

## **MMHS Eagle HighFLIGHTS:**

\*Mr. Gillespie, our amazing art teacher, recently returned from a "National Art Education Association" conference in New Orleans, where he presented. One of the sessions he co-presented with four other art educators from all over the U.S., was regarding their involvement with Art21 Educators. This was a "super session" held in the great hall of the convention center (the room was as big as a football field), and 200-300 people attended this session. Mr. Gillespie talked about some of the studio projects our students had been involved with and showed photos of our students' work, in conjunction with Art21 materials, and explained the way our students have been able to push their comfort zones, with the way they conceptualize, talk about, make, and reflect on their artworks. Our students are really doing some great things and Mr. Gillespie had educators from around the country asking him specific questions about the methods and approaches used at our school in order to get students to think about and create art that is very advanced and exciting! Mr. Gillespie expresses how grateful he is to be part of such a supportive school that is willing to send him to these conferences to show-off the awesome things our students are doing!!!

**\*MMHS Boys' Tennis:** The MMHS Boys Tennis Team had a great week April 13-17 with three victories against Payson, Wasatch and Spanish Fork. Varsity singles players Andrew Blonquist, Eric Whiting and Brigham Perry set the example for consistent play as they all won easily against their opponents. 1st Doubles players Nam Luu/Danny Blonquist served and volleyed to beat Payson and Spanish Fork while 2nd doubles team Austin Edwards/Joe Phelps came to the net to win a 3-set match against Wasatch and won easily in straight sets against Payson and SF.

Junior Varsity players Eli Brady and Sam Hart/Andrew Hill beat Spanish Fork while Eli and Payton Lewis dominated Wasatch easily. Doubles players Sam Hart/Brandon Squire, Kal Ruiz/Will Swanson and McKay Kriser/Carson Christensen beat Payson with solid play.

## **Monday E-mail to Parents & Students: 4-20-15**

\*For more school information, please go to our school website at: <https://mmhs.nebo.edu>

**\*Graduation Robes: \*\*\*SENIOR STUDENTS\*\*\*** Graduation is around the corner, and if you have not already ordered your graduation robes, please do so as soon as possible by contacting Josten's at: 435-688-8409!!! There are also order forms in the main office! Be sure and get this taken care of right away!

**\*Driver Education:** The summer driver education class dates are now posted online at <http://mmhs.nebo.edu/DriversEd> Select a class that is conflict free from sports, camps, vacations and other activities. You can sign up at the MMHS finance office. The guidelines have recently changed regarding the online class, so please read everything carefully about the online class found on the MMHS webpage. Classes fill up quickly, so don't wait. You must have a current learner permit when signing up.

## **TESTING WINDOW INFORMATION**

SAGE CRT

April 13 - May 22

UAA - Dynamic Learning Map

April 13 - May 10

(Tentative)

**\*MMHS Counseling:** Students interested in visiting any of the following college campuses please sign up in the counseling office. There is a \$5 fee to attend and students will be responsible for lunches for the day they attend, except USU Eastern. Space is limited so sign up early. Deadline to sign up is two days before departure.

University of Utah - Monday, April 27 Bus leaves MMHS @ 8 am  
Snow College - April 24 Bus leaves @ 9:00 am

We are also working on dates to visit Southern Utah University and USU East

We will be visiting USU Eastern, Monday April 20<sup>th</sup>. The bus will leave Maple Mountain @ 8 am. Lunch is provided for students who attend this campus visit at no charge.

**\*MMHS Skills USA:** Maple Mountain High School SkillsUSA club needs your help to send its Welding Fabrication Team and it's CPR/first aid contestant back to Louisville, KY for the National Competition. On March 27<sup>th</sup>. We took first place at the state level and were invited back to compete among the top competitors in the country. In hopes to help with this cost we would like to invite you to sign up and bring in anything you need to have repaired or re-welded. If you provide the material to fix your project, we will weld it back together for you. In return, we ask that you please donate money when your project is completed to help these boys make it back to Louisville. The 3<sup>rd</sup> annual MMHS Welding Fix It Saturday will be held May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8am to 4pm. We ask that you please be generous in your donations, but the amount donated will be up to you. Please spread the word to friends and family,

To set up a time or discuss your project needs, please contact MMHS welding instructor, Jared Massic ahead of time at: [Jared.Massic@nebo.edu](mailto:Jared.Massic@nebo.edu) or call him at [801 794 6740](tel:8017946740) ex 1530.

**\*MMHS Dance Company:** Maple Mountain High School Dance Company Auditions for the 2015-2016 school year will be Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> from 3-6pm in the MMHS Dance Room. Applicants must attend one of two clinics on Monday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, or Tuesday, April 28<sup>th</sup> from 3-5 pm in addition to the tryout. Information and applications are found on the MMHS website under Performing Arts and Healthy Lifestyles. Come and be a part of MMDC!

