

10145 BIA Rd 7, Belcourt, ND

EDUCATION DAY

Friday - February 21, 2025



CELEBRATING 1 YEAR!

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SPEAKERS



WELCOME:

North Dakota Governor Kelly Armstrong (video message)

Governor Kelly Armstrong is a lifelong, devoted North Dakotan and a tireless advocate for making North Dakota a better place to live and work. With a background in business, Kelly is fighting for our North Dakota values and working to advance positive changes to benefit our state and country. After graduating from Dickinson High School in 1995, Kelly earned a bachelor's degree from UND in 2001 and a law degree from UND law school in 2003. Kelly married Kjersti in 2004, and elected ND State Senate in 2012 and to US House of Representatives in 2018.

EMCEE: Dawn Dione

Dawn was born and raised in the Turtle Mountains, and after attending Turtle Mountain College, she found her calling in helping families find homes where they could create lasting memories. As a feminist and an advocate for Indigenous rights her heart is always focused on uplifting and empowering others. But above all, she is a proud mom to four beautiful children who fill my life with so much love and joy. After moving to Washington State and running her own real estate company, she knew she wanted to bring all the skills and knowledge she gained back to a place that means the world to her—TMC. She feels truly blessed to have had the opportunity to inspire countless young students to chase their dreams, set meaningful goals, and most importantly, believe in themselves. That's why she loves what she does, because every conversation is a chance to make a difference.



WELCOME TO

TMCC:

President

Dr. Wanda Parisien

Dr. Wanda Parisien currently serves as the Interim President of TMC, bringing over 41 years of experience and a deep commitment to the institution and its community. An advocate for Indigenous education, Dr. Parisien holds a Doctorate degree in Educational Leadership from the University of North Dakota, further enhancing her ability to lead and innovate in the realm of higher education. Dr. Parisien is committed to creating an environment where Indigenous culture is celebrated, and students are empowered to achieve academic and personal success as they prepare for their futures.



WELCOME TO BELCOURT: Chairman Jamie Azure



Chairman Jamie Azure, Kitagasi Kinew (Spotted Eagle) is an enrolled member and Chairman of the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians (TMBCI). Chairman Azure attended the University of Minnesota and earned Bachelors of Science Degrees in business management, advertising and promotion, and political science. Jamie is a graduate of the Native Nations Rebuilders, Cohort 9. He has served on the TMBCI Tribal Council since December 2016 and served as the TMBCI Tribal Chairman since January 2018. Chairman Azure strives for Native Solidarity, economic development, and youth/elder advocacy. Chairman Azure was elected by his peers and serves as Board Chairman for the United Tribes of North Dakota and United Tribes Technical College. He serves on the NARF (Native American Rights Fund) board. His focus was on Native Nations voting rights and pushed for the recent voting rights lawsuit win in North Dakota with NARF. His vision is a future full of opportunities for our peoples next generation. Jamie resides in Belcourt, N.D., the heart of Turtle Island, with his two daughters, Ashlyn and Sophia.

SCHEDULE OF THE DAY

MARKETPLACE FOR KIDS – EDUCATION DAY

Friday, February 21, 2025

9:30AM – 2:00PM

PLEASE FOLLOW THE SCHEDULE THAT IS ON YOUR NAME BADGE

9:30 AM – 9:40 AM

PRE-OPENING RALLY

ENTERTAINMENT (*Auditorium*)

Singers/Dancers

SLOUGHFOOT - Led by Mark Hajicek

9:40 AM – 10:00 AM

OPENING REMARKS

Master of Ceremonies

Dawn Dionne - Placement Center

Coordinator at Turtle Mountain

College

Presentation of Colors:

Flag Song/Native Prayer: *Singers*

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Oh, say can you see, by the dawn's early light, what so proudly
we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming? Whose broad stripes
and bright stars, through the perilous fight, o'er the ramparts we
watched, were so gallantly streaming? And the rocket's red
glare, the bombs bursting in air, gave proof through the night
that our flag was still there. O say, does that star-spangled
banner yet wave o'er the land of the free and the home of the
brave!

