

MUSTANG HIGH SCHOOL  
SEPTEMBER 27, 2024

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WELCOME TO OUR

# MHS Newsletter



*we're so glad you're here!*

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**PARENT/  
TEACHER**  
*Conference Nights*

THURSDAY OCTOBER 3  
4:30-7:30 PM



MONDAY OCTOBER 7  
4:30-7:30 PM

# Student Attendance Reminders

STARTING IN THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR, THE POLICY WILL REDUCE THE NUMBER OF ALLOWABLE ABSENCES PER SEMESTER FOR STUDENTS FROM TEN (10) TO EIGHT (8).



- Students who exceed 8 absences in a semester shall receive a NC for that class, unless they have failed the class and then they will receive an F.
- If a student exceeds 8 absences, a doctor's statement that confirms the dates of the illness may be turned in to the attendance office upon the student's return to school resulting in the absence(s) being changed to an excused absence(s). Doctors' notes should be submitted to building administrative assistants upon return from absence(s). Original doctor's notes or other documentation should be kept for your own records.
- Students who fail based only on their attendance exceeding the 8-day limit may submit an appeal to a site committee within five (5) days prior to the end of the current semester. The appeal form is located on the school website. Instructions for the process of submitting the form to the Appeal Committee is located on the form. The appeal committee consisting of an administrator and counselor will review the merits of the appeal and submit a final decision to the site administrator. The decision of the committee is final.

## Parent and Student Portal

Please use the link below to view additional information on accessing PowerSchool.

[Parent Portal Information](#)



## Senior Website

KINDLY MAKE USE OF THE QR CODE OR THE ACCOMPANYING LINKS TO ACCESS OUR RECENTLY LAUNCHED SENIOR WEBSITE. THIS PLATFORM WILL SERVE AS THE PRIMARY CHANNEL FOR SHARING ALL SENIOR-RELATED UPDATES, WHICH WILL ALSO BE COMMUNICATED THROUGH MINGA AND EMAIL TO OUR STUDENTS.



## SENIOR WEBSITE

PLEASE SEE THE  
UPDATED SENIOR  
CALENDAR



## Colleges On Campus

(DURING LUNCH IN THE COMMONS)

- ROSE STATE COLLEGE 9/30

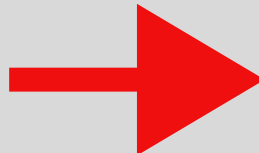
## SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

MUSTANG HIGH SCHOOL REMAINS DEDICATED TO DISSEMINATING INFORMATION ON ALL AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS. KINDLY PERUSE THE DETAILS BELOW AND ACCESS THE LINK PROVIDED AT THE BOTTOM TO EXPLORE OUR SCHOLARSHIP BOARD, WHERE ALL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ARE LISTED.

[LINK TO MHS SCHOLARSHIP BOARD](#)



MHS  
COUNSELING WEBSITE



[VISIT HERE](#)

WHAT'S REALLY GOING ON  
WITH FAFSA THIS YEAR



[FAFSA UPDATE FALL 2024](#)



# CV TECH

Canadian Valley Technology Center

## Mustang High School & CV TECH Upcoming Events

**OCT  
1**

Applications for the 25–26 School Year OPEN!  
Apply ONLINE at [www.cvtech.edu](http://www.cvtech.edu)

**OCT  
9**

Freshman STEM day Presentation  
(Assigned by Resource if applicable)

**OCT  
28**

Discovery Day for ALL Sophomores!  
CV Tech @ MHS in Event Center

**OCT  
30**

Freshman STEM Shadow Day Tours  
(Permission Slip Due Oct 15)

**NOV  
14 & 15**

Sophomore Showcase TOURS  
(Permission Slips due Nov 4)

**DEC  
4**

CV TECH OPEN HOUSE!  
EL RENO & COWAN CAMPUS 5:30–7:30 PM

**DEC  
18**

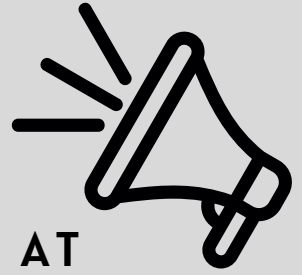
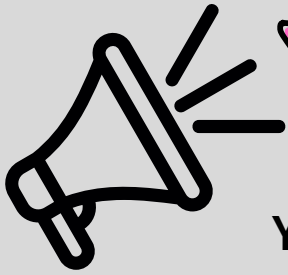
Applications close December 18, 2024



Ms Qualls, Career Tech Counselor  
[briana.qualls@cvtech.edu](mailto:briana.qualls@cvtech.edu)  
MHS office K123



# ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK NOW!



YOU CAN PURCHASE YOUR YEARBOOK AT  
[HTTPS://YBPAY.LIFETOUCH.COM/ORDER/SELECTJOB](https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/order/selectjob)

AND USE THE CODE 11731425.

