



## Haddonfield School District 2022 Governor's Educator of the Year or Educational Support Person of the Year



On December 6, 2022, school administrators surprised **Steven Fluharty** with the news that he had been named **Educational Support Person of the Year** for Haddonfield Memorial High School!

L to R: Assistant Superintendent Gino Priolo, *Fluharty*, Principal Tammy McHale, Superintendent Chuck Klaus, Assistant Principal Dan Licata, Dean of Students Greg Eiding.

**STEVEN FLUHARTY, school counselor**  
HADDONFIELD MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

In October, school districts throughout New Jersey began soliciting nominations for the **Governor's Educator of the Year** program. Parents, students and even other district employees were encouraged to submit nominations for either a teacher or educational support person whose performance has been outstanding.

We received more than 200 nominations, a testament to the fact that Haddonfield School District has a large number of excellent teachers and staff. Committees were formed, one for each school, consisting of teachers, parents, students, board members and administrators who met to review all submissions. Finally they narrowed the field to nine talented and dedicated individuals, including Steve!

Here are a few of the statements made on his nomination forms:

*Mr. Fluharty is very dedicated to his students and school. He does an amazing amount of organizing and he stays on top of the students' needs. Starting from 9th grade assisting the students to acclimate to the high school, to 12th grade as they prepare for college and everything in between.*

*Students adore Mr. Fluharty. He has the unique ability to put a smile on anyone's face with his sense of humor and positive energy. He is the counselor every kid needs. Parents know Mr. Fluharty as a trusted advisor who puts a student's best interest first.*