**\*MMHS Attendance:**

- Parents: Once you excuse an absence, it will take 24 hours for that absence to reflect on your student's SIS record.
- If you need to check-out your student, please call 801-794-6740 and **select option #1** to reach Mrs. Davis in our attendance office. If you reach Mrs. Davis's voicemail, please leave a message and she will return your call and take care of your request, as soon as possible. She retrieves her messages continually throughout the day. Thank you!

**\*MMHS Athletic Photographs:** A special "thank you" to Jeff Porcaro for taking so many wonderful photos of our MMHS athletes! To view these amazing pictures, please go to our school's website and select this link: *"Click here to access athletic pictures taken by Jeff Porcaro."*

**\*PTA Corner:** This month's MMHS PTSA Board Meeting will be held Thursday, April 16 at 11 a.m. in the Counseling Department Conference Room. *Please note the change in day, time, and location. Thanks!*

**\*State PTSA Battle of the Bands:** Congratulations to Synergy Cello Rock Band, not only did they place first right here at the Maple Mountain Battle of the Bands, but they also placed first at the Multi-Regional competition that was held in March. That means they will be representing Maple Mountain High School at the State PTSA Battle of the Bands competition. All 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place winning bands from regions across the state will compete. Come show your school pride and support for Synergy. We are hoping to have the loudest and largest cheering section in the state of Utah. This Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, at 6 pm. American Fork Jr. High \$5 PTSA members/students, \$6 nonmembers.

The **PTA "Master of the Wing" Scholarship application** is now available on the MMHS scholarship page. Applications are due April 16.

### **Apr 20-Apr 25 "Student Body Officers Final Election Week"**

#### \*Apr 20

Sophomore Baseball @ SFHS  
Girls' Golf Region Meet @ Spanish Oaks  
Drum Major Clinics (Apr 20-27)

#### \*Apr 21

Utah FFA Career Development Event @ Logan (Apr 21-22)  
Boys' Tennis @ Provo  
Softball @ Provo  
Baseball @ SFHS  
Boys' Soccer vs SFHS @ MMHS  
Track @ Payson  
School Community Council Mtg @ 3pm in the Eagle's Nest

#### \*Apr 22

Utah FFA Career Development Event @ Logan  
Region 8 Large Choir Festival @ Timpview  
Jr Drill @ 4pm in aux gym (Apr 22 & 23)

#### \*Apr 23

Senior Class pictures on soccer field @ 9:05  
Boys' Tennis @ SHS  
Softball @ SHS  
Girls' Golf Region Meet @ Gladstan  
Varsity Baseball vs SFHS @ MMHS  
Boys' Soccer @ SHHS  
Jr Drill @ 4pm aux gym (Brenchley)

#### \*Apr 24

Baseball vs SFHS @ MMHS  
Drum Major auditions @ 2:30pm in B-100

#### \*Apr 25

Track – Tiger Trials @ Orem HS  
State SOLO & Ensemble @ Orem  
Boys' Tennis Tournament @ Logan

### **April 27 – May 2 "Class Election Week"**

#### \*Apr 27

Dance Co try-out clinic @ 3pm in Dance Room (A-117) – Apr 27 & 28  
Sophomore Baseball vs SHHS @ MMHS  
Color Guard Clinic in main gym from 3-5pm  
Jr Drill @ 4pm in aux gym  
National Honor Society Ending Ceremony @ 6pm in Auditorium

#### \*Apr 28

Boys' soccer vs SHS @ MMHS  
Girls' Golf @ Hobble Creek  
Dance Co Try-out Clinic @ 3pm in Dance Room (A-117)

Baseball vs SHHS @ MMHS

Softball vs Wasatch @ MMHS

Jr Drill @ 4pm in aux gym & cafeteria

\*Apr 29

Dance Co Auditions @ 3pm in Dance Room (A-117)

Color Guard Clinic @ 3pm in main gym

Sophomore Baseball vs Timpanogos @ MMHS

\*Apr 30

Boys' Soccer @ Wasatch

Softball @ SHHS

Varsity Baseball @ SHHS

\*May 1

UMEA State Band Festival @ Corner Canyon (May 1 & 2)

Track @ BYU Invite (May 1 & 2)

Boys' Tennis JV Tournament at SHS

Color Guard Clinic @ 3pm in main gym

Elleves Showcase @ 7pm in auditorium

Baseball @ SHHS

\*May 2

UMEA State Band Festival @ Corner Canyon

Track @ BYU Invite