Today is a beautiful day to be a Manitou Mustang. Thank you for choosing us and for being here today. This year, the City of Manitou Springs is celebrating its 150th anniversary. It is also the 100thanniversary of Manitou Springs Elementary School. I am proud to be a part of this community and this school district. I hope that you are able to participate in one of the many events that are planned to recognize this landmark occasion and more importantly to recognize and celebrate all of our school traditions—like bringing back the giant M on the side of the mountain.

From all of us with the MSSD14 Board of Education, welcome and welcome back! We wish you the best and here's to 100or 150more!

Natalie