The Mustang Messenger

January 9, 2026 Volume 21 Mill Creek News

Coming Events

January
13 - BBB vs Pioneer Ridge
15 - 8th Grade visits CTEC
BBB vs MTMS
17 - Home Sci Oly Tournament
19 - No School
20 - STUCO Mtg 7:20 am
BBB vs Warren
21 - Dodgeball Packets Available
KVL Spelling Bee
22 - HS Enrollment Presentations
BBB vs Wheatridge
24/26 - BBB in Topeka
27 - BBB vs Trail Ridge

Reminders

Doors Open at 7:30 am.

School Hours 7:50 - 3:00 pm

If you need to get a message to your child, please call the office **913.667.3512**

Important Links

Report An Absence
Mill Creek Website
Contact Us!
Lunch Menu

Home Of The Mustangs

Check Us Out on Social Media!

@TheCreekMCMS

@mcms_principal

If you need to pick up your child for an appointment, please be sure to plan ahead and arrive 5-10 minutes early.
Lockers take extra time!

This Is Your LAST CHANCE



If you did not get the chance to purchase a **yearbook** through the Skyward Q portal, please visit https://yearbookordercenter.com today!! Search for Mill Creek Middle School, or use the school order number 12754. Time is running out!!

Orders should be placed now, so that you don't miss out on a 2026 Mustang Memories book!

Reminders

- **Always check the website if you have questions**
- **You must show your drivers license to enter the school**
- **If your child is sick, please keep them home. We are seeing a large influx of respiratory illnesses and flu at this time.**

Jazz Band performs at home MCMS Boys Basketball game January 29!

Happenings...

Let Us Know When Your Child Is Gone



There are now 3 ways you can notify us if your child will be gone!
1. Call the school and leave a message on our absence line.
2. Fill out the form found on our webpage
3. Enter the absence in Skyward yourself!

Athletics/Activities

Practice and competition calendars have been updated on the website for all fall sports.

- BBB games start next week. Look below for info on our new LIVESTREAM!!
- The musical cast and crew are busy at work preparing for their spring production!

MCMS ATHLETICS

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STAY CONNECTED WITH MILL CREEK MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETICS!

HUDL ALLOWS FAMILIES TO VIEW GAME HIGHLIGHTS, CELEBRATE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS, AND STAY ENGAGED WITH OUR MUSTANG ATHLETES THROUGHOUT THE SEASON.

SCAN TO WATCH AND SUPPORT MCMS ATHLETICS

HTTPS://FAN.HUDL.COM/USA/KS/LENEXA/ORGANIZATION/183166/MILL-CREEK-MIDDLE-SC



Expanding Opportunity!

As part of our long-range facilities planning to address the evolving needs of our students and community, registered voters residing within USD 232 will have the opportunity to consider a **no tax rate increase** bond proposal by mail ballot election on March 3, 2026. If approved, the 2026 bond will allow USD 232 to **enhance safety**, **expand opportunities**, and **improve facilities** across the entirety of the district.