Welcoming Remarks:

Governor Kelly Armstrong - (video welcome)

*Chairman Jamie Azure,
Belcourt*

*President Wanda Parisien,
Turtle Mountain College*

10:00 AM - 10:25 AM

ALL STUDENTS - ATTEND CLASS

(Check your badge for your assigned class)

10:35 AM - 11:00 AM

ALL STUDENTS - ATTEND CLASS

(Check your badge for your assigned class)

11:10 AM - 11:35 AM

ALL STUDENTS - ATTEND CLASS

(*Maroon & Teal Name Badges*)(*Check
your badge for your assigned class*)

**“Teachers open the door, but
you must enter by yourself”**

Chinese Proverb

11:35 AM - 12:00 PM

GROUP 1 STUDENTS &

GROUP 2 STUDENTS –

LUNCH (*AUDITORIUM*)

(*Maroon Name Badges*)

& (*Teal Name Badges*)

11:35 AM - 12:00 PM

GROUP 2 STUDENTS &

GROUP 1 STUDENTS – HOW TO DO PROJECTS (*AUDITORIUM*)

(*Maroon Name Badges*)

& (*Teal Name Badges*)

12:30 PM – 12:55 PM

ALL STUDENTS – ATTEND CLASS

(*Check your badge for your assigned class*)

1:05 PM – 1:30 PM

ALL STUDENTS – ATTEND CLASS

(*Check your badge for your assigned class*)

1:30 PM – 2:00 PM

CLOSING RALLY (*Auditorium*)

Master of Ceremonies/Hall of

Great Ideas and Teacher

Recognition:

Dawn Dionne

Teacher Certificates,

Awards

Marketplace for Kids 2025 Tribute Video &

Closing Remarks: *Dawn Dionne*

**THANKS FOR PARTICIPATING IN
MARKETPLACE FOR KIDS!**

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!!

THANK YOU AND REMINDERS

THANK YOU

to the following for making Marketplace for Kids a **SUCCESS!!!**

ND Governor - Kelly Armstrong

President Wanda Parisien - President

TMCC Turtle Mountain Faculty Staff & Students

Marketplace for Kids Belcourt Advisory Leadership Team

OPENING/CLOSING RALLY GUESTS

Singers, Governor Kelly Armstrong, Chairman Jamie Azure-Comments and Welcome Students,
Teachers, Chaperones, Advisors, Parents, Administration of participating Schools Families,
Friends of our Students, School Board Members, Community Leaders,
Class Presenters, Volunteers, Sponsors

A FEW REMINDERS

YOUR POSSESSIONS	Marketplace for Kids and TMCC <u>CANNOT</u> be held responsible for lost or stolen items.
LUNCH	Please have lunch at your scheduled time and clean up after yourself!
QUIET PLEASE!	Do not visit in the common areas while classes are in session. Cell phones must be turned OFF when entering classrooms or at opening and closing rallies. (This also means NO texting, please!)
OPENING & CLOSING RALLIES	Please be respectful of our invited entertainers and presenters.
NEED HELP?	Ask a guide! Wear your name badge over your heart at all times!
MAGIC WORDS FOR THE DAY	PLEASE and THANK YOU
EMERGENCY SITUATION	Contact your teacher or chaperone.

