



**Report from Chuck Haddaway**  
**Jefferson County Board of Education Member [District 4]**  
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- Honored to have participated in the Tuesday, August 16 #JCPSSchat on twitter from JCPS Forward
  - Guest Moderator was Karen Branham, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction provided some thought-provoking questions on the topic of “Student Belonging”
  - Highlights beyond the overall positivity of the discussion were
    - Some students participated in the chat
    - Compassion was a common thread; learning student names, listening to their concerns, understanding their world outside of school walls, finding creative ways to engage them in order to reach a sense of belonging and importance, a commitment to inclusion, and reaching out to outside organizations to assist in the community build
- Attended opening of football season at Butler Traditional High School
  - The Bears defeated the Meade County Green Wave.
  - Was encouraged to talk to so many administrators and parents, who were praising how the school year has started and their expectations for the near future.