

MMHS Eagle HighFLIGHTS:

*Our very own Liz Eaton was selected by Preps Magazine this week, along with 4 other girls' basketball players from other schools, to compete for the first round of their Edge MVP award. Congratulations girls!

*Congratulations to our FBLA Club on their success at the Central Region Competition on December 12th. It was an exceptional group effort that placed MMHS 4th overall, while competing against 23 schools! We had the largest competing Chapter from Region 8 in attendance, and all students representing our school in the finest of fashions! We have listed the individuals and teams who placed in the top five of their specific competitions. Individual Events: Robert Nay—1st place in Cyber Security, Computer Apps, Tech Concepts, and Help Desk! Thomas Heinz—1st place in Business Communication! Rebekkah Hart—3rd place in Business Procedures and 5th place in Personal Finance! Becca Bair—4th place in Business Procedures and 4th place in Client Service! Ben Foutz—4th place in Accounting I and 5th place in Business Math!

Team Events: Parliamentary Procedure -- Kati Branch, Becca Bair, Rebekkah Hart, and Robert Nay—3rd place; Management Decision Making: Kati Branch and James Warren—4th place; Management Information Systems -- Diana Lopez, Yuliana Lopez, and Katie Mendoza—5th place; Global Business – Hannah Cook, Megan Larsen, and Ben Foutz—5th place. Many other students competed well at Regionals and worked very hard. The FBLA Club is planning on building off of their success at Regionals and beginning their preparations now for State, which is held in March. Great job MMHS FBLA and good luck at State!!!

*Congratulations to our November and December "Students of the Month!" These students were selected by their teachers because of their amazing qualities and strengths which makes them an excellent student, friend, and leader among their peers! Congratulations to: November -- Kristie Reategui, Drake Allen, Megan Pickett, Robert Nay, Ashley Hirst, and Jacob Hatch; December – Lillian Swan, Conner Lunt, Kourtney Truesdell, Garrett Griffin, Joslyn Haynie, Kevin Rose --Congratulations to these amazing students!

*The MMHS Ellevés competed in their first competition of the season, The UVU Invitational Drill Team Competition, at UVU on Saturday, December 14. The Ellevés competed in the Hip Hop, Military, Dance, and Character categories. There were eleven schools competing in the 4A division. The Ellevés won 2nd place in the Hip Hop category, 2nd place in the Dance category, 2nd place in the Character category and 4th place in the Military category. Overall, in the 4A division, the Ellevés were ranked 2nd. Brandi Gessel won 3rd place in the combined 4A/5A drill down and was awarded a medal. Congratulations Ellevés!

Monday E-mail to Parents: 12-16-13

*For more school information and to view assembly bell schedules, please go to our school website at: <https://mmhs.nebo.edu>

***Class Choice:** Class Choice will be open for students to make online changes without a fee beginning on Dec 19th (opening sometime on this day) through January 5th. Students may access Class Choice from the MMHS web page using their SIS log-in information. January 6th – 15th: Counselor assisted schedule adjustments require a \$10 fee. ALL REQUESTS MUST BE SUBMITTED BEFORE 3:00 PM ON JANUARY 15TH.

***ACT Prep Class:** Students may sign-up for the next ACT Prep Class (This is a two session class scheduled for 1/25/14 & 2/1/14, from 8:00-11:30 am). The cost is \$50, which includes an ACT textbook.

***Scholarship Opportunities:** Please check our counseling scholarship website for the latest scholarship opportunities!

***PTSA Corner:** (Jana Kessinger, MMHS PTSA President)

We are excited to announce that we are working really hard to get Maple Mountain custom mascot blankets for everyone to purchase. These amazing blankets are made out of Nubay Plush. They are very soft to the touch and have vibrant colors. If I can describe the material in two words it is "bunny soft." We will incorporate our school logo and colors onto the 60" x 80" mascot blanket. Don't be fooled, as these are not

the past fleece or woven blankets that you have seen before. Don't miss your chance to get your own. Not only will you be acquiring a quality keepsake, you are also helping to support the programs that make our school special. A great Christmas gift for your student or for yourself! **The blanket cost is: \$40**

****Detailed blanket information and order form can be found at the end of this e-mail.****

Please contact Jana Kessinger with questions: 801-787-3787 or janakessinger@gmail.com. Thank you!

***Student Drawing:** The Library is holding a drawing to give away a Nextbook Tablet. Every time you checkout an eBook through the Library using FollettShelf or one of the Follett Apps, between now and December 18th, your name will be entered in the drawing to win the tablet, or one of a few other prizes. See Ms. Mattinson in the Library for more information on how to access the eBooks. (Instructions included at the end of this e-mail.)

