



May 31, 2021

## A Proud Past, A Promising Future

### REMINDER TO STUDENTS/PARENTS:

Student e-mail accounts should only be used for schoolwork and educational purposes.

*“Life is like a camera. Focus on what's important. Capture the good times. And if things don't work out, just take another shot.” --Ziad K. Abdelnour*



MONDAY, MAY 31  
Schools/Offices Closed

TUESDAY, JUNE 1

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 3

### SENIOR FINAL EXAMS (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Blocks)

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

FRIDAY, JUNE 4

### SENIOR FINAL EXAMS (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Blocks)

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

## Good News

Congratulations to **Amber Hughes**, **Jesse Wicker**, and **Reagen White** for making the 3A All-State Softball Team.

Congratulations to **Jackson Livingston**, **Carissa Wicker**, and **Cameron Wicker**. **Jackson** won the 3A Javelin (Boys Track & Field) State Championship with a 159-5 throw. **Carissa** finished as the state runner-up, silver medalist, in the 100 meter hurdles and fourth in 400 hurdles. **Cameron** was sixth in the 1600 meter (mile) run.

Congratulations to **Coach Joey Long** for being named Varsity Softball Coach of the Year and North vs. South All-Star Softball Coach.

At the Newberry County School Board meeting on Monday night, the Bennie D. Bennett Education Scholarship Winners from Mid-Carolina High School were recognized. Congratulations, **Madison Chaplin** and **Caroline Wessinger!**

## 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.

## On-going/Upcoming Events

Parents are reminded to use the link on each school's website to report a COVID-related incident. The information requested indicates if your child has symptoms, has tested positive, or has been identified as a close contact or household contact. Thank you for your continued support of our district.

<https://www.mid-carolinahighschool.org/article/369980?org=mchs>

### 2020-2021 SAT

Test @ MCHS

June 5, 2021

### CLASS OF 2021

If you have not placed your senior supply order or you have a balance, you will need to call Rhodes Graduation Services (Jostens) at (803) 485-4503. You may also contact them at [office@rhodesgraduation.com](mailto:office@rhodesgraduation.com).

Senior Night will be presented in a virtual format on June 1, 2021 at 4 p.m.

A Virtual Baccalaureate Service will be held at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 6.

Graduation will be held at Lon Armstrong Stadium (MCHS Football Field) at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, June 11, 2021. Our rain-out date will be Saturday, June 12, 2021 at 5 p.m. A pass will be required for entry on either date.



### Yearbooks are here!!!!!!

If you would like for your name to be placed on the waiting list, please contact Mr. Peter Lewis at [plewis@newberry.k12.sc.us](mailto:plewis@newberry.k12.sc.us) as soon as possible

If you receive a yearbook at delivery, payment of \$75 will be expected at time of issue.

## WORD POWER

- †** **ALTRUISM** unselfish regard for or devotion to the welfare of others
- HELIACAL** relating to or near the sun — used especially of the last setting of a star before and its first rising after invisibility due to conjunction with the sun
- W** **GADFLY** a fly that bites livestock, especially a horsefly, warble fly, or botfly
- CHOUSE** cheat, trick
- ††** **BUMBERSHOOT** umbrella
- DESOLATE** devoid of inhabitants and visitors; deserted
- F** **FLOTILLA** a fleet of ships or boats
- LYMPHATIC** lacking physical or mental energy; sluggish



# 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.

### TOUGH LOVE

I believe in tough love.

If you are a leader, manager, coach, teacher or parent, caring about someone often requires you to challenge and push them to improve, grow and reach their full potential.

Even the best athletes in the world have a coach to push them.

But for tough love to work, love must come first.

We must love tough to bring out the best in those we lead!

If people know you care about them they will be more receptive to you pushing them.

On the other hand if you put tough before love you're more likely to face resistance.

As Andy Stanley says, "Rules without relationship leads to rebellion."

The old dictator tough, without love, style of leadership no longer works.

Having spent time with a number of professional and college sports teams it's clear that even athletes who seem to have it all want to know that their coach cares about them. The best coaches love their players and their players know it and play harder and are more loyal to that coach.

The same is true for education and business.

Research shows that test scores go up when students have a relationship with their teacher.

Numerous engagement surveys show that people

are more engaged at work when they know their manager / boss cares about them.

So keep pushing your people to be their best. If you are a parent like me, keep pushing your kids to reach their full potential.

Your team needs your toughness to grow!

But remember to put love first. Make relationships a priority.

Your love will create the right conditions for growth to happen!

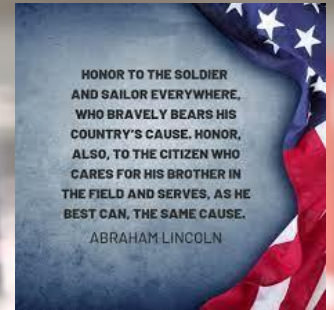
Love + Tough = Growth

—Jn Gordon



# M-C Faculty News

May 31, 2021



### Important Dates

- 5/31 Memorial Day—School/Offices Closed
- 6/1 Senior Night Virtual @ 4 p.m.
- 6/3 & 6/4 Senior Exams
- 6/5 SAT
- 6/6 Baccalaureate—Virtual
- 6/9 & 6/10 Underclassmen Exams
- 6/9 Half Day for Students
- 6/10 Half Day for Students
- 6/11 Teacher Workday & MCHS Graduation



### 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.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



wishes to

McKeva Kinard-Shelton (5/21), Sharon Turner (5/24),

Kaitlyn Fugel (5/25), Valerie Coppinger (5/26),

Kevin Winch (5/26), Carl Moore (5/28), and Levi Joiner (5/31).