**MMHS Girls' Tennis:** The entire MMHS Girls Tennis Team qualified for the State Tournament following the Region tournament held Oct 1 & Oct 2 at Spanish Fork/Maple Mountain. 1st Singles Caroline Hickey rallied in the finals but took 2nd place against Springville while 2nd Singles Emma Harlan grabbed the 1st place medal against Salem. 3rd singles Abby Crandall took 1st place while going undefeated during the entire season. 1st Doubles KC Rose/Hattie Roney played an incredible 3 set match against Springville but ended up winning the 3rd place medal against Spanish Fork. 2nd Doubles Kaylee Whiting/Madi Munro ended up in the finals too placing 2nd, which puts them in a great spot for State. Good luck at State!

The Junior Varsity Tennis Team ended their season with great results at the tournament held Sept 25th at Springville High School. 1st Singles and 2nd Singles, Ellie Ashman and Tessa Peery, both took 1st Place after two grueling matches against Spanish Fork and Wasatch. Brittany Reese, 3rd Singles, took 2nd place against Springville and Seniors Katie Gomez/Hannah Bateman, 1st Doubles, took 3rd place over Salem Hills. 2nd doubles team Addie Edwards/Emma Taylor played great tennis against Salem Hills and grabbed the 2nd place spot. Jesse Dean, 3rd singles, grabbed the 4th place spot in her division while Ashlyn Hovey/Sophie McCausland, 3rd Doubles, ended the day with a 1st place victory against Wasatch. Congratulations to the team for a great season!

**Monday E-mail to Parents & Students:** 10-5-15

*For more school information, please go to our school website at:* [https://mmhs.nebo.edu](https://mmhs.nebo.edu)

**Parent Notification Information:** We have had parents contacting us regarding information on how to receive our Monday e-mails and text messages from our school.

- **To receive our Monday e-mails:** Please review your student’s SIS information to be sure contact information is accurate and your e-mail address is listed. If both parents would like to receive e-mails, be sure an e-mail address is listed for both parents.
- **To receive text messages:** Again, review the telephone information you have listed on your student’s SIS account. To receive text messages from our school, go to the area where you list your “Main” phone number and “Other” numbers. Be sure your cell phone is listed in the “Other” area and that you select “Cellular” in the drop-down box. Even if your main number is also your cell phone number, list that number again in the “Other” section as a “Cellular” number. If both parents would like to receive text messages, follow these instructions to list “Cellular” numbers for both parents.
- Questions, please contact our main office: 801-794-6740

**Students Ordering Food to be Delivered to School:** We have been experiencing a problem with some of our students placing food orders for lunch with local eating establishments, requesting them to deliver their order to school. The majority of these orders are delivered to the front office after lunch is over and classes are in session. We are asking students to please not place food orders to be delivered during school time. We appreciate your support as we try to resolve this problem. Thank you!

**Assembly Attendance:** We are having our students report to their second period classes before going to the assemblies for roll to be taken. After roll is taken, their second period teachers will walk them down to the assembly. After the assembly, students will report back to their second period classes. We are hoping by taking roll before the assemblies, our assembly attendance will improve. Thank you!
**GRADUATION INFORMATION:** Seniors who plan on walking at our graduation will need to rent a cap and gown from Josten’s. This is a very simple process! Just go to jostens.com, enter Maple Mountain High School as your school. You will find there a selection of cap and gown packages and other graduation items. Please do this ASAP to be sure you have your graduation robes reserved! Students may keep their caps and tassels, but will turn in their rented gowns to Josten’s at the end of our graduation ceremony on graduation day. Josten’s will have an area set-up at graduation for students to turn in rented gowns. If you have questions, please call Josten’s at: 1-800-567-8367.

**Sterling Scholars:** Seniors who would like to be nominated as a Sterling Scholar may now pick up applications in the Counseling Office. MMHS will recognize Senior students in 14 categories for excellence in scholarship, leadership, and community service. Applications must be submitted before November 2.

**OverDrive:** Maple Mountain High School and Nebo School District now have OverDrive! OverDrive is an online collection of eBooks and audiobooks that are available to students 24/7. OverDrive can be used online through the link nebo.lib.overdrive.com, or through the free app on your tablet or smartphone. Your user name and password is the same as your Nebo School District computer login. For more information, please see Miss Mattinson in our Library.