YEARBOOKS ARE \$70 NOW AND  
GO UP TO \$80 AFTER JAN 1  
PAY BY CASH OR CHECK TO MRS. WALKER IN RM K115

## Testing Opportunities

**Freshman  
Take the PSAT**  
Cost is \$18

ON OCTOBER 24 2024

TUE 01 DEADLINE TO REGISTER & PAY

THUR 24 TEST DAY @ MHS

SCAN ME!

**Freshman  
can take the  
PSAT**

**SOPHOMORES & JUNIORS –  
REGISTER TO TAKE  
THE PSAT/NMSQT**

OCT 30, 2024

01 October DEADLINE TO REGISTER & PAY

30 October TEST DAY @ MHS

COST IS \$20

REGISTER NOW BY  
SCANNING QR  
CODE

**Sophomores &  
Juniors can  
take the  
PSAT/NMSQT**

**PAY ONLINE USING INTOUCH**

\*UNDER "ITEMS AT STUDENTS SCHOOL" > TESTING



**FOOTBALL**  
**2024 HOMECOMING**  
**9/27/24**  
**MUSTANG VS MOORE**  
**7:00 PM**

***HOMECOMING***  
***candidates 2024***



AMELIA MOORE  
SOFIA FIMBRES  
JENNA JOHNSON  
LAUREN BLASI  
TALISE VO  
LILLIAN PINKERTON  
CHERISH MCREE  
ALLYSSON ARBGAST  
IZZIE JONES  
AUBRIE BOWLING  
SAVANNA RYCHLEC  
BRYNN TRAMMELL  
NATALIE DELGADO  
NYLI BROWN  
HADLEY HUNTER  
GRACELYN HIGGINS  
AVERY FRINGS  
KRIZSTINA BLOKER



JOHNNIE VU  
GABRIEL MCBRIDE  
CHRISTIAN TOOMBS  
OWEN ACOSTA  
DEVON BRYCE  
LANDON ARNOLD  
WALEED GAINES  
BLAKE DAVIS  
TRAJAN WILLIAMSON  
WALKER UPTON  
BLAINE FULMER  
BEN PATKOWSKI  
CONNOR HAWKINS  
LOUIE JONES  
GAVIN LYON  
EMORY KELLY  
GRIFFIN HAWTHORNE  
ASHTON ANDERSON



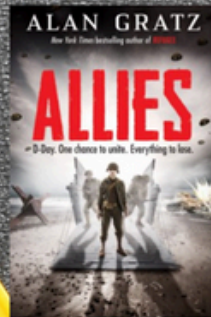
# Media Center Minutes

Check out these new books that are available in the MHS media center!

