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# Central Elementary Meet the Teacher Night

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## Central Elementary Meet the Teacher Night

Dexter, Missouri - Central Elementary which educates 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students at Dexter Public Schools will host a "Meet the Teacher" Night.

Students and Parents are invited to meet their teachers on Tuesday, August 7, 2018 from 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Below is the schedule:

5:30 - 6:00 - Parents and students will visit with their HOMEROOM Teacher and bring school supplies.

6:00 - 6:30 - Parents will meet in the gym, students will remain with their homeroom teacher to put supplies away and get acquainted

6:30 - 7:00 - Students and parents will visit with their AM and PM teachers.

7:00 - 7:30 - Parents may visit with other grade level teachers if needed.

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## Lauren Rascher Receives Jamie Sifford Scholarship

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### Lauren Rascher Receives Jamie Sifford Scholarship

Dexter, Missouri - Lauren Rascher from Dexter High School received the Jamie Sifford Scholarship in the amount of \$500.

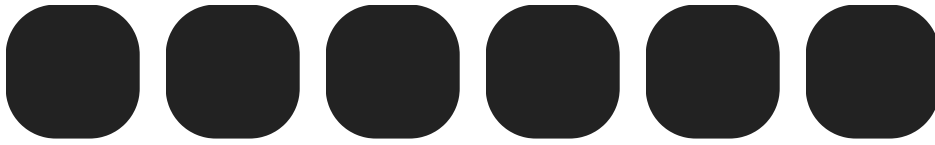
Lauren will be attending Murray State University in the fall and major in agriculture education.

"Jamie Sifford was a customer of Biovante from 2014 to 2016. Jamie was a student of farming who was always looking to learn more about how to grow healthier and higher yielding crops. Unfortunately, he passed away on April 23, 2016. Jamie was not just a customer but a friend. While he was passionate about farming, he deeply loved his children and when you were around him you couldn't help but smile. His personality was one of the best you could find. As long as Biovante exists we will continue to offer graduating seniors from Dexter who pursue a career in agriculture this scholarship," commented Christopher Masters.

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## Back to School Sales Tax Holiday Weekend Aug 3rd - 5th

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### Back to School Sales Tax Holiday Weekend Aug 3rd - 5th

The 2018 Back to School Sales Tax holiday in Missouri is the weekend of August 3rd - August 5th.

Certain back-to-school purchases, such as clothing, school supplies, computers, and other items as defined by the statute, are exempt from some sales tax for this time period only.

State taxes and some county taxes will be waived on the following items:

Clothing – any article having a taxable value of \$100 or less

School supplies – not to exceed \$50 per purchase

Computer software – taxable value of \$350 or less

Personal computers – not to exceed \$1,500

Computer peripheral devices – not to exceed \$1,500

Graphing calculators – not to exceed \$150

City taxes will still apply in many cities throughout Missouri.

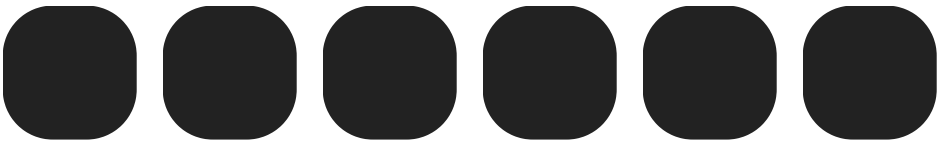
Additional details about the sales tax holiday weekend are available on the Missouri State Department of Revenue’s website.

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# Dexter Public Schools Hire New Resource Officer

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Dexter Public Schools Hire New Resource Officer

Dexter, Missouri - The Dexter Public Schools have hired a new School Resource Officer. Don Donner has accepted his new assignment.

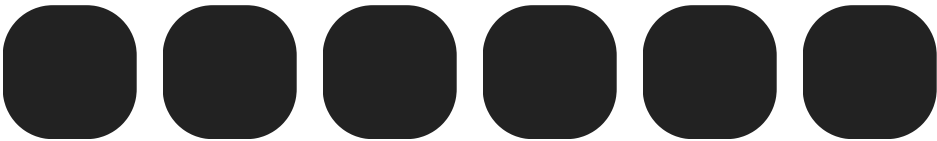
Today was his first day attending the Dexter Public School Registration Day at the Bearcat Event Center.

"I would like to thank the Dexter School System, City of Dexter, and the Dexter Police Department for making this happen," commented Chief Trevor Pulley. "I believe this will be a great addition to Dexter Schools and the community. To the administration, teachers, students and parents have a safe 2018-2019 academic school year."

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# Southwest Elementary 2nd Grade School Supply List Available

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## Southwest Elementary 2nd Grade School Supply List Available

Dexter, Missouri - Southwest Elementary has released the 1st Grade School Supply List for the 2018 - 2019 academic year.

Southwest Elementary School supplies all paper. Please no Trapper Keepers or notebooks. Also please purchase the plastic cigar box size school boxes. The larger boxes will not fit in the student desks.

2 boxes Crayons (24 pack)

1 Ruler (No Snap Rulers)

2 large boxes of tissues

1 backpack

1 pair Sharp Pt. Fiskars Scissors

2 pkg of 24 - #2 pencils (YELLOW)

1 bottle hand sanitizer

1 pkg baby wipes or Clorox wipes

1 pkg clear sheet protectors

1 bottle of white glue

1 dry eraser or black sock

2 pkgs dry erase markers, black

1 school supply box (no locks)

1 large package glue sticks

2 highlighters

1 pkg pencil end erasers or 1 pink block eraser

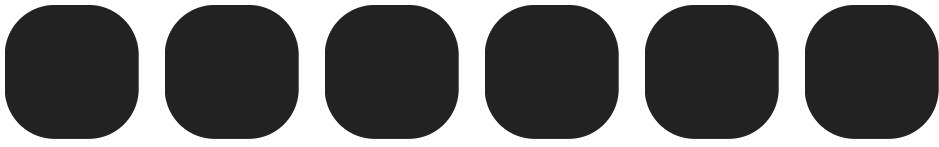
Boys bring 1 box of gallon size Ziploc bags

Girls bring 1 box of quart size Ziploc bags

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