**PSAT Test:** The PSAT will be administered at MMHS on Wednesday, October 14, 2015. The PSAT serves as a practice test for the SAT as well as the qualifying test for the National Merit Scholarship, the PSAT must be taken during the Junior year. Register in the Finance Office, the regular cost of the test is $20.00. STUDENTS MAY REGISTER FOR A GUARANTEED SEAT AT A DISCOUNTED RATE OF $15.00 ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 25TH. Registration will continue on September 28th on a first come first serve basis at the $20.00 rate. See your Counselor in you have questions or would like more information about the benefits of taking the PSAT.

**Women of Distinction October 16-18, 2015 at Smith College:** Women of Distinction is a program for high school seniors which highlights the opportunities at Smith for African American, Latina, Asian American, and Native American students. Admission is competitive. Smith will provide round-trip transportation, meals and accommodations for all participants. To learn more see your counselor or go to www.smith.edu/admission/wod

**PTA Corner:**

Hello Parents and Students! We are looking forward to an exciting new year at Maple Mountain High. If you would like anything from the PTSA please contact us at ptsammhs@gmail.com. Remember you can join online at https://sites.google.com/site/ptsamaplemountain/ or you can pick up a membership form in the office. Members’ names (students and parents) will be put in a drawing at our board meeting in November for a gift card. Students and parents can buy a discount card for $6.50 and this will give them a membership to the PTSA as well. Discount cards will be available in the office.

**Reflections:** This year’s Reflections Theme is “Let Your Imagination Fly.” Start now to create an original art piece in: Literature, Visual Art or 3-D, Film Production, Music Composition, and Photography. Last year, MMHS had two winners who went all the way to state!!! Scholarships available to winners!! Entry forms and rules located in MMHS front office! Entries due to the MMHS front office by Oct 28th, 3:00 pm!

Oct 5 – Oct 9

*Oct 5*  
Golf State @ Soldier Hollow (Oct 5 & 6)
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Golf State @ Soldier Hollow
Girls’ Soccer vs PHS @ MMHS

*Oct 7
Soph Girls’ Soccer vs PHS @ MMHS
Fall Choral Showcase @ 7pm in auditorium

*Oct 8
State Tennis @ Liberty Park (Oct 8 & Oct 10)
Volleyball @ PHS
JV Football vs Wasatch @ MMHS

*Oct 9
Football @ Wasatch – 7pm
Cross Country Region Championship @ SHS

*Oct 10
Marching Band Tour to Idaho
State Tennis @ Liberty Park
UMEA All-State Choir Concert @ Salt Lake Tabernacle

Oct 12 – Oct 17

*Oct 12
No calendar items

*Oct 13
Girls’ Soccer First Round (TBA)
Football @ PHS
BYU Rocky Mountain Marching Band Invitational
Volleyball vs SHHS @ MMHS

*Oct 14
MEGA DETENTION:  2-5pm in Room C-207 (Students need to pre-pay $5 in the finance office prior to this date, and will receive 5 hours of detention credit for serving 3 hours of detention. Students are required to stay the full 3 hours to receive any detention credit.)

Debate Tournament (TBD)
PSAT Test (information listed above)
Football vs PHS @ MMHS

*Oct 15  FALL BREAK (No school)
Girls’ Soccer Quarterfinals (TBA)

*Oct 16  FALL BREAK (No school)
No calendar items

*Oct 17
No calendar items
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Do you have a child with special needs attending school in Nebo School District? Do you have questions or concerns about your child’s IEP? If so, there is someone who can help you!

Hi, my name is **Heidi Whittaker**. I am a Parent Mentor with the Utah Parent Center. The Utah Parent Center has partnered with Nebo School District to provide free assistance to families of children with special educational needs. I, too, have a child receiving special education services in Nebo School District.

If your child has special needs, so do you! As a Parent Mentor, I can provide:
- information
- referral
- assistance

Services are offered to parents and professionals through the provision of one-on-one consultations. I can help you by:
- Providing a private consultation in-person, by e-mail or over the phone regarding questions or concerns about the special education process.
- Providing information on the IEP process and your rights and responsibilities under IDEA.
- Helping you prepare for IEP meetings and providing support during IEP meetings.
- Connecting you to resources and supports in your community.
- Providing information about upcoming events in the district and statewide.

All services provided are free and confidential. No information will be released without your consent.

To contact me please email [heidi@utahparentcenter.org](mailto:heidi@utahparentcenter.org) or call me at 801.228.8144.