



PINKSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

February 26, 2021

Upcoming Dates

- 3/3 – Early Dismissal (1 p.m.); Parent Teacher Conference Make-up (1 p.m. - 7 p.m.)
- 3/19 – Report Cards
- 3/22 through 3/26 – Spring break (no school)
- 4/23 – Progress Reports
- 5/1 – Deadline for school choice forms click [here](#) to download
- 5/27 – Report Cards

Congratulations Declan!



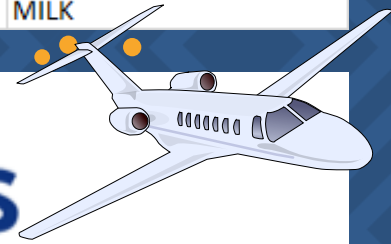
1st place in the county spelling bee

We are offering appointments for our 6th grade virtual students to come to campus for hearing and vision screenings, and for 6th grade girls, scoliosis screenings. These appointments will be offered in 15 minute increments beginning at 1:30 PM and ending at 3:00 PM on our early dismissal day. Seated students will dismiss at 1:00 PM on Wednesday, March 3, 2021.

If you have any questions, or would like to make an appointment, please call Nurse Ellen at 870-425-1236.

Yearbooks are available to order **online only** this year. Visit jostens.com, click Yearbooks, order/buy, search for our school and complete your order.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1-Mar	2-Mar	3-Mar	4-Mar	5-Mar
BREAKFAST PIZZA	BREAKFAST BURRITO	BISCUIT	OATMEAL	PANCAKE
JUICE	SALSA	SAUSAGE	TAOST	JUICE
FRUIT	JUICE	JUICE	JUICE	FRUIT
MILK	FRUIT	FRUIT	FRUIT	MILK
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1-Mar	2-Mar	3-Mar	4-Mar	5-Mar
CHICKEN NUGGETS	PIZZA	PULLED PORK SANDWICH	QUESADILLA	BBQ CHICKEN SANDWICH
MAC & CHEESE	SALAD	QUICK BAKED POTATO	CORN ON THE COB	SAND SALAD CUP
ENGLISH PEAS	GREEN BEANS	SLAW	SALAD / DRESSING	POTATO WEDGES
SALAD	FRUIT	FRUIT	FRUIT	BAKED BEANS
FRUIT	JELLO	MILK	CHOC CHIP COOKIE	FRUIT
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TWIN LAKES CIVIL AIR PATROL IS LOOKING FOR CADETS!

Youth aged 12-18 can join!

We are an organization that develops leadership skills, inspires a love of aviation and STEM, encourages a habit of regular exercise, and engages in character building.

**Cadets meet once weekly on
Tuesday nights from 6-8 p.m.**

For more information contact Michelle Webb at
901-826-6621 or find us on Facebook
<https://www.facebook.com/CAPAR107>

7th Grade Band Concert

Tuesday, March 2, 2021

- 6:00 pm 7th grade band members report to the **MHHS** band room / screening / warm-up
6:15 pm Dunbar Auditorium doors open for family - **must have ticket to enter**
6:30 pm 7th Grade Band Concert begins / live-stream on Facebook
6:45 pm Concert ends / Dunbar cleared immediately

Students: This is a required performance. You will receive a grade. Please wear your Pinkston Band t-shirt & mask to the concert. Leave your case in your vehicle. Parents should drop you off in the HS Band parking lot, across from Hiram Shaddox, then drive around the building to park by Dunbar.

- All concerts will be live-streamed via the **Mountain Home Bomber Bands Facebook page** - we strongly encourage family, friends, & community to watch online.
- Due to Covid and limited indoor seating, tickets for the concerts will be distributed directly to band members for use by parents & family members. This is based upon the size of each band & seating available in Dunbar to allow for social distancing:
 - **Pinkston 7th Grade - 4 tickets per band member**
- Band members will be given their tickets in class.
- Tickets will **not** be replaced once issued (lost, end up in the laundry, eaten by the dog, etc.) - band members need to make sure that tickets make it home to parents.
 - **We will be unable to replace any tickets for any reason.**
- Tickets are good for your child's concert **ONLY**. No one will be allowed to stay in Dunbar to watch the other concert. The auditorium must be cleared, air recycled, and public areas sanitized between concerts.
- Dunbar Auditorium will open 15 minutes prior to the scheduled concert time. Ticket holders must enter through the front glass doors of Dunbar; please social distance - every other row is marked off and closed - family members may sit together - please allow at least 2 empty seats between other families in attendance - **MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES!**
- Please do **not** attend if you are sick, have a fever, or Covid-related symptoms - the concert will be live-streamed.
- Students have an assigned report time for their concert - screening questions & temperature checks will take place when they report - please stay home if you are sick, have a fever, or Covid-related symptoms. An alternate performance assignment will be made for those under quarantine &/or in BVA.
- All students & audience members must leave Dunbar **IMMEDIATELY** after the conclusion of the concert. Please do not linger in the auditorium or lobby - band members should meet their family outside of Dunbar, in front of the high school main entrance, after performing.

Thank you for your understanding & cooperation to make this live concert possible! Encourage additional family members to live-stream.





Dear Parent/Guardian of a 6th grade girl:

All 6th grade girls will be screened for scoliosis on Wednesday February 24th. Scoliosis is a sideways curving of the spine, resembling an S-curve. Eighty-five percent of the time, scoliosis has no known cause and tends to run in families. This type of scoliosis first develops between the ages of 10 - 15 years and occurs more often in girls than boys. If scoliosis is detected early, treatment can be started and almost all of the curving is prevented.

The procedure for screening is a simple one in which the child's back is observed as he/she stands upright and bends forward. Students will be asked to expose their spinal area for the exam. Tops may be left around the neck, draping down to cover the front of the body. It is recommended that students wear a bra, sport bra or cami to lessen some of the anxiety associated with the procedure. The screening will be conducted in privacy with only the student and nurse present.


Any curvature or "back hump" that is noticed during the screening may indicate the need for further studies. If a problem is found, you will be notified. We will recommend that you take your child to a physician of your choice for an evaluation.

An Arkansas law was passed in August 1988 making scoliosis screening mandatory for all 6th grade girls. The only acceptable reason for exclusion from screening is if it is contrary to the parent or guardian's religious beliefs. This must be put in writing and handed to the examiner when the child is called to be screened. Phone calls will not be accepted. If your child is currently under treatment for a back problem by a medical doctor, please let us know that in writing.

ANY 6TH GRADE GIRL WHO IS ABSENT AT THE TIME OF SCREENING WILL BE CALLED TO THE OFFICE AT A LATER DATE FOR SCREENING.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the screening, please feel free to contact the nurse at (870) 425-1236.

Thank you,
Nurse Ellen



Screenings will continue Tuesday March 9th
for last names N-Z, and make-up for A-M.

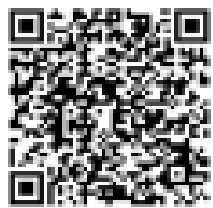
ADULT SIZES
S-XXL
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STRENGTHS T-SHIRT SALE

Support MHJH Cheer by ordering a "Together We are Stronger" t-shirt featuring your #1 Strength on the front



ORDER
BY
MARCH 5



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Scan the QR Code or visit
<https://rb.gy/xlenjz> to
place your order!

Payment should be sent to Amanda Cooley at
Mountain Home Junior High School
Checks made payable to Mountain Home Athletics