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Muenster Hornets 2A Division 2 2024 State Champions!!

MUENSTER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT EDUCATION FOUNDATION MISSION STATEMENT

Our Mission Is to Promote Community & Alumni Support for the Muenster ISD. This Support Is Intended to Provide and Manage Funding and Other Resources to Assist Teachers and Staff in Delivering Instructional Programs for The Students of Muenster ISD.

From the desk of MISD Superintendent, Mr. Matthew Quick

Greetings,

WOW! What an incredible fall semester for all things Muenster Hornets! Aristotle's quote " you are what you repeatedly do. Excellence, then is not an act but a habit" rings loudly in my ears! If you pay attention to the weekly MISD posts our students are involved in a multitude of Extracurricular activities each and every week. I truly enjoy getting to know the staff and students better each week. They all amaze me with their dedication to excelling both in and out of the classroom. Our students balance learning all day and then going to practices and/or competitions well into the evening five days a week. Many of our students do this all ten months of the school year. This mentality of a continual pursuit of success is what sets Muenster ISD apart from everyone else. Our students are learning real world skills and knowledge that will equip them to be leaders in our society and positively impact our future. Our goal as a school will always be to work with parents and the community to develop well rounded, ethically sound, highly successful students. The success of the fall semester is a testament to that expectation! I look forward to what the spring semester holds for our district!

Go Hornets!

Matthew Quick

Muenster ISD Superintendent



FROM LOU DYER HEERS '80

Education Foundation News

MISD EDUCATION FOUNDATION PRESIDENT

What an amazing staff and students the MISD Education Foundation serve! We are so proud of the dedication of our administrators, teachers, coaches, and aides as they pour into our students. We are also in awe of our students who strive to do their best in and out of the classroom. Each fall, the foundation looks forward to awarding instructional grants that will foster academic achievement within the classrooms. This year, five grants were awarded in the amount of $9,789.60 during halftime of the Homecoming 2024 football game. The instructional grant recipients were:

Special Education Teacher, Mr. Chris Bevers

This grant, which Mr. Bevers titled "Life Skills' Coffee Cart Project," in the amount of $500.00, involves setting up a coffee cart that the students will use to make and deliver coffee to the teachers. The goal is for his students to learn daily living skills. Besides learning the specific sequence needed to make coffee, this project gives them a wonderful opportunity to work with money in a safe real world setting by accepting cash and giving back the appropriate change. Instructional aide, Mrs. Amanda Lee, accepted the check on behalf of Mr. Bevers.



MISD Education Foundation Director, ***Jami Flusche Fuhrmann '92****, presents check to Amanda Lee.*

High School Spanish, Mrs. Amy Otto Binder '94

The next grant, titled "Speak Up, Por Favor!", is awarded to our HS Spanish program under the guidance of **Mrs. Amy Otto Binder '94** in the amount of $399.60. Twenty over-ear headphones will be used by Spanish students on a daily basis to help them become more confident in speaking Spanish out loud and to become more successful when taking speaking and reading tests. The ultimate goal is for our Spanish students to be more comfortable using the Spanish language outside of the classroom.



Deb Schneider Klement '76*, presents check to* ***Amy Otto Binder '94***

Education Foundation News

Elementary Reading Teachers

The Muenster Elementary reading teachers, were awarded a check for $1,890 for a 2-year subscription to "Reading A to Z" which will impact 275 elementary students. This on-line reading program is an excellent tool for improving reading proficiency and fluency. Also, by implementing "Reading A to Z" in Kindergarten through 6th grade, it will help with vertical alignment on the elementary campus.

Ag Science Teacher, Cody Martindale

Mr. Martindale and students in his Ag Mechanics classes will be involved in building an outdoor eating area for all MISD students to enjoy throughout the year and for years to come! This is "hands-on-learning" at its BEST! He was presented a check for $4,000.

Ag teacher, Ms. Tara Whitely

Our last awarded grant went to Ag teacher, Ms. Tara Whitely. She was presented a check for $3,000 for "Food Science Fridays." Every three weeks her Ag students will conduct some type of lab that involves food. These hands-on experiences are an excellent way for students to grasp the material that has been taught in a fun and engaging way, and a wonderful way to connect the teachings of agriculture into their everyday lives.

The goal of the MISD Education Foundation is to raise funds to support academic programs and achievement. To everyone who has given and continues to give to this organization, thank you so very much! Your generosity and support are greatly appreciated!



Wayne Klement '67, and **Lou Dyer Heers '80**, present check to Tara Whitely



Brandi Grewing Richardson '94 *and* ***Candise Abney Kubis '94****, present check to* ***Megan Dangelmayr Hennigan '06****,* ***Paige Herr Voth '13****, Debra Sicking-Elementary Principal, and* ***Rebecca Grewing Thomas '08***



Toby Eberhart, presents check to Cody Martindale

Your generosity and donations truly make a difference! All donations (big or small, given annually or a one-time donation, given in memory of a loved one or in honor of a loved one, given to "Keep The Hornet Hive Alive," given to help make "Trivia Night" a successful fundraiser, or simply given to show your support and love for MISD) are greatly appreciated and positively impact our amazing teachers and students. The MISD Education Foundation thanks you and is extremely grateful for your generous hearts.

MHS HOMECOMING 2024

MHS Homecoming 2024 brought many alumni back to Hornet Stadium to watch the battle between the Era Hornets and our Muenster Hornets. It was a perfect night for high school football, to recognize past queens, to crown a new queen, and to honor graduates from 1954, 1964, 1974, 1984, 1994, 2004, 2014, and 2024.



2024 Homecoming Queen, **Raegan W. '25**, was crowned by **Maggie Hess '24**, 2023 Homecoming Queen.



Congratulations to our 2024 MHS Homecoming Queen, **Raegan W. '25,** and her court**, Sydney M. '26, Ady C. '27, Emma W. '25, Marlee W. '25, Maggie Y. '25, Emilie S. '25,** and **Lynzie F. '28**.

HOMECOMING COURT



Queen candidate, **Raegan W. '25**, and parents, Erin Eberhart Ray and Mickey and Jennifer Wolf



Queen candidate, **Marlee W. '25**, and parents **Jason '90** and Jennifer Walterscheid



Queen candidate, **Maggie Yarbrough '25**, and parents Joe and DJ Yarbrough



Queen candidate, **Emma W. '25**, and parents, **Kenneth '93** and **Tina Klement Walterscheid '92**



Queen candidate, **Emilie S. '25**, and parents Brian and Jamie Scott



Freshman Princess, **Lynzie F. '28**, and parents, **Coy '96** and Ashley Fisher



Sophomore Princess, **Ady C. '27**, and parents, Brady and Brandi Carney



Junior Princess, **Sydney M. '26**, and parents, **Eric '97** and Deanna Miller

Past MHS Homecoming Queens, **Kim Eldred Hennigan '84**, **Stevie Klement Maas '04**, and **Kassie Dangelmayr Sidwell '14**, were recognized in the pre-game ceremony by this year's High School Student Council Vice-President, **Emma K. '26**, **Clay L. '27**, and **Mason S. '28**.



