

# "Notes From School"

## Graduation Notes

The graduation ceremony for our 2016 Mondovi High School graduates will be held in the High School Gymnasium on Saturday, May 21, 2016 beginning at 1:30 PM. The Class of 2016 is the 127<sup>th</sup> class to graduate from Mondovi High School.

As we prepare to honor the graduates of 2016, I thought it might be interesting to take a look back at 1998-1999. These are the years that this group of seniors was born. Isn't it amazing to sit and ponder how much they have seen in their lifetime? Here are some of the highlights:

### 1998

- Europe agreed on a single currency, the Euro.
- Google was founded.
- Denver defeated Green Bay in the Super Bowl (Ugh!)
- Titanic became the highest grossing film of all time.
- The last episode of Seinfeld aired.

### 1999

- Nelson Mandela stepped down as President of South Africa.
- First successful human hand transplant.
- MySpace, Napster, and Bluetooth were introduced into the world of technology.

Upon the conclusion of the graduation ceremony, the list of Mondovi High School alumni, which began in 1890, will include 62 more names. Each of these individuals will set out on a new journey that may someday land them on someone else's list of highlights at a future graduation. No matter what path they choose whether it be workforce, military, or further education, they will always be a part of our school's history. To each of these new alumni, the community and School District of Mondovi extend congratulations and best wishes for much happiness and success. Go Buffs!