MARKETPLACE ADVISORY LEADERSHIP TEAM

Stephanie Bear
Business Instructor
TMCC

Diane Bercier - Chair
Business Accounting Instructor
TMCC

Adriana Riggs
ACE Director
TMCC

Katrina Delorme
NACTEP Project Director
TMCC

Michael Poitra
Business Instr/Systems Admin
TMCC

Rhonda Gustafson
Master of Education Dir/Faculty
TMCC

CLASS/PRESENTERS GRID

Marketplace For Kids Friday, February 21, 2025 Turtle Mountain Community College											
Building/Room	Room Capacity	9:15 AM - 9:50 AM	10:00 AM - 10:25 AM 10:35 AM - 11:00 AM 11:10 AM - 11:35 AM	11:00 AM - 11:30 AM 11:35 AM - 12:25 PM	12:30 PM – 12:55 PM 1:05 PM - 1:30 PM	1:40 PM - 2:00 PM	Presenter Contact Information				
Teacher/Volunteer Center Location Room 114 Open 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM											
TMCC FIRST FLOOR											
Room 101	16 32	Pe-Opening Rally Entertainment ~ 9:15 AM - 9:30 AM Opening Rally ~ 9:30 AM - 9:50 AM (Auditorium)	Class C: US Customs and Border Protection	All Students - 11:00 AM - 11:30 PM Eat Lunch - Auditorium	All Students - 11:35 AM - 12:25 PM Project Class - Auditorium	Class C: US Customs and Border Protection	Pre-Closing Rally Entertainment ~ 1:30 PM - 1:40 PM Closing Rally ~ 1:40 PM - 2:00 PM Auditorium	Mark Buick Supervisory CBP Officer US Customs and Border Protection 701-926-7500 mark.j.buick@cbp.dhs.gov			
Room 104	24 29		Class B: Breaking Through Traditional Roles - A NEW Challenge!			Class B: Breaking Through Traditional Roles - A NEW Challenge!		Jill Vigesaa Education Coordinator ND Dept of Ag/ND Farm Bureau 701-799-5488 jill.vigesaa@gmail.com			
Room 106	24 25		Class H: Young Workers - Talking Safety			Class H: Young Workers - Talking Safety		David Kraft Safety Consultant North Dakota WSI 701-662-9340 Djkraft@nd.gov			
Room 107	25		Class A: Your Brain and How it Grows			Class A: Your Brain and How it Grows		Rhonda Gustafson Master of Ed Director Turtle Mountain Community College 701-394-4330 rgustafson@tm.edu			
Room 113	23		Class E: Land Surveying and Mapping			Class E: Land Surveying and Mapping		Benjamin Bullinger Land Surveyor Wold Engineering P.C. 701-228-2292 ben_bullinger@woldengr.com			
TMCC SECOND FLOOR											
Room 200	16 20		Class K: How Heavy Equipment Works			All Students - 11:00 AM - 11:30 PM Eat Lunch - Auditorium		All Students - 11:35 AM - 12:25 PM Project Class - Auditorium	Class K: How Heavy Equipment Works	Pre-Closing Rally Entertainment ~ 1:30 PM - 1:40 PM Closing Rally ~ 1:40 PM - 2:00 PM Auditorium	John Trim Heavy Equipment Instructor Turtle Mountain Community College 701-369-6060 jtrim@tm.edu
Room 201	16 19		Class G: Career View						Class G: Career View		Jalyn Jacques Program Manager Marketplace for Kids 701-242-7744 jjacques@mfcnd.org
Room HEO	24 28		Class L: Lessons About Money						Class L: Lessons About Money		Joy Sparks Relationship Manager Janorth 970-250-7682 joy.sparks@janorth.org
Room 209	22 22		Class I: Power UP! Exploring Energy and Future Careers						Class I: Power UP! Exploring Energy and Future Careers		Tom Oakland Energy & Econ Crd - Office Mgmt ND Department of Commerce 701-328-5392 thomas.oakland@nd.gov
Room 213	24 26	Class M: Let's Hack Something	Class M: Let's Hack Something	Matt Odermann Cybersecurity Instructor Turtle Mountain Community College 701-509-4888 modermann@tm.edu							
Room 214	21	Class N: The Business of Language	Class N: The Business of Language	Velda Belgarde Ojibwe Intractor Turtle Mountain Community College 701-394-4110 vbelgarde@tm.edu							
Room 215	28 30	Class F: College Knowledge	Class F: College Knowledge	Adriana Riggs Program Director Turtle Mountain Community College 701-394-4163 ariggs@tm.edu							
Room 216	20	Class D: Does Money Grow on Trees?	Class D: Does Money Grow on Trees?	Beth Hill Outreach & Education Manager North Dakota Forest Service 701-220-5986 beth.hill@ndsu.edu							
Room 220	24 30	Class J: Heroes in Action: Inside the Fire Department	Class J: Heroes in Action: Inside the Fire Department	Jenna Parisien Recruitment & Retention Cord Belcourt Rural Fire Department 701-477-9402 jenna.r.parisien@gmail.com							

PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS & TEACHERS

Dunseith Elementary School Dunseith, ND

Ms. Kom Grade - 3
Miss. Nadeau Grade - 3

St. Ann's Catholic School Belcourt, ND

Miss. Lalka Grade - 6
Ms. Davis Grade - 5
Mr. Baker Grade - 5
Ms. Frederick Grade - 4

Turtle Mountain Community Elementary Belcourt, ND

Ms. DeCoteau Grade - 4
Ms. Blue Grade - 4
Ms. Lafontaine Grade - 4
Ms. Demery Grade - 4
Ms. Birkland Grade - 4
Ms. Buxton Grade - 7
Mrs. Wilson Grade - 7