2004 Homecoming Queen and member of the Muenster ISD graduating class of 2005 is **Stevie Klement Maas**. Stevie graduated from nursing school at NCTC in 2010. She has worked at MMH Family Health Clinic as a nurse for 14 years. She received her Wound Care certification in 2018 and has been Muenster Memorial Hospital's wound care nurse for the past six years. She and her husband Jeff have been married for 13 years and they have three children: **Mikaela '31, McKinley '34,** and **Kristopher '38.**

Past Homecoming Queens Honored:

1954

the late **Joyce Weisman Guthrie '55**

1964

the late **Peggy Branch Voth '65**

1974

Diane Klement Muller '75

1984

Kim Eldred Hennigan '85

1994

Lisa Lippe Machen '95

2004

Stevie Klement Maas '05

2014

Kassie Dangelmayr Sidwell '15



2014 Homecoming Queen **Kassie Dangelmayr Sidwell** is a Muenster High School graduate of 2015. After high school, she attended nursing school at NCTC and currently works at NTMC home health as a registered nurse. Kassie is married to **Clint Sidwell '14**. They have one daughter, Kora, and currently reside in Muenster.



1984 Homecoming Queen **Kim Eldred Hennigan**, class of 1985, is married to **Joe Hennigan '83**. They have two children. **Paige,** who is married to **Chase Hammer**, both class of 2012, and **Brandon Hennigan**, class of 2015. She has two grandchildren, Harper & Stetson. Kim is a 1989 graduate of Texas Women's University with a Bachelor of Science degree. She is a registered dental hygienist and has worked with Dr. Martin of Gainesville for 34 years.

ALUMNI HONORED AT HALFTIME OF HOMECOMING GAME

The Education Foundation would also like to thank all the Hornet fans, past and present, who attended the after-game social at the KC Hall. This is a tradition that we look forward to continuing! GO BIG RED!



Class of 1954: Escorted by her brother, **Chris Cain '67**, is **LaQueta Cain Fisher**, and classmate, **Joe Carroll McElreath**



Class of 1964: **Pat Fette Wimmer** and **Kathy Trubenbach Whitt**



Class of 1974: **Ronnie Felderhoff, Dolly Bayer Owen, Glenn Grewing, Barbie Davidson, Janet Wimmer Hermes, Shirley Swirczynski Endres, Tom Hennigan, Lyle Klement, Dan Sicking,** and **Louis Koelzer**



Class of 1984: **Debbie Bindel Endres, Jill Wimmer Reiter, Doug Fleitman,** and **Steve Trubenbach**

ALUMNI HONORED AT HALFTIME OF HOMECOMING GAME



Class of 1994: **Gina Pels, Brandi Grewing Richardson, Candise Abney Kubis, Kim Stewart Ward,** and **Amy Otto Binder**



Class of 2004: Front Row: **Bridgett Klement Carroll, Diana Felderhoff Gorrell, Chelsea Felderhoff Wilson, Kristi McAden Kerby, Deann Dangelmayr Kenaley,** and **Andrew Milburn** Back Row: **Joseph Dangelmayr** and **Kirk Hartman**



Class of 2014: Front Row: **Abby Pagel, Jared Edres, Mason Binder, Adrien Rohmer, Shelby Klement, Lawrence Haverkamp, Madison Knabe Shurbet, Hannah Bayer Hellman,** and **Sydney Huchton Davis**

Back Row: **Jonathan Pierce, Clayton Hess, Garrett Miller, David Hutson, Audrey Taylor Savadra, Clint Sidwell, Tavi Saldaña, Kendi Bayer Saldaña,** and **Shelbi Sicking Walterscheid**



Class of 2024: **Alyssa Lutkenhaus, Andie Schroeder, Maggie Hess,** and **Stormi Richardson**

TRIVIA NIGHT 2024

The MISD Education Foundation's 6th annual Trivia Night is in the books! What a beautiful night for trivia! It was truly an evening of great food, great fellowship, and great "friendly" competition! Trivia Night is the Foundation's main fundraiser, and we would like to thank everyone who participated and supported this event. Your attendance and participation are a wonderful reflection of your love and support for the teachers and students of MISD!

And the winners were:



1st place: "Tank 18 & Friends" with 312 points : **Dr. Eric Hellman '10**, Justin Hammond, Stefan LaTulip, Mary Moellering, Diane Srinilta, and Rachel Wood



2nd place: "Idiot Sandwiches" with 288 points: Aaron and **Andrea Klement Townsend '96**, **Bridgett Klement Carroll '04**, Joe Allain, Brooke Beall, and Rusty Richardson



3rd place: "Benchwarmers" with 256 points: Tyler and Renee Bitner, Brenda Gann, **Kevin '03** and Melissa **Gann,** and Wayne Gann



Most Spirited Team: "Best Table in the House" - LeAnn Mollenkopf, Marge Hill, **Amy Fisher Huchton '94**, Beth Saucer, **Dianne Pagel Endres '93**, and **Michelle Hennigan '93**



Best Team Name: "My Drinking Team has a Trivia Problem": **Tony '97** and **Misty Klement Hartman '96**, Jamie and **Ashley Klement Baggs '02,** and Matthew and Tanda Nasche

Trivia Night Continued

On behalf of the MISD Education Foundation, I would also like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped make Trivia Night 2024 such a success!

Many thanks to the MISD BBQ team and their coaches, Cody Martindale and **Kevin Gann '03**, for preparing the delicious brisket and beans, and to the FCCLA program under the leadership of Brooke Beall for preparing such wonderful side dishes! Thanks, too, to the high school students who assisted us in decorating and setting up tables and chairs for this event.

A huge thank you to businesses and individuals that sponsored a team: Jamie & **Ashley Klement Baggs '02**— Eagle Fuels, LLC., **Steven** & Penni **Fisher '83**—Fischer's Meat Market and Grocery, Klement Ford, Marge Hill, MISD School Board, Muenster Memorial Hospital, Nortex Communications, PenTex Energy, Strategy, Tierra Real Estate, LLC., and **Damie '87** & **Jeff Hellman '90—**Tony's Seed and Feed.

A special thank you to those who donated such wonderful door prizes: Ace Hardware, Jenn Bryson and Kimberly Cain Realtors, Andrea Grangruth (Momma Drea's Sugar Cookies), Bird Nest, Doc's Sports Grill, Eagle Fuels, LLC., Jo and **Dick Pagel '62** (Jo's famous cake), 82 Liquor, First State Bank of Muenster, Fischer's Meat Market and Grocery, **Terri Whitley Hennigan '87** (Girlfriends Boutique), Billy Hogan's Plumbing, **Joni Wilde Sturm '70** (her famous cookies), Lora's Flowers, MISD Booster Club, MISD PTO, Matthew Quick's MTQ BBQ, Muenster State Bank, Phil and Mandy Reiter, Rohmer's Restaurant, The Smokehouse Restaurant, **Judy Biffle Trubenbach '87** (The Shoppe on 1st), Tony's Seed and Feed, and Wanderlust Travel Agency.