***FFA – MMHS Floral & Greenhouse Sale:** Maple Mountain Greenhouses will have poinsettias for sale: \$8.00 for an 8" pot. For more information, including how to order, please visit www.maplemountainffa.com

***NCAA Higher Standards for Eligibility:** The National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) has increased the eligibility requirements for those students that will begin college in August of 2016 and thereafter. These increased standards affect current high school sophomores who will graduate in the spring of 2016 and enter college that fall. The most important changes for eligibility standards are: 1) Student-athletes must earn at least a **2.3 grade point average** in the required core courses and achieve a minimum standardized test score (ACT/SAT) according to the NCAA Initial Eligibility sliding scale. 2) **At least 10** of the required 16 core courses must be earned prior to the start of their senior year. **Seven** of those must be completed in English, math, or science courses.

The NCAA Division I Board of Directors approved the enhancements to the academic standards for incoming freshmen who wish to participate in Division I athletics with the intent "... to ensure that all student-athletes who come to NCAA campuses are academically prepared for the rigors of a college classroom. Collectively, the focus is aimed at enabling student-athlete success on the field, in the classroom, and in life."

***Mega Detention:** We will be holding Mega Detentions on Wed, Dec 18th, and Wed, Jan 8th, from 2-5 pm, in the Computer Lab (Room C-207). Each Mega Detention is \$5. Students need to pay this fee in the Finance Office -- limited seating -- first-come-first-served! Students have to be on time to Mega Detention and serve the complete three hours, until 5pm, to receive the 5-hour detention credit. This detention is only for students who need to serve five or more hours. Any questions, please contact Natalie Beal at 801-794-6740.

Dec 16-21

*Dec 16

No calendar items

*Dec 17

Girls' Basketball vs Orem @ MMHS

*Dec 18

Mega Detention (2-5pm) Pre-register in finance office (\$5)

Carols & Confections (7pm in MMHS Auditorium)

Wrestling vs Wasatch @ MMHS

*Dec 19

Boys' Basketball Red Rock Tournament @ Dixie (Dec 19, 20, 21)

Girls' Basketball @ Juab

FINE ARTS ASSEMBLY SCHEDULE

December 20, 2013

1	7:55 am	9:02 am
Assembly	9:10 am	10:05 am
2	10:14 am	11:21 am
Lunch	11:21 am	11:59 am
3	12:05 pm	1:12 pm
4	1:18 pm	2:25 pm

*Dec 20 FINE ARTS ASSEMBLY (We will be on a morning assembly schedule—schedule listed above)
Wrestling Reno Tournament of Champions (Dec 20, 21)

**DECEMBER 23 – JANUARY 1: "CHRISTMAS BREAK"
SCHOOL WILL RESUME ON JANUARY 2**

Jan 2-4

*Jan 2

No calendar items

*Jan 3

Wrestling @ Tooele High School (Jan 3rd & 4th)

Girls' Basketball vs SFHS @ MMHS

*Jan 4

Drill Team Competition @ Copper Hills High School

Swim Meet with SHHS and SHS @ SHS

Winter Drumline Camp (Mr. Wilson)

**FollettShelf and Catalist
Digital Online-**

**MMHS School Webpage/Departments/Media Center/"link to MMHS Library Resources"
Or**

**Nebo School District Webpage/Students/School Library Search/Maple Mountain High
*links to both FollettShelf and Catalist on the Home and Catalog pages**

**Follett Shelf User Name: Student Number
Password: Last Name**

**Catalist User Name: maplemo
Password: catalist3178**

-Fiction and Non-Fiction eBooks and digital audio books

-Check-out books for 3 weeks or read onsite

Follett Apps-

***Follett Digital Reader Textflow (used on iphone and ipod touch)**

***Follett Digital Reader (used on ipad and android devices)**

***Follett Enlghten (used on smart phones, tablets, and ipodtouch)**

URL- wbb37360.follettshelf.com

Username- student number

Password- last name



***Catalist Digital (used on iphone, ipad, ipod touch, and Android devices)**

Username- maplemo

Password- catalist3178



MMHS Blankets

Make all checks payable to
"Maple Mountain High School PTA"

Introducing our new High School Spirit Blanket

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Don't miss your chance to get your own blanket and display your school spirit proudly. Not only will you be acquiring a quality keepsake, you are helping to support the programs that make our school special.

This will be a great gift for parents, grandparents, and all members of your family. Take your blankets to sporting events and proudly display your school spirit for future years to come.

Student Name: _____ Phone: _____ English Teacher: _____

English Period A or B _____ Parent Name _____ Parent email _____

ITEM	QTY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE		LINE TOTAL
MMHS Blanket		Mascot Spirit Blanket	\$40.00 each	QTY__ X \$40 =	
PTSA Donation		Optional Donation for activities	\$_____		
PTSA Donation		Optional Donation for scholarships	\$_____		
TOTAL					



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