

Faces of Education

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Barbara Buckner

Assistant Comptroller, Monroe County Community School Corporation

Our *Faces of Education* honoree this evening is Barbara “Barb” Buckner. Barb serves Monroe County Community School Corporation as the Assistant Comptroller and a leader in the Accounting Department. She is nominated by MCCSC Comptroller Tim Thrasher, who also is a former *Faces of Education* recipient. Mr. Thrasher submitted the following statement in tribute to his loyal staff member:

“Ms. Buckner was employed by the MCCSC on July 1, 1994. During her 15 years with the school corporation, she has proven to be an outstanding school administrator with a thorough working knowledge of all the business office functions. She understands the importance of maintaining well-organized, accurate accounting and payroll systems. She also is very knowledgeable with respect to school board policies and administrative regulations applicable to the accounting, purchasing and payroll functions as well as applicable state and federal statutes and regulations. Her analytical skills have been a tremendous asset to the school corporation in a variety of applications. She helps the business office staff resolve difficult issues that arise during the course of the work day and provides information and guidance to a variety of MCCSC staff members from outside the business office on a daily basis. Her work is of the highest quality and her commitment to the MCCSC and its staff members is exceptional.

Barb also understands the importance of interacting with MCCSC staff members in a positive and supportive manner. She is quick to offer assistance to new members of the administrative and secretarial staff. Barb also serves as a support to the Monroe County Community School Corporation Administrators Association. Whether it is sending flowers to an employee facing a challenging time or getting the administrative crew together for regular celebrations, her sensitivity and her humor are always appreciated. Her pleasant demeanor and commitment to excellence make her an exceptional contributor as the MCCSC strives to fulfill its mission of educating students for the world of tomorrow.”

Barb Buckner, we thank you for 15 years of great work and dedication to MCCSC. It is a pleasure to honor you as tonight one of our brilliant *Faces of Education*. Congratulations!

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Faces of Education is a feature of every regular Board of School Trustees Meeting. It is designed to recognize current MCCSC employees or volunteers, who have made a difference in our school community. Nomination forms can be found at each MCCSC site or on the web at www.mccsc.edu.