## NEW BOOKS



**CROWNCHASERS**  
by Rebecca Coffindaffer



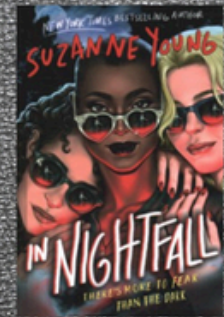
**ALLIES**  
by Alan Gratz



**FADE AWAY**  
by E.B. Vickers



**VICTORY. STAND!**  
by Tommie Smith



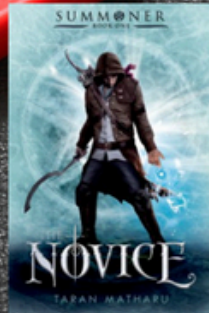
**IN NIGHTFALL**  
by Suzanne Young



**THEIR VICIOUS GAMES**  
by Joelle Wellington



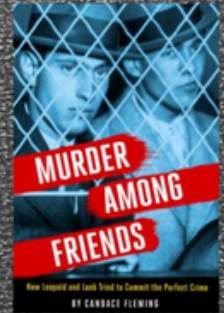
**MONEY OUT LOUD**  
by Berna Anat



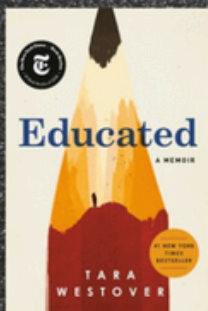
**NOVICE**  
by Taran Matharu



**THE GIRL FROM THE WELL**  
by Rin Chupeco



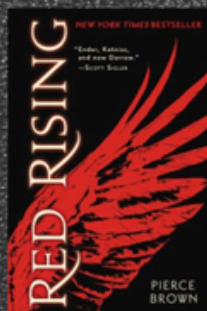
**MURDER AMONG FRIENDS**  
by Candace Fleming



**EDUCATED**  
by Tara Westover



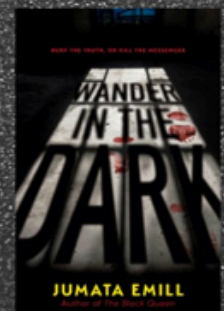
**THE WEIGHT OF BLOOD**  
by Tiffany D. Jackson



**RED RISING**  
by Pierce Brown



**LORE**  
by Alexandra Bracken



**WANDER IN THE DARK**  
by Jumata Emill





# R.E.A.C.H. OUT AWARD



**R.E.A.C.H. would like to congratulate **Mrs. Sohailah Stout** on being the first winner of our R.E.A.C.H. Out Award! The R.E.A.C.H. Out Award is a student-nominated award that will honor two teachers a month who reach out, cultivate hope, and make a difference for our students, school, and community. Mrs. Stout was nominated for this award by several students, and we were so proud to give her the award today!**

**Here are a few comments students submitted about Mrs. Stout:**

**"She always encourages her students to be better."**

**"She always has the best advice and genuinely wants the best for all her students."**

**"She makes me and others feel seen."**

**"She often gives great advice for not only school but also life in general. She has not only changed my life but also the lives of those around me. She has taught me how to be the best person you can be."**

**Congratulations, Mrs. Stout!**  
**Mustang High School is better because you are here!**





# STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

## NOAH THAYER

### STUDENT ATHLETE OF THE WEEK!

NOAH THAYER IS THE JM INSURANCE AGENCY ATHLETE OF THE WEEK AND WAS FEATURED ON THE MUSTANG SPORTS REVIEW!  
USE THE LINK BELOW TO SEE THE ARTICLE!



## NOAH THAYER

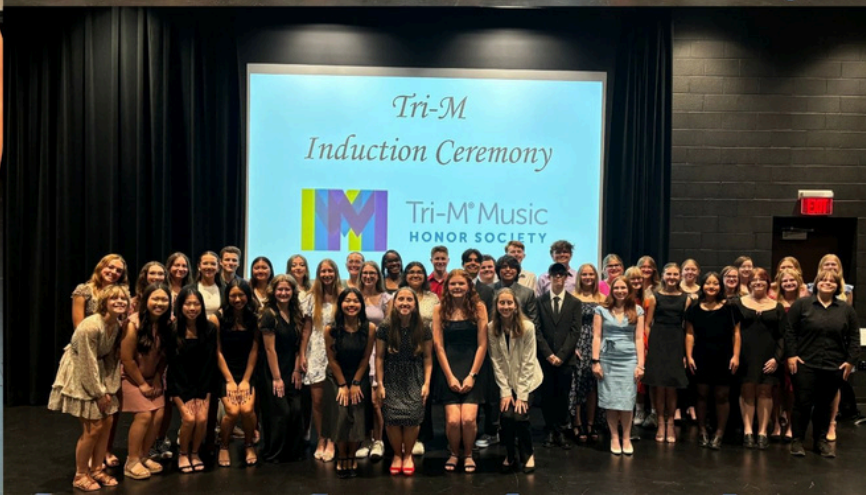
**WAY TO GO NOAH!**



## RECORD-BREAKING TRI-M INDUCTION!

WE ARE THRILLED TO ANNOUNCE THAT WE HAD A RECORD NUMBER OF INDUCTEES INTO THE TRI-M MUSIC HONOR SOCIETY! THIS HONOR IS A TESTAMENT TO THE HARD WORK, DEDICATION, AND MUSICAL EXCELLENCE OF OUR STUDENTS.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR NEW TRI-M MEMBERS—YOUR PASSION FOR MUSIC CONTINUES TO INSPIRE AND UPLIFT OUR COMMUNITY! KEEP REACHING FOR THE STARS!