We also want to thank businesses and individuals who donated monetarily to this event: **Darrell Charles '96** (Absolute Pools by DC, LLC.), Blue Ostrich Winery, **Deanna Hellman '89**, **Mark '73** and **Nancie Fisher Lippe '75**, Hesse-Schniederjan Heat & AC, **Tara Walterscheid Arendt '89**, **Joe Walterscheid '90**, and **Hannah Bayer Hellman '14** (Walterscheid's Appliances), and York Eye Associates.

Thanks also to **Kami Klement Creed '03** for her wonderful assistance in signing up teams, to the amazing Susan Hermes for emceeing this event, to **Barbie Walterscheid Barnhill '79** and **Sherri Wolf Price '79** for giving of their time to be scorekeepers, to **Trace Klement '16**, The Entertainer, for use of speakers and microphone, and to VFW Post 6205 for allowing us to host this event at their hall.

Finally, this night could not have happened without the technology expertise of Jeff Presnall; you are the best! Thank you so very much for your huge act of kindness We are definitely looking forward to seeing all of you back next year for Trivia Night 2025!



Education Foundation Members

Front Row: Liz Walterscheid, **Lou Dyer Heers '80**, **Brandi Grewing Richardson '94**, and **Candise Abney Kubis '94**

Back Row: Erin Luke, **Jami Flusche Fuhrmann '92**, Naomi and Matthew Quick (MISD Superintendent), **Marcy Mullins '90**, **Wayne Klement '67**, Toby Eberhart, **Deanna Bierschenk Hellman '89**, and **Deb Schneider Klement '76**

Not Pictured: Penny Fisher, **Doris Lutkenhaus Muller '67** and Robert "Woody" Peel

HISTORY OF M.I.S.D

Researched and written by Wayne Klement '67

Muenster independent School District was organized in the 1890's. For the first few years, all students were taught by the Sisters of Divine Providence. Seventy students attended the first year, and until 1901, received state aid. The pastor closed the school after two years. The public school rented a room in the parish school until 1910 when it was decided to construct a building in the 400 block of Oak Street. The school provided twelve years of education but wasn't accredited.

It began as Fisher School District and later became Muenster School District. The area was approximately 25 square miles. The district began growing with the consolidation of Bailey, Later, Linn, Coppers and Free Mount. Wolf Ridge, Van Slack and Marysville districts all joined Hays District, and Hays, in turn, consolidated with Muenster to bring the district to its present size.

All this growth came about because the Texas Legislature passed a law known as the Gilmer-Aikin Law. Under this law, schools had to be self-supporting through property tax and would receive state aid based on the average daily attendance. It was imperative that if Muenster Public School was going to survive, Muenster had to stake some claims into the existing school districts of the time.

A new brick school campus was built in 1949 on eleven acres located on East 7th street. It included a gymnasium, shop, auditorium, science lab, home economics department, business department, offices and seven classrooms. That same year, the school was accredited. At this time, the school district was 180 square miles, a population of near 3500 and an assessed valuation of $3,961,460.

Muenster Independent School District's first school board consisted of E. S. Lawson, Tony Walterscheid, Arthur Hellman, Bernard Sicking, John B. Klement, president; Herbert Meurer, secretary; Johnny Bayer and C. Weldon Cowan, superintendent.

Prior to 1954 two separate bus systems were operating in the community with each system transporting school children over practically the same bus routes. With the cooperation of the board of trustees, representatives of the local parish and the Texas Education Agency, a plan was devised to eliminate duplicate bus routes. They joined their routes, and it lowered the number of buses involved, total mileage, cost of operation, running and riding time and cost per school. This coordination was eliminated in the late '60's.

M. I. S. D. offered all the required subjects as well as plenty of electives. The parochial school built a new high school in 1954, so there were opportunities for students to not only schedule classes to their convenience, but also find classes in each other's schools that interested them. The walking path from sixth street to seventh street worked perfect until the state no longer allowed it.

Back in the day, the community knew that religion was important. School buses arrived prior to 8:00 a.m. in order that those students who belong to the local parish could attend morning Mass. It was all voluntary with no school requirements. Non-Catholic students would have been welcomed to any devotional service before classes resumed. Students were also permitted to attend religious instruction classes at the parochial school. The two schools got together to parallel their schedules as to not interfere with regular classes. Again, it was not required.

M. I. S. D. was set for the long haul. It was supplying every graduating senior with the necessary subjects to enter college. At the same time the sports programs were competing successfully with other schools in football, basketball, track and baseball. The girls had basketball, track and volleyball. M. I. S. D. even supported a marching band.

As years passed, M. I. S. D. began to experience "growing pains ", and improvements became inevitable. It was at this time that the decision was made to implement a kindergarten program, and later, pre-kindergarten classes. A new gymnasium was planned and constructed in the early 1990's. The superintendent moved into his separate building which is located on the southwest corner of the campus in 1998. The new high school was built in 2000. It included all necessary classrooms, offices, cafeteria and stage.

The present elementary building came along in 2013, and that same year the practice gym was built. It also contains dressing rooms, weight stations and coaches' offices. The junior high school was completed in 2016 with a walkway for students who were also taking classes in the high school.

The original football field had to be moved when the high school was built, but it got a great facelift when artificial turf was installed in 2019.

Presently, girls' volleyball was eliminated, but girls' softball was added several years ago. The band dissolved also, but interest is developing in getting one started in the near future, maybe with the drum section as soon as next year. Golf and powerlifting have also been successful over the later years.

M. I. S. D. has come a long way—from the rented room in the parochial complex, to the building on Oak Street to the sprawling campus that it facilitates today! It also went from seventy students of the entire community to 554 students from pre-K to 12, being instructed by 46 teachers! We owe it all to the leaders in our community that got it started, the leaders that kept it going, our present leadership, and as long as we live by our motto— "A Tradition of Success "—we will enjoy leaders in the future! Success got us here and success will lead us on!

Honoring Past MHS State Final Four Basketball Teams

Many thanks to Coach **Amy Otto Binder's '94** vision of honoring members of our past MHS State Final Four basketball teams. Thanks also to the students who helped in this endeavor, especially **Skyler R. '27** and **Ava H '27**, for creating the wonderful slide show. This event occurred on December 20, 2024, following a Lady Hornet district win over Tioga.

These Lady Hornet and Hornet basketball teams represented our school at the UIL State Basketball tournament. We would like to commend all the coaches and athletes who worked tirelessly to achieve the highest level of competition in the game of basketball.

