mission to ignite student potential, Rumson is dedicated to laying the groundwork for future success in education and beyond.

With the enrollment deadline approaching, the district encourages families to seize this opportunity to join the educational community at Deane-Porter School. Visit the district website www.rumsonschool.org and follow the Open Registration Parent Instructions link for detailed information on the application process. The registration deadline is set for February 9, 2024. The district warmly invites all interested families to be part of the enriching educational experience at Deane-Porter School, where each child's journey toward academic and personal excellence eagerly awaits!