## DINGMAN-DELAWARE MIDDLE SCHOOL - MR. JAMES MITCHELL

- The Dingman-Delaware Middle School hosted the twenty-fifth annual "Senior Citizen Dinner Theatre" on Friday, November 9, 2018. Over two hundred and fifty senior citizens enjoyed a complete chicken parmesan dinner with dessert, refreshments, and door prizes. Many students from Dingman-Delaware Middle School helped in setting up, escorting, and waiting tables throughout the evening. The evening ended with the seniors attending our drama production, "Willy Wonka, Jr.". The night was a great success!
- On November 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> the DDMS Drama Club presented an outstanding performance of "Willy Wonka, Jr." written by Rondald Dahl. This theatrical production was presented in musical fashion by a very talented group of students from Dingman-Delaware Middle School. Fifty middle school students and a handful of high school students were involved in the production, and as a result the auditorium was filled to the brim with parents and friends. The students had a wonderful time and so did the audience!
- **Goal Setting Day:** On Monday, November 19, 2018 all students in 6th, 7th and 8th grade created a personal and an academic goal with their homeroom teacher. All students will re-visit their goal at the end of the year to see what type of progress they have made.
- <u>College Awareness Week</u>: College Awareness Week was held November 19-23, 2018. There were informational announcements and a theme week where DDMS showed off their College Spirit. Teachers were also represented as the universities and colleges they attended were displayed outside of the counseling office by department
- In the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, November 20th, parents of the Dingman-Delaware Middle School had the opportunity to speak with individual teachers on the academic progress of their children this school year. This is a perfect time for parents and teachers to provide feedback to each other for the benefit of our students. It was a very productive and positive event.
- The Dingman-Delaware Middle School honored our students' grandparents and great-grandparents on the morning of Wednesday, November 21, 2018. Students invited their grandparents to be our guests for a brief social in the cafeteria provided by our Parent/Teacher Association. Grandparents were treated to the sounds of our band, chorus, and orchestra students. The day ended with the grandparents receiving a photo with their grandchildren to commemorate the day.
- School Security Drill (In place of fire drill): Wednesday, November 29, 2018: 2 minutes, 45 seconds