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MEMO

TO:

Keith Davis

FROM:

Mark Mitchell

DATE:

January 9, 2018

RE:

Board Agenda Item - Girl Scout Project - Claire Schneider - Butterfly

Garden

Presented for Board approval is a request from Mr. Patrick Durham to allow Miss Claire Schneider, a local girl scout with Troop 1827, to build a butterfly garden at Shepherdsville Elementary School.

This will serve as Claire's Bronze Star Award project. The butterfly garden will consist of perennials that attract butterflies and birds. This garden will be designed to bring some beautification to the school and allow students to connect to nature. Claire will make a YouTube video on how to care for the small garden so that her troop would be able to maintain it for years to come.

I recommend the Board approve the request from Mr. Durham to allow Miss Claire Schneider, a local girl scout with Troop 1827, to build a butterfly garden at Shepherdsville Elementary School.

Attachments:

Memo from Mr. Patrick Durham

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Shepherdsville Elementary School

527 West Blue Lick Road Shepherdsville, KY 40165 502-869-7000

Patrick Durham, Principal

Lisa Overstreet, Counselor

To: Mark Mitchell

From: Patrick Durham

Date: 01/10/2018

Re: Girl Scout Beautification Project Request

Claire Schneider, a 5th grade Shepherdsville student with Girl Scout Troop 1827, has requested permission to construct a butterfly garden at school. This garden is intended to be a way for students to have opportunities to see nature, etc. Also, this garden will allow students to see some of the actual science lessons on life cycle take place in real time. The actual location for the garden is not current set. Miss Schneider has a plan to ensure the garden continues to be maintained. She will be making a video describing the plants and intended wildlife for the garden as well as how to care for the plants and garden structure.

Patrick Durham