

THE TIME IS NOW: STAND TOGETHER TO SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS

Protect Their Education • Secure Their Future • Strengthen Our Community

Every child deserves strong teachers, small class sizes, safe learning spaces and critical academic programs—but without action, their future is at risk. This levy is about protecting students' education and ensuring they have the resources they need to succeed.

When we unite behind our students, we show the true strength of Nordonia. **Let's Fight Like a Knight—together!**



DEFEND SMALL CLASS SIZES

Without this levy, class sizes could grow, leading to less individual attention and making it harder for students to learn.

PROTECT CRITICAL ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

From reading intervention to STEM and AP classes, without funding, these opportunities could disappear.

KEEP SCHOOLS SAFE AND WELL-MAINTAINED

A safe learning environment matters. This levy will help maintain roofs, boilers and essential infrastructure to ensure students can focus on learning without disruptions.

STRENGTHEN OUR COMMUNITY

Strong schools benefit everyone. Quality education makes Nordonia Hills a desirable place to live, protects home values and helps shape future leaders.



What You Can Do

Spread the Word

Talk to neighbors, friends and family. Make sure they understand this is about students and our community's future.

Show Your Support

Post on social media, display a yard sign and join the **#FightLikeAKnight** movement.

Mobilize Voters

Encourage a **YES** vote to protect our students' future. Every vote counts!



Election Day Is May 6. Make Your Plan to Vote!

Visit www.NordoniaTogether.com to learn more and take action today!

Knights Stand Strong: The Numbers Behind the Need

Nordonia's schools are at a crossroads. Without this levy, critical programs, small class sizes and safe, well-maintained schools are at risk. Here's what's at stake and why **we must act now.**

➔ No New Money Since 2019

It's been five years since Nordonia passed an operating levy.

- **2019:** Voters approved a 6.3-mill levy
- **2025:** The district is asking for 5 mills
- **2 mills from an old bond expired this year,** making the 5-mill request feel like 3 mills

➔ What Will the Average Homeowner Pay?

- **\$8.75/month per \$100K** appraised value
- \$26.25/month for a \$300K home

➔ What's at Risk if the Levy Fails?

- School building closure/consolidation
- Busing reductions/eliminations
- Afterschool and community athletic programs lose facility access
- AP, STEM, arts and student support courses cut



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If you'd like to donate, please scan the QR code.

➔ Nordonia Has Taken Action to Reduce Costs

- 10.5 teaching positions reduced through attrition
- 39.5 teaching and support positions eliminated in February 2025
- 3 full-time support staff eliminated in 2024
- 3 K-12 counseling positions cut, removing crucial student support services
- Experienced teacher buyout (estimated loss of 300 years of expertise)
- Athletic and arts fees increased, saving \$27,000

➔ Fiscal Responsibility Recognized

- The Nordonia School District has received the Ohio Auditor of State Award with Distinction 10 of the last 11 years
- Only 5% of school districts and public institutions earn this honor

**Nordonia
Continues
to Cut Costs.**

**Now We Must
Meet Them
Halfway.**



✓ **STRONG SCHOOLS = A STRONG COMMUNITY**

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