These ten teams were honored and celebrated with the help of the Muenster Hornet Booster Club and the Muenster ISD Education Foundation. Following this recognition ceremony, these former players and their family were invited to a social at the KC Hall where they could reunite and reminisce about their successes as Muenster High School basketball players.

Thanks to every final four player who was able to attend! We enjoyed celebrating YOU!



Front: **Madeleine Fisher '23, Kaley Berkley '21, Annie Anderle '21, Jada Binder '21, Brooklyn Duncan '23, Kaci Ford '23, Kaitlin Hennigan '20, Sarah Monday '21,** and **Chloe Hacker '21**

Back: **Dianne Pagel Endres '93,** Coach Jeff Presnall, **DaLana Walterscheid Chism '93, Megan Felderhoff Sandmann '07, Alison Teafatiller Thomas '08, Taylor Klement '11, Rebecca Grewing Thomas '08, Leaha Smith Sweeney '10, Lia Heers Hellman '10, Dr. Emily Hellman Bouffard '12, Carrie Hess Demcher '96, Bianca Velasquez Thompson '10, Lauren Rohmer Weinzapfel '13, Andrea Klement Townsend '96, Amy Otto Binder '94, Andi Felderhoff '12,** and **Billy Felderhoff '17**

A Tradition of Success



1992-1993 Lady Hornets State Runners-Up 35-2



2009-2010 Lady Hornets State Semi-Finalists 29-7



2003-2004 Lady Hornets State Runners Up 28-5



2010-2011 Lady Hornets State Semi-Finalists 32-6



2004-2005 Lady Hornets State Semi-Finalists 28-6



2013-2014 Hornets State Runners-Up 28-3

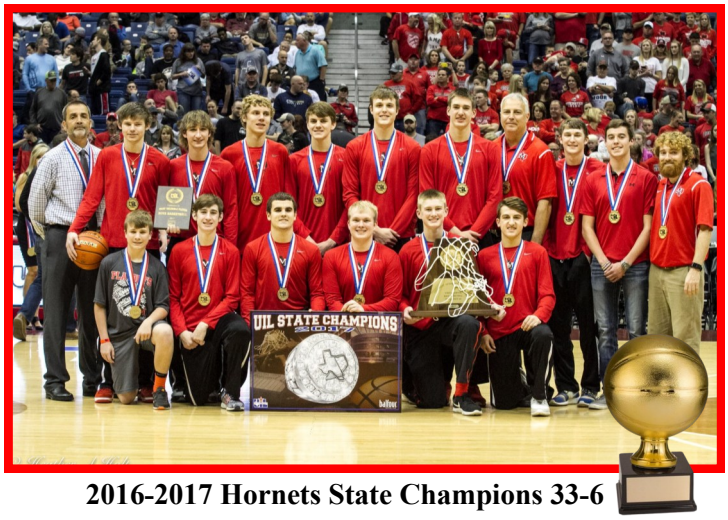
A Tradition of Success



2015-2016 Hornets State Runners-Up 34-4



2017-2018 Hornets State Semi-Finalists 18-6



2016-2017 Hornets State Champions 33-6



2019-2020 Lady Hornets State Runners-Up 36-5

Players in Attendance



1992-1993 Lady Hornets State Runners-Up

Amy Otto Binder '94, DaLana Walterscheid Chism '94, Carrie Hess Demcher '96, Dianne Pagel Endres '93, and **Andrea Klement Townsend '96**



2003-2004 Lady Hornets State Runners-Up

Megan Felderhoff Sandmann '07 and **Coach Jeff Presnall**



2004-2005 Lady Hornets State Semi-Finalists

Megan Felderhoff Sandmann '07, Alison Teafatiller Thomas '08, Rebecca Grewing Thomas '08, and **Coach Jeff Presnall**

A Tradition of Success



2009-2010 Lady Hornets State Semi-Finalists

Coach Amy Otto Binder ’94, Dr. Emily Hellman Bouffard ’12, Andi Felderhoff ’12, Lia Heers Hellman ’10, Taylor Klement ’11, Leaha Smith Sweeney ’10, and **Bianca Velasquez Thompson ‘10**



2015-2016 Hornets State Runners Up & 2016-2017 Hornets State Champions

Billy Felderhoff ’17 and Coach Jeff Presnall



2010-2011 Lady Hornets State Semi-Finalists

Coach Amy Otto Binder ’94, Dr Emily Hellman Bouffard ’12, Andi Felderhoff ’12, Taylor Klement ’11, and **Lauren Rohmer Weinzapfel ‘13**



2019-2020 Lady Hornets State Runners-Up

Coach Amy Otto Binder ’94, Annie Anderle ’21, Kaley Berkley ’21, Jada Binder ’21, Annsley Budish ’25, Brooklyn Duncan ’23, Madeleine Fisher ‘23, Kaci Ford ‘23, Chloe Hacker ’21, Kaitlin Hennigan ’20, and **Sarah Monday ‘21**

In Loving Memory

Truman Michael Wolf '61

March 05, 1943 - February 17, 2025

William Bernard 'Billy Ben' Boyles '54

November 11, 1936 - February 4, 2025

Weldon Anthony Vogel '64

October 13, 1946 - January 27, 2025

Allen James Reiter '64

January 25, 1946 - December 22, 2024

Herbert Julius Otto '53

July 31, 1935 - December 9, 2024

Timothy Lynn Hermes '80

May 5, 1962 - October 24, 2024

Dolphy Joe Hellman '61

February 28, 1943 - September 4, 2024

Nolan David Hammer '58

July 11, 1940 - August 27, 2004

Evelyn Catherine Haverkamp Hesse '57

March 5, 1939 - March 14, 2024

Retiring From MISD

Jim “Smoke” Koelzer



Jim "Smoke" Koelzer ‘77 was honored by the Muenster ISD School Board and Superintendent Matthew Quick for his 12 years of service as Maintenance Director to Muenster ISD at the September MISD School Board meeting.

“I went to school for 12 years twice,” Smoke said. “I enjoyed being with the kids (above all).”

Smoke is married to Carol Koelzer and they have four children. **Wesley Koelzer ’03** is married to Anna Sanderford, and they live in Houston, Texas. **Jace Koelzer ’06** and her boyfriend, Sawyer Langston, live in Gainesville, Texas. Then came the twins! **Demi Koelzer Bayer ‘12** is married to **Dillon Bayer ’11**. They reside in Haslet with their son, Deacon, who is 3 ½ years old and their daughter, Dakota, 10 months old. **Dalton Koelzer ’12** lives in Sanger with his wife, Sydney Beuthien. They have one daughter, Hillis, who was born this January. Yes, you guessed it! Smoke is enjoying the heck out of his three grandchildren, and he is having fun!

Muenster ISD and the MISD Education Foundation would like to thank Smoke for his hard-work ethic and dedication to our school, staff, and students! Congratulations, and we wish you only the best in your retirement!

