

BOARD AGENDA INFORMATIONAL ITEM

DEPARTMENT: Communications/Public
Information Department

TOPIC: GOOD NEWS

FOR THE MONTH OF: July/August 2022

1. **Gaston County Schools** received an Award of Merit from the National School Public
The publication
was one of only 34 national award winners in the magazine category.
2. More than 80 beginning teachers par

6. Students in **Gaston County Schools** had the opportunity to participate in a summer learning program, which provided a wide variety of academic, enrichment, leadership, and extracurricular activities.

7. The **Gaston County Schools** Secretaries Conference was held on August 4 at Highland School of Technology. The theme was "The training and development of the future" and covered a number of other topics, including Google and technology, policies and procedures, Synovia transportation system, sales tax requirements, self

23. **McAdenville Elementary** received various donations of school supplies. Karen Rash donated 48 backpacks and the Cramer Mountain Investment Club donated several boxes of supplies. In addition, the McAdenville Wesleyan Church held a cookout and provided eet the Teacher Night program.
24. **South Point High School** senior **Will Ross** was recognized as a 2021-2022 Academic All-American by the National High School Coaches Association.
25. The **Southwest Middle School** football team and school resource officer **Jamar Kendrick** volunteered at the Moun
-a-way.
26. **Woodhill Elementary School** received \$1,600 worth of school supplies from Lutheran Chapel Church in Gastonia.