



# MERRILLVILLE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 6, 2023



The “I Have a Dream” speech, delivered by Martin Luther King, Jr. before a crowd of some 250,000 people at the 1963 March on Washington, remains one of the most famous speeches in history. Weaving in references to the country’s Founding Fathers and the Bible, King used universal themes to depict the struggles of African Americans before closing with an improvised riff on his dreams of equality. The eloquent speech was immediately recognized as a highlight of the successful protest, and has endured as one of the signature moments of the civil rights movement.

## CAFETERIA INFORMATION

**Everyone must have money in their skyward account and have an ID in order to purchase any extras such as ice cream, cookies, chips, etc. Directions to Add Funds:**

Log in Skyward- Use drop down box Home- Click Ed. Access Plus- Click Food Service- Click My Food Service- Click arrow next to your name- Make online payment.

**DUE TO SHORTAGES THE MENU MAY BE SUBSTITUTED.**

“V” – Vegetarian # - Contains Pork

Lunch today- Chicken Drumsticks w/mac’n cheese, Pepperoni calzone \*\*\* Bosco Sticks, Garden Salad, Popcorn Chicken Salad, Taco Salad\*\*, Sub Sandwich\*, Fresh Fruit, Hot Vegetable.

Breakfast Tomorrow- Yogurt Parfait, Pirate Bagel Sandwich, Apple Frudel , pop tarts, Fruit or Juice and Milk.

## **SENIOR ANNOUNCEMENTS-**

Attention seniors! Jostens Cap and Gown orders!

If you prefer to order online, you may follow the below link to Merrillville High School's landing page on [jostens.com](https://www.jostens.com).

<https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/customer/1072671/Merrillville-High-School/>

## **CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS-**

Junior and Senior Students wanting to attend this year's Prom:

Prom applications are now available in Student Services, Guidance, and the Treasurer's Office. You must have a completed Prom Application before purchasing your prom ticket. Get the application early to avoid long lines later.

### Congratulations!

44 MHS choir students competed in the ISSMA Solo and Ensemble Vocal Contest Saturday. We are thrilled that all 15 soloists and all 7 ensembles were awarded gold medals...a total of 93. This is the second year in a row all participants earned gold ratings!

"Perfect" score of 9 was earned by Kennedy Bryant, Izah Garcia, Kiera King, and Olivia Stone. Near "perfect" scores were also earned by Eliza Justice Campbell, Brandon Jones, Damiah Shaw, and the Williams Ensemble, the Noteables, and the Choralteen Women.

Eleven soloists and 5 ensembles competed Group 1 and qualified for the State competition in two weeks.

Be sure to join us in Reinhart Auditorium this Thursday at 6:30pm for the Contest Concert that will feature our award-winning ensembles. Admission is free!

**The Good News Bible Club** will meet each Wednesday after school in room A110. Are you interested in Bible study, lively discussions, service to your community, and fellowship with other students? Come find us in A110 on Wednesdays! Please join us beginning on September 7th! (contact Hanna Trzupsek at [M230092@student.mvsc.k12.in.us](mailto:M230092@student.mvsc.k12.in.us) or Mrs. Beasley at [jbeasley@mvsc.k12.in.us](mailto:jbeasley@mvsc.k12.in.us) or at 219-650-5307, Ext. 7126.)

**GSA CLUB-** Anyone interested in joining the Gay Straight Alliance is welcome to stop by every Wednesday in E205. Meetings are usually from 2:15-3pm unless otherwise stated and new members are always welcome! This is a community for members and allies of the LGBTQ+ community to have a safe space to be yourself and discuss current events in the community.

**The MASH program (Merrillville After-school Safe Haven)-** Is held in the Main Media Center Library after school. MASH creates a safe place for you to complete homework, or makeup missing assignments from your class. You can study – alone or with a friend, read or playboard games... there are many different opportunities in MASH! You must have your own transportation home.

## ATHLETICS ANNOUCEMENTS –

## SOCIAL WORKER INFORMATION-



**Our Social Workers: BC114**



**Ms.Dr. Carol Dahlen-7292**

**Mr. Brandon Freeland -5338**

**Ms. Annette Brown- Gilliam-5452**

## **ATTENDANCE INFORMATION-**

**Excused absence notes can be emailed  
to [mhsattendance@mvsc.k12.in.us](mailto:mhsattendance@mvsc.k12.in.us) or  
Faxed to 219-650-5391 ATTN: Attendance**

## **TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION-**



### **Student Email Address:**

**Your Student ID [numbers@student.mvsc.k12.in.us](mailto:numbers@student.mvsc.k12.in.us)**

### **Passwords are:**

**First 2 letters of first name (CAP first letter)  
+ First two letters of last name (lowercase)  
+ 4 digits of their birthday.**

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