Retiring From MISD - Karen Davis



Congratulations to Karen Davis on her retirement from Muenster ISD!

Karen is married to Kelly Davis and are blessed with nine children.

Joseph, Assistant Director of Admissions at SMU, is married to Dr. Lindsay Ray Davis. They reside in Dallas with their 5-year-old daughter, Elliott.

Andy is married to Jamie Black Davis, and they live in Encinitas, California. Andy is a Captain in the Orange County Fire Department. They have three children: five-year-old daughter, Harper, and twins, Beau and Maggie, who are three.

Steven Davis is a drilling engineer for EOG in Midland, Texas.

Issac, a civil engineer, is married to Katy Lee Davis, and they reside in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Issac and Katy have two children: Micah, who is four, and Caleb, who is four months.

Michael, a mechanical engineer for EOG, is married to **Sydney Huchton '14 Davis**. He and Sydney have one daughter, Sterling, who is ten months old. They live in Muenster.

Aaron is married to Elizabeth Weinzapfel Davis. They reside in Ardmore, Oklahoma, where Michael is an engineer for Valero Refinery.

Mark, an engineering graduate from Texas Tech, is married to Katy Bezner Davis. They live in Muenster with their two-year-old daughter, Bailey. Mark is currently working with his father operating oil leases and has recently joined the Muenster Volunteer Fire Department.

Tom Davis '19 lives in Capps Corner, Texas. He is a graduate of Oklahoma State University and is working for Kodiak Oil & Gas. A fun fact about Tom? He was a member of MISD's first State Champion Hornet Football Team in 2017! Tom and his fiancé, Maddie Anderle of Windthorst, Texas, plan to wed on September 13, 2025. Congrats!

Sarah Davis '21 is working on her Master's degree in Exercise Science at Oklahoma State University.

Muenster ISD and the MISD Education Foundation would like to thank Karen for her four years of service to our school, staff, & students as an instructional aide at the JH/HS campus & for the many previous years of substitute teaching! Enjoy your retirement, Karen!

Congratulations on your retirement!

Secondary Teacher Spotlight - Tanda Nasche



Before coming to Muenster ISD, Tanda Nasche began her career in education in 2007 at Grayson County College where she worked as an advisor and English instructor. In 2011, she started as an adjunct English professor at North Central Texas College (NCTC), and continued teaching there for the next ten years. She then took a short break from teaching to work as an advisor for the Red River Promise and to help launch the program at NCTC. During her three and a half years with Promise, she worked directly with high school students in Cooke and Montague counties helping students transition from high school to college or the workforce, and as an academic advisor for those attending NCTC.



She earned her BA and MA in English from Texas Tech University. This is where she met her husband, Matthew, and then moved to Muenster after they were married in 2008. They have four children, Arlo, Shelby, Beau, and Sam. Their family enjoys traveling, camping, and spending time with family and friends.

It has been an exciting year so far teaching 10th and 11th grade English, journalism, and serving as the advisor for the National Honor Society. She is thrilled to be working with such amazing students, faculty, and staff at MISD!





Elementary Teacher Spotlight - Bernadette Otto



For the past 18 years, I absolutely feel so blessed to have had the privilege of teaching the wonderful students of Muenster ISD. I have held the 4th through 6th grade Science teaching position for the entirety of this time. Science provides the opportunity for learners to frequently engage in hands-on experiences; the enthusiasm shared between students and myself while exploring science is very rewarding.

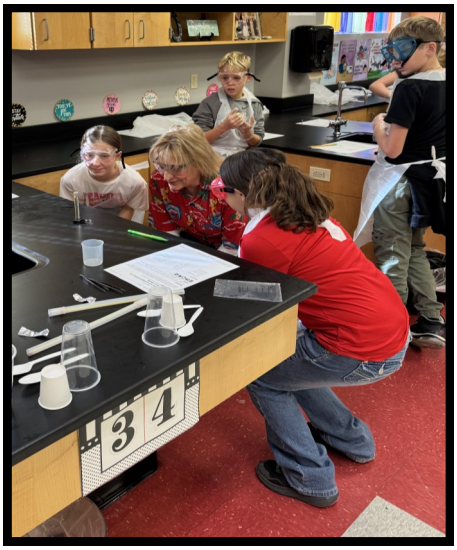
I have also been blessed with the position of JH TMSCA Coordinator and the Elementary UIL Music Memory Coach for the past 16 years.



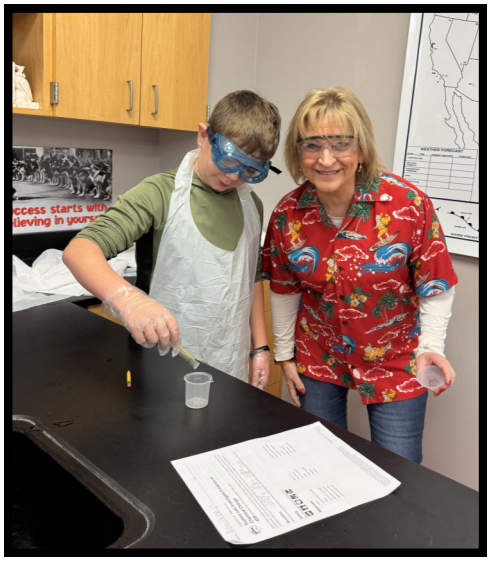
Prior to working for Muenster ISD, I taught Junior High Science at Piner Middle School in Sherman Texas for 13 years.

I am a Texas Woman's University graduate with a BS in Interdisciplinary Studies and a Science Specialization.

I am married to Ed Otto and am the proud parent of three children, Josh (Iva) Walterscheid, **Jeff '05 (Jenna '06)** Walterscheid, and **Jessica '07** (Zach) **Bowman**. I have been blessed with seven beautiful grandchildren, **Brenton Wilson '20**, **Della Walterscheid '27**, **Tyler '34** and **Emma Walterscheid '36**, **Kodi '34** and **Knox Bowman '36**. Della is a sophomore, Tyler and Kodi are in the 3rd grade, Knox and Emma are first graders all in Muenster ISD. Jettson attends Dynamite Daycare.







Alumni Spotlight - A.J. Fleitman



Most people know **August "A.J." Fleitman '25** as the quiet guy from school, the quiet guy behind the counter at Fischer's, or around Muenster. However, at a recent visit to 4R Ranch Vineyards and Winery (4R), I was pleasantly surprised by the charming, confident, and knowledgeable winemaker I witnessed visiting with a table full of enthralled wine tasters. I watched in awe as he explained his process, provided details of the wine, and even cracked a few jokes. I daresay he was quite handsome, too! To be truthful, the only surprising part of this hunger for learning, in his younger years August considered joining the military or becoming a mechanical engineer.

