



December 7, 2020

A Proud Past, A Promising Future

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REMINDER TO STUDENTS/PARENTS:
Student e-mail accounts should only be used for schoolwork and educational purposes.
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“Start each day with a positive thought and a grateful heart.”
— Roy Bennett

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7

Breakfast –Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk
Lunch – Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk
JV Basketball @ Newberry

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8

Breakfast –Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk
Lunch – Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk
Varsity Basketball @ Newberry

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9

Breakfast –Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk
Lunch – Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10

Breakfast –Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk
Lunch – Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11

Breakfast –Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk
Lunch – Manager’s Choice, Juice, Milk

Good News

Congratulations to our November Students of the Month, **Cindy Weng, Michael Lindler, Ginny Bass, and Cameron Lybrand.**

Congratulations to **Mr. Peter Lewis**, our Teacher of the Month and **Mrs. Sissy Delesandro**, our Support Staff of the Month for November.

Cafeteria News



All school lunch and breakfast are at NO charge for the remainder of the 2020-2021 school year.

Students who choose to bring their own lunch may still get a fruit, vegetable, fries, or milk at no charge. Also, if you have a negative balance from last year please clear it up asap.

We have meal pickups on Wednesday 10 a.m. until 12 noon. You do not have to register to pick up. Pick up is in the car rider line.

On-going/Upcoming Events

ATTENTION 11th & 12th GRADE STUDENTS AND PARENTS/GUARDIANS

A Jostens Representative will return to MCHS on **Wednesday, December 9, 2020** to deliver class rings.

www.rhodesgraduation.com



The Season of Sharing program is a tradition for the student body at Mid-Carolina. Cans and nonperishable goods are collected throughout the month of November and donated to Pomaria Food Bank to help less fortunate families in Newberry County. This year’s Season of Sharing Can Food Drive began on **Monday, November 16th** and will end on **Friday, December 11th.**

EXAMS

Thursday, January 14 - Group 1 - 1st & 3rd Block
Friday, January 15 - Group 2- 1st & 3rd Block
Tuesday, January 19 - Group 2 - 2nd & 4th Block
Thursday, January 21 - Group 1 - 2nd & 4th Block

Senior yearbook ads and personal ads are currently for sale online. Prices will vary by size.

Purchases can be made at:

https://yearbookforever.com/schools/midcarolina_high_school_buy_yearbook_5230/gIt936um97m7TFxFOKoGMpIX/personal-ads

Senior Ad Deadline: January 22, 2021

2020-2021 ACT

Test @ MCHS
December 12, 2020
February 6, 2021
April 17, 2021

2020-2021 SAT

Test @ MCHS
December 5, 2020
March 13, 2021
May 8, 2021
June 5, 2021

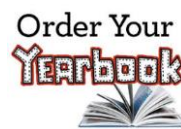
SAVE THE DATE

MCHS PROM 2021 - Saturday, April 24, 2021

Anyone wanting to be on the Prom Committee needs to contact Mrs. Felker or Mrs. Haltiwanger.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE.

Reserve your 2020-2021 yearbook today for \$65. After Christmas the price will increase to \$70.



Yearbook orders are placed on January 23 with the publishing company. A limited number of extras will be ordered.

Therefore, if you wish to purchase a yearbook after January 23, your name will be placed on a waiting list. If you receive a yearbook at delivery, payment of \$75 will be expected at time of issue.

WORD POWER

M	ACCLAIM to publicly praise ALLAY to calm, to ease
T	CONCILIATORY a friendly gesture of goodwill CONSENSUS a general agreement
W	DIVULGE to reveal, to make known EQUANIMITY composure, calm
Tf	FORTITUDE strength of mind to overcome adversity IMPROMPTU done without preparation, on the spur of the moment.
F	INTREPID brave, fearless INVIGORATE to energize, to be revitalized



Mid-Carolina High School

A Proud Past. A Promising Future.

Our mission: To engage students in educational experiences that ensure success and life-long learning.

Our vision is of a culture where all ideas are valued; a cooperative relationship exists between the school, the district, and the community; collaboration is expected; and people want to work and students want to learn.

10 TIPS TO BE YOUR BEST

1. THE BEST KNOW WHAT THEY WANT

I think a lot of people spend their life being average or *good* at something, but they don't strive to be great. The best of the best not only know what they want, but they want it more.

