



Welcome back to another great year of learning at MCE!

A sincere welcome to our new staff members:

Teachers:

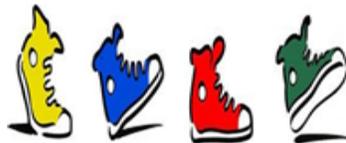
Christi Walsh - Kindergarten
Brittany Teague - Third Grade
Treassa Dunning-Gifted

Instructional Assistants:

Bella Phipps
Shae DuPerry
Emma Robinson
Angela Luna

Cafeteria Staff:

Kelly Greer
Alexis Jacobs



Stampede

We had another great year of our Stampede fundraiser! We raised a total of \$27,668.50! Our school wide winner was Madden Reynolds. Our "top five" winners were Landen Johnson, Kinslee Arnold, Kingsley Cornett, Addie Greer and Paizley Wilson. We appreciate everyone's dedication to helping our school!

Attendance

The Johnson County School System and all schools in our county follow The State Board of Education's Policy on attendance. Mountain City Elementary follows the same policy. If you would like more information about the attendance policy please check out the following link:

<https://tsba.net/johnson-county-board-of-education-policy-manual/#students>

Monthly Attendance Winners

Our winner for August was Mrs. Hagaman's 2nd grade with 99.3% attendance!

Our winner for September was Mrs. Graham's 5th grade class with 98.6% attendance!

Counselor's Corner

Just a reminder to contact me if I may be of help to your child. A school counselor is not a therapist. A school counselor may be of help with many things, including but not limited to: separation anxiety, friendship issues, changes in your family, and anything else that may interfere with your child being happy and successful in school. I am very happy to visit with your child any time. Call 727-2621 or email pstewart@jocoed.net.

-Mrs. Paula

Mark Your Calendar!

October 23-27: Red Ribbon Week

October 26: Picture retakes

October 31: Storybook Character Day

October 31: Trunk or Treat at JCHS
(5:30-7:30)

Red Ribbon Week

Be kind to your mind. Live drug free!

October 23-27, 2023:

Monday-Workout Day

Being Drug Free is no Sweat!
Wear appropriate workout clothes or
sweatpants.

Tuesday-Twin Day

You + Me=Drug-Free!
Wear the same thing as someone else.

Wednesday-Crazy Day/Favorite Color

Crazy About Being Drug-Free/Let Your Color
Shine
Wear crazy socks, hair, etc. or wear your
favorite color.

Thursday-Hawaiian Day

Lei off of Drugs!
Wear appropriate Hawaiian clothes or a Lei.

Friday-Wear Red Day

"Red"-y to Be Drug-Free!
Wear red to celebrate the end of Red Ribbon
Week!

The students, staff, and parents at Mountain City Elementary work very hard to make our school a great and safe place to learn. A Barter Theatre field trip is planned at the end of the first semester to see *I Want a Hippopotamus for Christmas*. Kindergarten-sixth grade students will attend 10:00 performances on the following dates:

December 5: Kindergarten

December 7: Grades 1 & 2

December 12: Grade 3 & 4

December 13: Grades 5 & 6

Parents are welcome to attend, however, a limited number of chaperone tickets will be available on a first come first served basis. Admission to Barter will be provided at no cost for students; however, parents who attend will be responsible for their transportation and the cost of admission. Students are encouraged to do their best by following school policies and procedures daily to insure that they will be included in field trip plans. Additional information coming soon!

Deadline for parent ticket purchases:

November 3, 2023

Students can ride with their parent/guardian to and from Barter. They must come to school that morning to be counted as present. If they do not come to school but show up at Barter this is still an absence for the student.