August graduated from Muenster High School in 2005 and went on to earn his associate degree at North Central Texas College. During this time, he could be found diligently working as a meat cutter at Fischer's Meat Market in Muenster where he worked for 10 years. When I met August in 2008, it didn't take long for me to know that this man was one of a kind. He is one of the most thoughtful, intelligent men I have ever met. Neither of us being much for small talk, we immediately began debating the big picture topics of the world, a pastime we still enjoy over a glass of wine. You would not believe the world's troubles that have been solved on our date nights. Once you get him to talk about a topic he enjoys, this is when you meet the real August Fleitman.

August would say his greatest title is that of father to our two sons, 12-year-old **Tristan '31** and 9-year-old **Morgan '33**. He is an amazing dad and wonderful husband. To allow me to focus on my career, he even spent a couple of years as a stay-at-home dad when the boys were babies. As anyone who has done this can attest, that is one of the most difficult jobs on earth. He, of course, made it look easy.

August wanted to stay close to home and family so following his time with the boys, August was fortunate to be offered the opportunity by the Roper family at 4R Ranch Vineyards and Winery to build a career locally. They have placed a tremendous amount of trust in him over the years. He started in 2016 as a cellar hand and quickly began to learn the business. He has worked in every area of the wine production process. From assisting in the winemaking process, working in the tasting room, helping with harvest, or any other task where he was needed, he has also learned the business side of the winery from the ground up. Owners, Nicole and Walt Roper said, "August Fleitman is the backbone of our wine program at 4R Ranch. When he began his career with us, we knew he would have tremendous success. We could not be more proud of August and all his accomplishments as our winemaker."

During this time of learning and growing at the winery he was an apprentice under the previous winemaker, Anthony Mosley. Anthony encouraged August in his education by giving him the freedom to make his own wine and sharing his knowledge with him. When asked about August, Anthony said, "August's commitment to studying and researching the winemaking strategies of others had him well on his way to becoming a talented winemaker well before we worked together. His attention to detail, quality, and sanitation impressed me very much. He understands the science of fermentation and aging of wine. It was a pleasure working with him while watching him grow his abilities and confidence with each harvest and vintage."

Then, last April, August was given the chance to move into the position of Winemaker. His responsibilities have grown to include production planning and budgeting for wine production up to 2-3 years in advance. He selects the grapes that will be used for each vintage, oversees order and transportation of the grapes, fruit processing from start to finish, blending trials, bottling, presentations, and local distribution.

Several of August's wines have recently won awards. His 2021 Alberino won Gold in the Granbury wine competition. The 2022 Cabernet Sauvignon won Gold, Reserve Champion, and Texas Reserve Class Champion in the 2025 Vine 2 Wine International Wine Competition. It also won Gold, and Texas Class Champion in the 2025 Rodeo Uncorked International Wine Competition. The 2022 Tempranillo took silver in the 2025 Vine 2 Wine International Wine Competition and Silver in the 2025 Rodeo Uncorked International Wine Competition.

The reason that he has excelled at this career is because it requires a combination of skill, creativity, and science. August has always been a scientist at heart. He has a methodical and practical mind perfect for winemaking. He also lends to that craft his creative curiosity that allows him to take the science a step further and experiment with new methods. I am constantly amazed by, and jealous of his ability to pick up a book or look up a tutorial and fearlessly apply what he has learned. He is constantly researching new techniques for his work at the winery.

When he isn't at the winery, he is usually found working on something at home. Over the last couple of years in addition to his duties at the winery, he would spend his evenings building and finishing our home. August is also an avid reader of articles on science, technology, and wine. He even enjoys science fiction and fantasy novels. He spends much of his time with his family and is a very hands-on dad and loves spending time with the boys, helping with homework, playing games, or traveling when given the chance.

August plans to open his own winery in Muenster in a few years. I have no doubt that he will be successful in this endeavor. There is genuinely nothing he can't do when he sets his mind to it. His goal is to continue researching methods and innovations in the Texas wine industry while navigating the ever changing demographics of a new generation of wine drinkers. I could not be prouder of this man that I am privileged to call my husband. With the hands of a craftsman, the heart of an artist and the mind of an engineer, I have no doubt that his passion for winemaking will lead him to even more success in the future.

Written by LaDonna Fleitman, wife of A.J. Fleitman

MISD Veterans Day Program



Lt. Col Casey Walterscheid ’00 was the featured speaker at this year’s Veterans Day ceremony at MISD. Pictured from left to right are his wife, **Megan Hennigan Walterscheid ‘01**, son, **Brooks ’30**, **Lt. Col Walterscheid ’00**, daughter, **Finley ’32**, and parents **Terry ’75** and Diane Kralicke Walterscheid

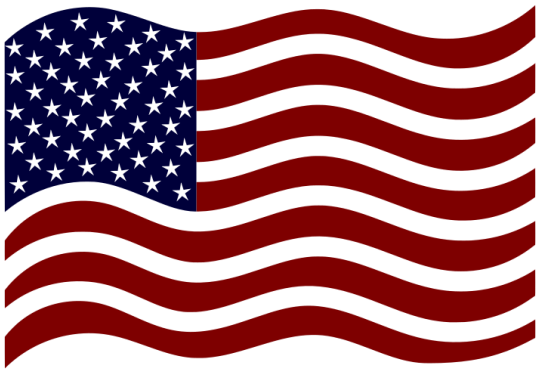




Michelle Hennigan ‘93 with friend, **Steven Fisher ‘92**



Claude Bayer with granddaughter, **Bailey Anderle Jackson ‘18**, and wife, Mary Bayer





Tina Mollenkopf Weinzapfel ’77 plays taps during the ceremony

MISD Veterans Day Program



Superintendent, Matthew Quick, looks on as **Lt. Col Walterscheid** speaks



Dyan Fisher Huchton '92 with her father, **David Fisher '66**



Craig Hartman '00 with his father, **Tom Hartman '63**





Emily and Andy Klement



Thank you, Veterans, for your service to our country!

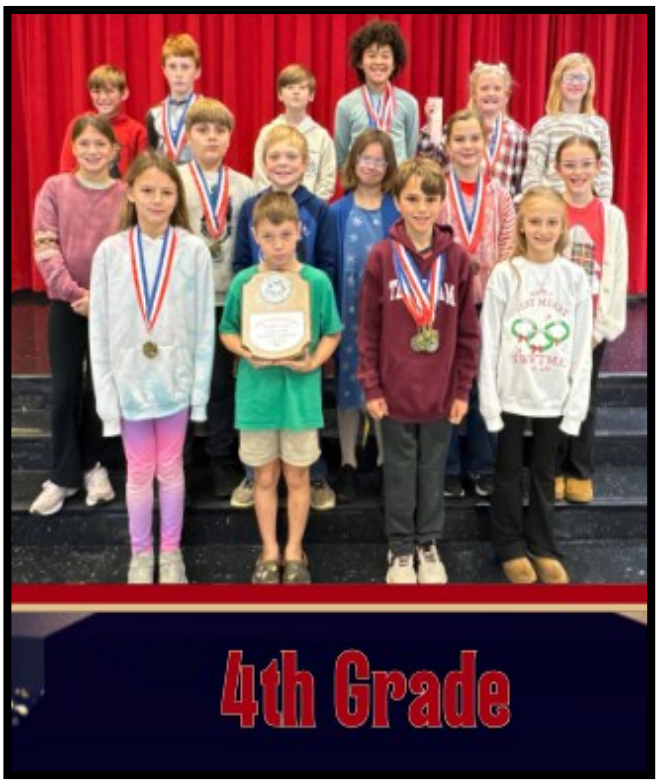
Left to right: **Gerald Walterscheid '52**, Don Hess, Donald Hennigan, Claude Bayer, **Steven Fisher '92**, **Joe Hartman '66**, **Lt. Col Casey Walterscheid '00**, Andy Klement, **Henry Weinzapfel '52**, Jim Gehrig, **Tom Flusche '65**, **Tom Hartman '63**, **David Fisher '66**, Ronald E. Bickers, and Willie Wimmer.

