

All school facilities within the Columbia County School System will be named according to the facility's location and no school will carry the name of any individual living or deceased. However, it is permissible for certain areas within a school such as **media centers**, gymnasiums, athletic fields, etc., to bear the names of outstanding citizens of the county, state or nation. **In order to be considered, the nominated individual must be either deceased for three years or retired and sixty-five years of age or older.**

In lieu of the above, each school in the Columbia County School System may elect to develop and maintain a method of formally recognizing and permanently displaying contributions of outstanding individuals in a fashion similar to the "Freedom Shrines" which are already housed in all Columbia County Schools.

PROCEDURE: YES

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