

Boone Dixon

Difference Maker...Teacher, Coach, Friend

Maryville Junior High School lost an amazing part of our family this week. Mr. Dixon was an inspirational teacher, talented coach, and motivator. He had the unique ability to not only reach, but also encourage all our MJHS students. His impact on our student body is immeasurable.

Mr. Dixon expected his students to give their all, both inside and outside the classroom. He always pushed them further, and they loved him for it! Mr. Dixon was the emcee at our spring orchestra concert. Of course, this was by popular demand from his students in our orchestra program. That will be a night to remember. He entertained everyone...our students, our families, our community.



Dixon Family Fund

MJHS families can honor Mr. Dixon by donating to the Dixon Family Fund. Donations will go to help his precious family, Sarah, Abel, and Ezra.



[Dixon Family Fund organized ...](#)

www.gofundme.com

This is a way to help Sarah, Abel, and Ezra in the times to come.... Stephanie Pesterfield needs your support for Dixon Family Fund



Don't Waste Time



Run



Explore the World





SISU

One concept Coach Dixon taught his athletes was Sisu. **Sisu** is a Finnish concept described as stoic determination, tenacity of purpose, grit, bravery, resilience, and hardiness and is held by Finns themselves to express their national character. Coach Dixon exemplified this character. He taught his athletes that Sisu means, persevere through hard times. He would want us to persevere through this and continue to make him proud.