Muenster Elementary

UIL District Champions









Muenster Junior High

UIL District 2nd Place







Muenster Junior High

One Act Play





The Muenster Junior High One Act Play performed at the JH UIL One Act Play competition at NCTC on November 13, 2025. All Star Cast awards went to **Madison F. '29** and **Holly K. '29.** Tech Award went to **Sage L. '29**.



Front Row – **Maci C. '30, Madison F. '29, Holly K. '29, Sydney W. '29, Karli C. '30,** and **Sage L. '29**

Back Row – **Christine K. '29, Kiley E. '29, Cyler K. '30, Dylan O. '29** and **Addison H. '29**

Not Pictured – **Sage R. '29**

JH & HS Cross Country

Junior High Girls XC



Coach **Amy Otto Binder '94, Maci C. '30, Aubrey G. '30, Avynn B. '29, Karli C. '30, Braely H. '30, Tennyson Bayer '29,** and **Cyler K. '30**

Junior High Boys XC



Stockton B. '29, Zech S. '29, Dylan L. '29, James F. '29, John F. '29, William D. '30, and **Kyler R. '30**

High School Boys & Girls XC



The Lady Hornet Cross Country team finished 1st and the Hornet XC team placed 4th in the District Meet.

Front Row: **Dalton M. '28**, **Jeremiah F. '27** (placed 7th individually), and **Ryan K. '28**. Middle Row: **Sydney M. '26**, **Emma K. '26** (placed 5th individually), **Emma W. '25**, **Lilly J. '27** (placed 9th individually), and Magdalena S. (placed 3rd as JV runner). Back Row: **Deegan N. '28**, **Dustin C. '28**, **Mason S. '28**, **Ava H. '27** (placed 12th individually), **Allie S. '26** (placed 7th individually), and **Carly M. '27** (placed 10th individually).



The Lady Hornets Cross Country team advanced to the Regional Meet where they finished 7th as a team! The Lady Hornet "regional qualifiers" were **Ava H. '27, Allie S. '26, Ella W. '26, Emma K. '26, Sydney M. '26, Lilly J. '26,** and **Carly M. '27.** Also pictured is Magdalena S.

JH & HS Football



Junior High Football Team

Back Row: **Nate G. ‘29 Luke W. ‘29, Jaxon B. ‘29, Braxton B. ‘29, Stockton B., Titan B., Asher H., Zec S.,** and **Caden H.**

Front Row: **Kinsler K. ‘29, Mason S. ‘29, Reed R.’29, James F; ‘29, Mason S. ‘29, William S. ’29, Dylan L. ’29** and **Andrew R. ‘29**

Junior High Football Team

Back Row: **Hayes L .’30,. John F ‘29, Zeb G, ’29 Jaden L, ’30 Hudson N, ’30, Kelson B, ’30** and **Oliver W. ‘30**

Front Row: **Bowen W,’29, Grayson P,’30, Cage A,’30,. William D, ’30, Brooks W, ’30, Gunnar R, ‘30, Daniel W, ’29, Will L. ’30** and **Samuel W. ‘30**





Muenster Hornet Varsity Football

#0 Simon J., #1 Jake W., #3 Caden K., #4 Carter S., #6 Casen C., #7 Deegan N., #8 Garrett H., #9 Brisan H., #10 Legend B., #13 Jeremiah F., #15 Mason M., #21 Maverick B., #22 Ethan H., #23 Sam D., #25 Hayden F., #32 Parker H., #44 Nolan P., #50 Landon H., #51 Brendan H., #52 Jackson B. #54 Tate S., #55 Rhett W., #56 Zach S., #58 Pason W., #60 Brady W., #62 Colt W., #64 Logan F., #66 Kyle L., #71 Wade S., #74 Zadok S., #72 Carter K., #78 Ty Hess, Kaiden M. Coaches: Brady Carney, Wes Johnson, Josh Wheeler,, **Tyler Anderle ’12,** Quentin Berend., Tyler McDaniel, & Kyle Cavitt

High School JV Football

#1 Jeremiah F., #2 Seth P., #3 Carson B., #4 Jack L., #5 Mason S., #6 Collin O., #7 Dustyn C., #8 Deegan N., #9 Ryan K., #12 Zach L., #13 Caron K., #21 Dax B., #25 Preston J., #32 Dalton M., #44 Brody B., #50 Mason B., #51 Vyson G., #54 Brady K., #55 Brody C., #56 Hayden S., #60 Zadok S., #62 Colt W., #64 Clay L., #66 Ryder H., #71 Colton L., #78 Chris H.



Maverick B '27
Academic All-District
WR – First Team All-District

Legend B '26
Academic All-District
RB – Second Team All-District

Casen C '26
Academic All-District
Offensive MVP All-District
State Game Offensive MVP 2A Division II
TSWA, All-State, Third Team Quarterback

Sam D '25
Kicker – First Team All-District

Hayden F '25
Academic All-District
Utility – First Team All-District
Academic All-State, Honorable Mention

Logan F '25
Academic All-District
Pride Award – First Team All-District
OLB – All-District Honorable Mention
Academic All-State, Honorable Mention

Landon H '25
OL/DL– Second Team All-District

Parker H '25
Academic All-District
Corner – All-District Honorable Mention

Garrett H '26
Academic All-District
TE/ DE—First Team All-District
TSWA, All-State, First Team, TE

Ty H '25
DL – All-District Honorable Mention

Ethan H '25
Academic All-District
Defensive Utility – First Team All-District

Simon J '26
Academic All-District
OLB – First Team All-District

Caden K '25
Academic All-District
MVP All-District
Academic All-State, Honorable Mention

Kyle L '27
Academic All-District
Center – First Team All-District

Mason M '26
Corner– Second Team All-District

Nolan P '26
Academic All-District
RB / DL – First Team All-District

Tate S '25
Academic All-District
MLB – First Team All-District

Wade S '27
Academic All-District

Carter S '25
Academic All-District
Academic All-State, Second Team

Zach S '25
Academic All-District
TSWA, All-State, First Team, Offensive Tackle
OL – First Team All-District
Academic All-State, Second Team