Rolette Public School Rolette, ND

Mr. Pfeifer Grades - 7 - 8

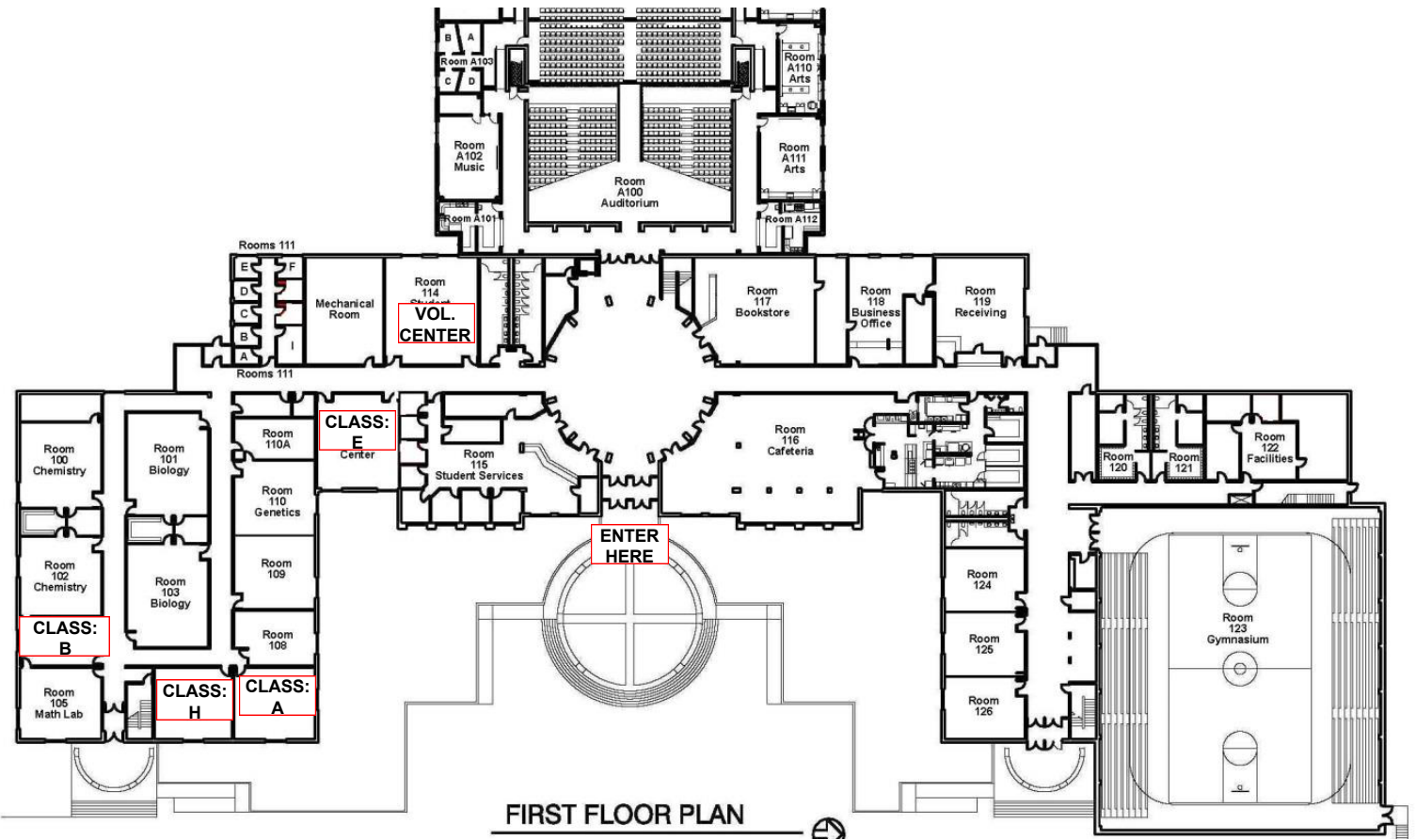
Turtle Mountain Community Middle Belcourt, ND

Mr. LaRocque Grade - 7
Ms. Jetty Grade - 7
Mr. Blue Grade - 7
Mr. Parisien Grade - 7
Michelle Trottier Grade - 7
Kameron Hamley Grade - 7

Dunseith Day School Dunseith, ND

Mrs. Pfahl Grade - 3
Mrs. Poitra Grade - 3
Mrs. Hunt Grade - 3

CAMPUS MAP



FIRST FLOOR PLAN



SECOND FLOOR PLAN



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