

City of Smyrna presents  
*The Red Carpet*  
Mayor's Education Awards  
Dinner & Ceremony  
Smyrna Community Center

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*"As Mayor, I am proud to champion the Mayor's Education Awards, celebrating the dedication and achievements of our exceptional students. These awards not only recognize academic excellence but also highlight the importance of perseverance and leadership. Through these awards, we applaud their commitment to learning and their positive impact on their schools, our community, and beyond. Join me in congratulating the recipients of the 2023-2024 Mayor's Education Awards as we inspire and encourage the next generation of leaders and scholars." - [Mayor Derek Norton]*



## Program

### Welcome & Introductions

Mark Owens

*16 year In-Game Host for the Atlanta Braves  
and Smyrna Native*

### Invocation / Pledge of Allegiance

Rev. Brian Sullivan

*St. Benedict's Episcopal School*

### Opening Remarks

Mayor Derek Norton

### Presentation of Outstanding Student Awards

### Closing Remarks

**ARGYLE ELEMENTARY**

*Georgette Clinton, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Mama Cham  
Ka'Cence Gregory  
Maverick Hibbert

**BELMONT HILLS ELEMENTARY**

*Dr. Ashley Campoli, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Rachel Dominguez Gonzalez  
Joshua Mendez Paniagua  
Ahtziri Ramirez

**CAMPBELL HIGH SCHOOL**

*Dr. Vanessa Watkins, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Abass Diallo  
Ahide Espino  
Claire Obermayer

**CAMPBELL MIDDLE SCHOOL**

*Dr. Camille Havis, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Zainab Arowojobe  
Royal Randolph IV  
Evynn Watson

**COVENANT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**

*Phenette Pugh, Head of School*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Natalie Gamez  
Jasmine Valcin  
Dannyelle Wade

**GREEN ACRES ELEMENTARY**

*Maria Braswell, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Yohanna Leul  
Ezequiel Rangel  
Natalie Rodriguez Zuniga

**GRIFFIN MIDDLE SCHOOL**

*Dr. Lorelee Hill, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Carlos Guidos  
Nina Howard  
Devin Potts

**INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF SMYRNA**

*Ashley Tompkins, Head of School*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Ryan Robinson  
Caitlyn Smith  
Lucas Wong

**KING SPRINGS ELEMENTARY**

*Ashley Mize, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Emma Barbieri  
Victoria Vicenzi  
Cameron Wilhoit

**NICKAJACK ELEMENTARY**

*Dr. Timeka L. Cline, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Josh Oboh  
David Saylor  
Amy Schmidt

**NORTON PARK ELEMENTARY**

*Kendall Foster, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Kevin Lazcano  
Ezra Lee  
Aysel Olguin Mendoza

**RUSSELL ELEMENTARY**

*Tammy Watson, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Melanie Abarca-Torres  
Osvaldo Cortez  
Lillie Nelson

**SMYRNA ELEMENTARY**

*Sharon Arduino, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Hudson McLean  
Norah Nasca  
Sidney Singleton

**ST. BENEDICT'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL**

*Rev. Brian Sullivan, Head of School*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Ella Benden  
Grant Trammell  
Cal Turner

**TEASLEY ELEMENTARY**

*Leslie Mansfield, Principal*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Hayden Conrad  
Seth Maliro  
Aziery Miller

**WHITEFIELD ACADEMY**

*Dr. Kevin Bracher, Head of School*

**Outstanding Student Award Recipients**

Lucy Grisette  
Greer McKeeby  
Christian Wiggins

# Mayor & Council

Derek Norton  
Mayor

Glenn Pickens  
Ward 1

Latonia P. Hines  
Ward 2

Travis Lindley  
Ward 3

Charles “Corkey” Welch  
Ward 4

Susan Wilkinson\*  
Ward 5

Tim Gould\*  
Mayor Pro Tem / Ward 6

Rickey N. Oglesby, Jr.\*  
Ward 7

\*Education Committee