2. THE BEST WANT IT MORE

We cannot measure desire in terms of merely thought and wishes. The best not only do the things that others won't do and invest the time others won't invest, but they do so with passion and intent to get better. The best are never satisfied with where they are.

3. THE BEST ARE ALWAYS STRIVING TO BE BETTER

If you are striving to get better, then you are always growing. And if you are always growing, then you are not comfortable. To be the best, you have to be willing to be uncomfortable, and embrace it as a part of your growth process. The best see where there is room for improvement and their humility and passion drives them to improve. The average ones however, don't see it or don't want to see it. The fact is past success does not determine future success. Future success is the result of how you work and prepare

and practice and how you strive to improve every day. It's a commitment that the best of the best make every week, every day, every hour, and every moment. Force yourself to be uncomfortable.

4. THE BEST DO ORDINARY THINGS BETTER THAN EVERYONE ELSE

Work hard on the right things. It means you must identify the very "little things" that are fundamental to your success, and then you must focus on them, practice them, and strive to execute them to perfection.

5. THE BEST ZOOM-FOCUS

There is no secret recipe. If you incrementally improve each day, each week, each month, by the end of the year you'll see remarkable results and growth. When you zoom-focus on the process, the outcome takes care of itself. Master the fundamentals.

6. THE BEST ARE MENTALLY STRONGER

Being mentally strong means you stay positive through adversity. It means you are resilient when facing pressure, challenges and change. Weed and feed: Each day you need to weed out negativity and feed it positivity. You need to weed out the self-doubt and

negative talk and feed it positive thoughts, memories and visuals.

7. THE BEST OVERCOME THEIR FEARS

Those that succeed, those that reach the pinnacle of greatness, are able to face this battle (overcoming fear) and win.

8. THE BEST SEIZE THE MOMENT

When the best are in the midst of their performance they are not thinking 'What if I win?' or 'What if I lose?' They are not interested in what the moment produces, but they are only concerned with what they produce in the moment. Rather than hiding from pressure, they rise to the occasion. As a result, the best define the moment rather than letting the moment define them.

9. THE BEST LEAVE A LEGACY

You leave a legacy by living and working with a bigger purpose, you leave a legacy by making your life about more than just you. You leave a legacy by moving from success to significance.

10. THE BEST MAKE EVERYONE AROUND THEM BETTER

The point is to strive to be your best and inspire others to be their best, because it's in the striving where you find greatness, not in the outcome.

- Jon Gordon

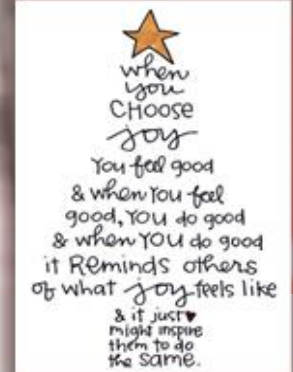
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Important Dates

12/9	Rhodes Graduation Ring Delivery Day
12/21-1/1	Winter Holidays—Schools/Offices Closed
1/4	Teacher Planning & Preparation
1/5	Students Return
1/14	High School Exams—Group 1—1st & 3rd Block
1/15	High School Exams—Group 2—1st & 3rd Block
1/18	Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday
1/19	High School Exams—Group 2—2nd & 4th Block
1/21	High School Exams—Group 1—2nd & 4th Block
1/22	2nd Semester Begins
1/23	Miss MCHS Pageant
1/28	Parent/Teacher Conferences—PM
1/29	Parent/Teacher Conferences—AM—No School for Students
2/12	Professional Development—No School for Students
2/15	President's Day—Schools/Offices Closed
2/26	Interim Reports Issued
3/12	Holiday—Schools/Offices Closed
3/23	ACT Spring Testing
3/24	SAT Spring Testing
3/30	End of 3rd Nine Weeks



Reminders



FACULTY FUND

Don't forget to contribute to the MCHS Faculty Fund. The cost for 2020-2021 is \$15 each.



Please check your mailboxes and e-mail for vital information early each morning.



Birthday wishes this week to Tim Lawson (12/12) and Lindsay Stribble (12/13).