



**Meet Our Burris  
Support Staff Team  
"Thrive at the Hive"**



SHERYL WALTON  
FRESH START  
PARAPROFESSIONAL

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- THIS IS MY 32ND YEAR WITH MCS.

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY STAYING POSITIVE AND HEALTHY.

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED BEING WITH MY FELLOW STAFF MEMBERS AND LOOKING TO THE FUTURE.



LINDA NEVES  
REMEDIATION AIDE

### NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 30 WONDERFUL YEARS

### I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- TRYING TO STAY POSITIVE, ENJOYING SOCIAL DISTANCING “GET TOGETHERS” WITH MY FRIENDS, AND FACETIMING WITH MY FAMILY...ESPECIALLY MY HANDSOME, SMART, ONE YEAR OLD GRANDSON, LUKE

### THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- FINALLY MAKING PLANS TO MEET WITH MY “FLORIDA KIDS” IN OCTOBER FOR OUR FIRST CAMPING ADVENTURE TOGETHER!



ALDA MCINTOSH  
MCS FOOD SERVICES  
DIRECTOR

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 29 YEARS

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- HIKING, BIKING, AND PLAYING TENNIS.

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- NEW CHALLENGES AND THE CHILDREN & COMMUNITY THRIVING THROUGH ADVERSITY.



VIVIAN BLACKWELL  
CLASSROOM AIDE

NUMBER OF YEARS WITH  
MCS

- 23 YEARS

I AM THRIVING THROUGH  
THE PANDEMIC BY...

- BEING GRATEFUL

THIS YEAR, I AM MOST  
EXCITED ABOUT...

- GETTING TO KNOW OUR  
NEW 3RD GRADE



STEPHANIE CHASTAIN  
BURRIS CAFETERIA  
EMPLOYEE

### NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- I'VE BEEN WITH MCS/BURRIS FOR 17 YEARS

### I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- VISITING FAMILY, DOING CRAFTS, AND READING. I ALSO LIKE TO SIT WITH MY SISTERS ON THE BACK PORCH, WHENEVER POSSIBLE, AND VISIT.

### THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- CELEBRATING MY GRANDDAUGHTER'S 1ST BIRTHDAY, AND TO SEE HOW NOT ONLY THE KIDS, BUT MY SON, GROW DURING HIS FIRST YEAR IN YOUTH MINISTRY.



JENNIFER SPENCER  
CLASSROOM AIDE

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 15TH YEAR

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- SPENDING A LOT OF TIME WITH MY FAMILY AND LEARNING TO APPRECIATE ALL THE THINGS IN MY LIFE.

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- SEEING ALL THE KIDS! I AM EXCITED TO WORK WITH THEM AND WATCH THEM GROW!



CHERYL HAWORTH  
REMEDICATION AIDE

### NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- THIS IS MY 15TH YEAR WITH MCS.

### I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- FACETIMING MY KIDS AND GRANDKIDS, CHECKING IN ON FAMILY AND FRIENDS MORE OFTEN. HAVING LUNCH AND VISITING FRIENDS, WHILE SOCIAL DISTANCING, HAS BEEN VERY IMPORTANT. I'VE ALSO TRIED NEW THINGS, WORKED ON PROJECTS AND READ A LOT OF BOOKS.

### THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- BEING BACK IN THE ROUTINE OF SCHOOL, GETTING TO BE AROUND THE KIDS AND MY COWORKERS. I'M ALSO EXCITED ABOUT WATCHING THE LADY BLUEJACKETS THIS UPCOMING BASKETBALL SEASON.





JAMIE WALDRON  
BURRIS CAFETERIA  
MANAGER

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 9 YEARS

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- MAKING THE MOST OF ALL THE CRAZINESS AND DOING PROJECTS AROUND THE HOUSE.

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- EVENTUALLY GETTING BACK TO “NORMAL” AND BEING ABLE TO VISIT AND SOCIALIZE WITH FRIENDS AND FAMILY



CORDELIA SANDERS  
REMEDIAATION AIDE

### NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- THIS WILL BE MY 4TH YEAR AT MCS.

### I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- SLOWING DOWN AND ENJOYING AS MUCH TIME AS I CAN WITH MY FAMILY.

### THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- GETTING TO KNOW ALL OF THE NEW STUDENTS AND RECONNECTING WITH THE ONES THAT I'M FAMILIAR WITH.



DARLENE FIELDS  
DAY SHIFT CUSTODIAN

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 4 YEARS

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- PUTTING MY WORSHIP MUSIC ON AND PRAISING AND DANCING

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- A FAMILY FALL TRIP TO THE GRAND CANYON



LYN BROWN  
BURRIS CAFETERIA  
EMPLOYEE

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 4 YEARS AT MCS

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- STAYING POSITIVE AND KEEPING BUSY QUILTING

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- HELPING MY DAUGHTER PLAN HER WEDDING IN 2021



TAMMY ENDRIS  
BURRIS CAFETERIA  
EMPLOYEE

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 3 YEARS AT MCS

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- RIDING HORSE, STAYING POSITIVE, READING THE BIBLE

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- RETURNING TO WORK AND LOOKING FORWARD TO 2021. PRAYING FOR A HEALTHY YEAR.



LINDSEY BESS  
BURRIS CAFETERIA  
EMPLOYEE

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 2 YEARS

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- STAYING BUSY RUNNING MY CHILDREN TO ALL THEIR SPORTS ACTIVITIES WHILE PRACTICING SAFE SOCIAL DISTANCING

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- TRYING TO GET BACK TO NORMAL LIFE AS MUCH AS WE CAN



JOE OKTAVEC  
BURRIS CAFETERIA  
EMPLOYEE

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 2 MONTHS

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- DOING YARDWORK

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- RETIREMENT



JENNIFER ALLEN  
BURRIS CAFETERIA  
EMPLOYEE

## NUMBER OF YEARS WITH MCS

- 1 MONTH

## I AM THRIVING THROUGH THE PANDEMIC BY...

- KEEPING BUSY, ACTIVE, AND TAKING MY VITAMINS!

## THIS YEAR, I AM MOST EXCITED ABOUT...

- GETTING BACK INTO OUR REGULAR ROUTINE AGAIN AND BEING ABLE TO GET TOGETHER WITH ALL OUR FAMILY AGAIN. GO BLUE JACKETS! :)