# MINGA UPDATES

## \*\*PARENT COMMUNICATION\*\*

PARENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED VIA EMAIL AND TEXT MESSAGE WHEN THEIR STUDENT RECEIVES A BEHAVIOR WARNING, TEACHER DETENTION, TARDY NOTICE, OR IN-SCHOOL INTERVENTION (ISI). THE NOTIFICATION WILL SPECIFY WHO ISSUED THE CONSEQUENCE AND PROVIDE ADDITIONAL DETAILS REGARDING THE CIRCUMSTANCES THAT LED TO IT. SHOULD YOU REQUIRE FURTHER INFORMATION AFTER RECEIVING THE NOTIFICATION, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S PRINCIPAL.

# BELL SCHEDULE



## MHS BELL SCHEDULE (REGULAR SCHEDULE)



Period	1st Lunch	2nd Lunch	Lunch Times	3rd Lunch	4th Lunch
1st Period	8:40am-9:31am	8:40am-9:31am	Lunch 1	8:40am-9:31am	8:40am-9:31am
2nd Period	9:38am-10:27am	9:38am-10:27am	10:30am-11:00am	9:38am-10:27am	9:38am-10:27am
	Lunch 1	3rd Period 10:34am-11:01am	Lunch 2	3rd Hour 10:34am-11:23 am	3rd Period 10:34am-11:23am
	3rd Period 11:01am-11:52am	Lunch 2	11:01am-11:31am	4th Hour 11:28am-11:45am	4th Period 11:28am-12:18pm
	4th Period 11:57am-12:48pm	3rd Period 11:32am-11:52am	Lunch 3	Lunch 3	Lunch 4
		4th Period 11:57am-12:48pm	11:45am-12:15pm	4th Hour 12:15pm-12:48pm	
5th Period	12:55pm-1:44pm	12:55pm-1:44pm	Lunch 4	12:55pm-1:44pm	12:55pm-1:44pm
6th Period	1:51pm-2:39pm	1:51pm-2:39pm	12:18pm-12:48pm	1:51pm-2:39pm	1:51pm-2:39pm
7th Period	2:46pm-3:35pm	2:46pm-3:35pm		2:46pm-3:35pm	2:46pm-3:35pm



## MHS BELL SCHEDULE (WEDNESDAY / FLEX)



Period	1st Lunch	2nd Lunch	Lunch Times	3rd Lunch	4th Lunch
1st Period	8:40am-9:23am	8:40am-9:23am	Lunch 1	8:40am-9:23am	8:40am-9:23am
2nd Period	9:30am-10:11am	9:30am-10:11am	10:16am-10:46am	9:30am-10:11am	9:30am-10:11am
	Lunch 1	3rd Period 10:18am-10:46am	Lunch 2	3rd Hour 10:18am-10:59am	3rd Period 10:18am-10:59am
	3rd Period 10:46am-11:29am	Lunch 2	10:46am-11:16am	4th Hour 11:04am-11:17am	4th Period 11:04am-11:47am
	4th Period 11:34am-12:17pm	3rd Period 11:16am-11:29am	Lunch 3	Lunch 3	Lunch 4
		4th Period 11:34am-12:17pm	11:17am-11:47am	4th Hour 11:47am-12:17pm	
5th Period	12:24pm-1:05pm	12:24pm-1:05pm	Lunch 4	12:24pm-1:05pm	12:24pm-1:05pm
Resource	1:12pm-1:55pm	1:12pm-1:55pm	11:47am-12:17pm	1:12pm-1:55pm	1:12pm-1:55pm
6th Period	2:02pm-2:43pm	2:02pm-2:43pm		2:02pm-2:43pm	2:02pm-2:43pm
7th Period	2:50pm-3:35pm	2:50pm-3:35pm		2:50pm-3:35pm	2:50pm-3:35pm