

September 29, 2022

Mill Creek

Newsletter

Home Of The Mustangs!

Enter to Learn, Go Forth to Serve

Reminders

- Doors Open at 7:35 am.
- School Hours - 7:55 to 3:05 pm.
- **Cell phones & backpacks are kept in lockers.**
- If you need to get a message to your child, please call the office 913.667.3512

Please remember when you arrive to pick up your student for an appointment that they will need a few minutes to get to their locker before coming out to your car. Please allow for a few extra minutes in your planning.



Important Links

- [Mill Creek Website](#)
- Follow us on Twitter - [@TheCreekMCMS](#)
- Need to Report an Absence? Click [HERE](#)
- [Black and Gold Calendar](#)
- [Contact Us](#)

Upcoming Events

- Oct 18 - Spelling Bee practice after school
- Oct 19 - Pink Out Event (details to follow)
- Oct 20 - End of 1st Qtr
Spelling Bee after school
- Oct 21/24 - No School. Teacher PD Days
- Oct 25 - 2nd Qtr starts. First GBB Games
- Nov 3 - Picture Retakes
- Nov 4 - STUCO Dance 6-8 pm

Message from Mr. Legler

MCMS Family,

Thank you for the time we were able to share together this week in parent/teacher conferences. Not only do conferences allow us some much needed face-to-face time (both in-person and via zoom), but they allow us a valuable opportunity as a community to share the numerous positive moments as well as challenges that together we see at school and at home. At parent teacher conferences we discuss everything from academic progress, testing data, enrichment/support opportunities, and most importantly, ways that we can strengthen our relationship with your children. This communication between home and school is one of the strongest contributing factors to improving student progress during the school year. Thank you for this valuable time and for entrusting us with your kiddos here at Mill Creek. Your support means the world to us.

Go Mustangs!
-Andrew Legler



*THANK YOU to our amazing PTA for providing our staff with snacks and dinner during conferences!

Athletics/Activities

Athletic Competitions next week:

Tues: VB, XC, FB Sat: VB KVL

GO MUSTANGS!

Reminder to all students that your laptops are a SCHOOL Device. Damage to them or school keyboards, etc are a violation of the Acceptable Use Policy and could result in a loss of the laptop privilege. Please treat your devices with respect.

Planning on doing a winter/spring sport? Now is a great time to turn in that sports physical!



6th grade girls interested in Girls on the Run - Contact jkellenberger@usd232.org

Parent Sponsor needed as well.

For More Information

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Questions About MCMS?

Our website has a wealth of information on how we do business at The Creek! Stay current on events, reach teachers, etc. There is even a FAQ section on the home page! Click [HERE](#) for more info!

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From The Library -

Spelling Bee

The school spelling bee will take place on two different days. The practice bee will happen on **Tuesday, October 18th from 3:05 - 4:00 p.m.** The Official Spelling Bee will be held on **Thursday, October 20th starting at 3:05 p.m.** until we have a school winner. All grade levels are welcome to participate. It is highly recommended to attend the practice session. The winner will qualify for the Johnson County Spelling Bee.

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Students who are planning to attend a home football game at DHS or MVHS need to have a parent or guardian with them at the game.

Reminder: students cannot bring backpacks, Kavu's, or any other type of bag into an MVHS football game. They will not be allowed to enter, and officers will NOT search bags to enable them to do so.

Spirit Week October 3 - 7

MONDAY - Night in/Night Out
PJ pants/Dress Fancy

TUESDAY - Teachers dress like students
Students dress like teachers

WEDNESDAY - Twin Day

THURSDAY - Hawaiian Day

FRIDAY - Color Wars
6th: Red, 7th: Green, 8th: Blue

From Our Counselors:

Dear MCMS Parents/Guardians:

The week of October 10th, Mill Creek will join schools across the country in recognizing Red Ribbon Week. The purpose of this week is to educate students on drug awareness and safety to encourage them to make decisions that will keep them safe and healthy. The 2022-2023 Red Ribbon Week Theme is "Celebrate Life-Live Drug Free." As an effort to educate on safe decision making, we will have 3 different presentations, 1 for each grade level during the week. Please be on the lookout for an email with more information regarding each specific presentation.

In addition to the presentations for students we will also be partnering with Sunflower House to offer an E-Safety presentation via Zoom for parents and caregivers on child sexual abuse awareness in our community, safety tips and effective methods to take with children about personal safety. This Zoom session will be held the evening of October 11th at 6:00pm.

*The Zoom link for this presentation will be sent out via email on 10/10/2022.

[More Information on Red Ribbon Week](#)

**USD 232 PARENT
INFORMATION SESSION:
KEEPING YOUR MIDDLE
SCHOOLER SAFE ONLINE**

**OCTOBER
11
6:00PM**

**Hosted by Sunflower
House**
6:00-7:00 P.M.
Location: Zoom
*Space is limited to 300
participants
*Zoom link will be sent out on
10/10

**SAVE
THE
DATE**