

**Copper Country Intermediate School District
Parent Advisory Committee for Special Education:**

Jennifer Beaudette

Cindy Figures, Chairperson

Zachary Halkola

Bobbie Jo Holombo

Maija Kytta

Michael Lahti

Amanda Wais

(Bold indicates award committee members.)

Thank you to the Copper Country Intermediate School District
for making this presentation possible.

“Believe you can and you’re halfway there.”

~Theodore Roosevelt

“The best view comes after the hardest climb.”~Unknown

**“Sometimes real superheros live in the hearts of small
children fighting big battles.”~Unknown**

“Nothing is impossible. The word itself says

I’m possible.”~Audrey Hepburn

**Eighteenth Annual
Copper Country Intermediate School District
Parent Advisory Committee
for Special Education**

Awards

In recognition of persons
who have made outstanding contributions
and accomplishments in special education
during the 2020-2021 school year.

6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 25, 2021

Hancock High School Auditorium
501 Campus Drive, Hancock, Michigan

Welcome:

Zack Halkola, PAC Chairperson

Presentation of Awards:

Jennifer Beaudette, PAC Member

Zack Halkola, PAC Member

Maija Kytta, PAC Member

Kristina Penfold, CCISD Director of Special Education

AWARD RECIPIENTS

Administrator

Jennifer Peters, Principal~CLK High School

General Education Teacher

Matt Frantti~Baraga High School

Special Education Teachers

Maria Horner, Social Skills Teaching Program~CCISD

Kassandra Huhta~CLK Middle School

Ancillary Staff

Jane Anderson, Speech Therapist~CCISD

Support Staff

Joe Dorvinen, Bus Driver~CCISD

Jessica Mills, Para-Pro~Lake Linden Hubbell Elem. School

Emily Palosaari, Secretary~Houghton High School

AWARD RECIPIENTS

COVID “Above and Beyond” Award

April Lantto, Para-Pro, Social Skills Teaching Program~CCISD

Make A Difference Awards

Elliot Kilpela, Student, Social Skills Teaching Program~CCISD

Kade Urness, Student, Social Skills Teaching Program~CCISD

Genaveve Lilly, Student~Barkell Elem. School

Student Salutes

Jesse Kentala, Principal~Hancock Middle School

Darice Taylor, Special Education Teacher~Hancock High School

James Guzek, Para-Pro~Hancock High School

Special Recognition (Retiring)

George Stockero, Superintendent~Copper Country ISD