Learn more about the no tax rate increase bond: ***usd232.org/bond2026***



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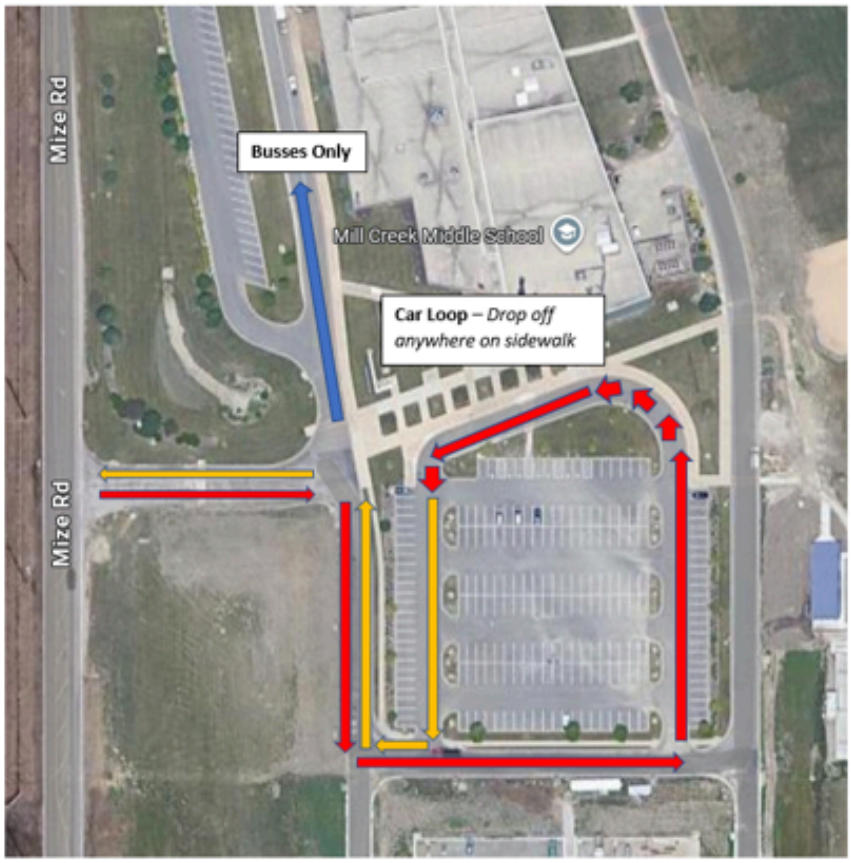
Dear Parents of Car Riders,

For the safety of all students, we are asking that you follow the procedures when dropping off and picking up your student/s from Mill Creek Middle School.

Dropping Off: Please follow the route on the map. If you are in front, please pull up as far as you can to drop off. Once your student has exited your vehicle, please exit the loop as shown on the map. If you plan to park and come in with your child, please park in the parking lot and walk across the painted crosswalk.

Picking Up: Please follow the route on the map. If you are in front, please pull up as far as you can to drop off. Please continue to pull forward and your child will walk to your car. This helps to keep the line moving.

To protect our students from an accident occurring, we will require students and parents to follow the parking lot procedures. We would also ask that you not use your cell phone while in our car loop.



Enter to Learn. Go Forth to Serve.

Looking Ahead:

MCMS TRANSITION TO HIGH SCHOOL

January

16- Voluntary transfer application window closes
22-HS counselors will visit MC to review general high school information and provide next steps in the course selection process
28-DHS Incoming Freshmen Night @ DHS

February

2- MVHS Incoming Freshmen Night @ MV
18- Course Selection Forms DUE!
These will be submitted electronically

August

Back-to-school nights to walk through student schedules/visit locker.

More Information

MVHS **DHS**

Future Wildcat Night

Wednesday January 28

6:30-7:45 P.M.

De Soto High School

35000 W. 91st Street
De Soto, KS 66018

We will begin in the DHS main gym. Please enter through the activities, attendance, or main entrances.

Learn About:

- Graduation Requirements
- Academic Programming
- The DHS Experience
- Athletic & Activity Involvement

Welcome Class Of 2030!

This event is designed to help students feel informed, prepared, and excited as they plan for their high school experience.

913-667-6250

https://dhs.usd232.org/

Mill Valley High School

Incoming Freshman Night

Monday,
February 2, 2026
5:30 -7:30

Mill Valley High School

5900 Monticello Rd
Shawnee, KS 66226
*Come in main entrance at the back of the school.

5:30 PM-6:15PM

Elective Open House

- Come see the elective classes that are available to your students and meet the teachers.

6:15 PM -7: 15 PM

MVHS Presentation

- Including information on:
- Honors/AP classes
- Course Selection
- Day in the Life of a Jaguar
- High School 101

Questions?

Contact Megan Mixon at mmixon@usd232.org