Brady W '26
Academic All-District

Rhett W '26
Academic All-District
OL – First Team All-District

Jake W '26
Academic All-District
Corner – All-District Honorable Mention

Pason W '26
Academic All-District
OL – All-District Honorable Mention

2024 STATE CHAMPIONS!!

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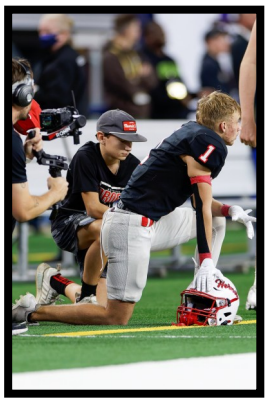


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Holliday L	35	49	
Windthorst	W	56	21
Pottsboro L	27	32	
DeLeon	W	50	21
Lindsay	W	44	0
Era	W	64	6
Santo	W	43	7
Collinsville	W	34	20
Chico	W	58	0
Hamlin	W	70	0
Wheeler	W	60	15
Albany	W	56	14
Collinsville	W	54	14
Gruver	W	49	26
Shiner	W	36	29

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STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

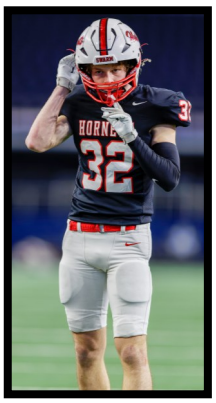
2024 State Championship Game







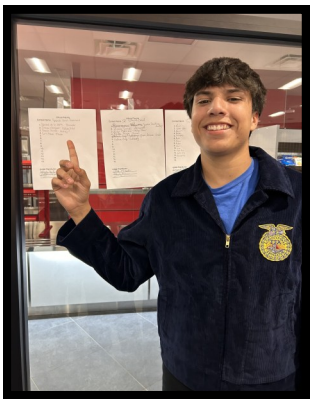


Muenster FFA



Back row: Ag teacher, Cody Martindale, **Preston J. '27**, **Samuel D. Mata '25**, **Cooper H. '27**, **Cooper G. '27**, **Branson V. '27**, **Wyatt Y. '26**, and Ag teacher, Tara Whitely.

Front row: **Shelbie H. '27**, **Ayden S. '28, Kariann B. '29, Emma W. '25, Anna Kay H. '26, Maggie Y. '25, Lauren G. '26, Jaycee B. '27, Carter Q. '27,** and **Peyton G. '28**



1st Place Greenhand
Spanish Creed Speaking
Samuel D. '25



District FFA Competition







Muenster FCCLA



FCCLA Members:

Back row: **Baylie B. ’26, Lillian W. ’26, Ava H. ’27, Taylor S. ’27, Ava H. ’27, Emma H. ’27, Skyler R. ’27, Della W. ’27, Krista B. ’25,** and **Desiree L. ‘26**

Front row: **Sage L. ’29, Kiley E. ’29, Sage R. ’29,** and **Christine K. ‘29**





FCCLA Region II STAR Event Results



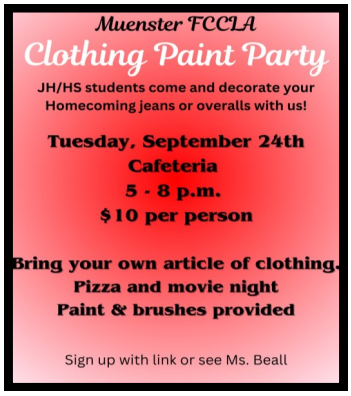
1st Place Sustainability Challenge **Lucy K. ‘27, Ava H. ‘27,** and **Taylor S. ‘27**



2nd Place Nutirtion and Wellness **Bailey B. ‘26** and **Lillian W.** ‘26



2nd Place Professional Presentation **Christine K. ‘29, Holly K. ‘29,** and **Sage R. ‘29**





3rd Place Career Investigation Level **Jasmine F. ‘29**

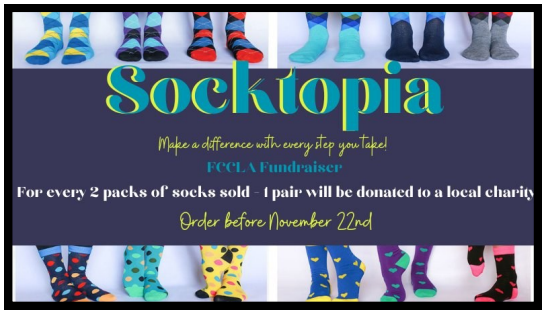


3rd Place Entrepreneurship **Karissa H. ‘25** and **Raegan W. ‘25**



5th Place Repurpose and Redesign **Della W. ‘27** and **Caitlyn ‘27**





Student Council



Elementary Student Council

President: **Zayley S.**, Vice President: **Carter C.,** Secretary: **Karli K.**, Treasurer: **Drue C.**, Historian: **McGara P.**, Reporter: **Aiden H.**, 6A Representatives: **Rosston G.** & **Alexis S.**, 6B Reps: **Hayden F.** & **Bennett A.,** 5A Reps: **Emery M.** & **Hank H.**, 5B Reps: Finley W. & **Ruger R.**, 4A Reps: **Claire K.** & **Daphne P.**, 4B Reps: **Tressa C.** & **Isaac M.**



Junior High Student Council

President: **Addison H.,** Vice President: **Avynn B.,** Secretary: **Chevy F.,** Treasuer: **Tenny B.,** 8th Grade Representative**: Sage L.,** 7th Grade Representatives: **Karli C. & Ella W.,** Members at Large: **Will L. & Nolan F.**



High School Student Council

President: **Sydney M.**, Vice President: **Emma K.**, Treasurer: **Taylor S.,** Freshman Representatives: **Mason** S. & **Clara B.**, Sophomore Representatives: **Carly M.** & **Ava H.**, Junior Representative: **Anna Kay H.**, Other Members: **Lucy K., Lauren G., Jaycee B., & Clayton L.**

National Honor Society



Left to Right: **Emma K.** (Secretary), **Sydney M.** (Treasurer), **Marlee W.** (Vice Presidnet), **Emma W.** (President), **Krista B.** (Historian)



Back Row: **Carter Q.**, **Carly M.**, **Skyler R.**, **Della W.**, **Brynlee B., Ava H., & Jaycee B.**

Front Row: **Lucy K., Taylor S. & Faith S.**



2024-2025 NHS Members Are:

Seniors: **Logan F., Jasmine H., Ava Q., Carter S., & Faith S.** Juniors: **Brynlee B., Baylie B., Emma G., Lauren G., Anna Kay H., Emma K., Kyle L., Ivan M., Sydney M., Allie S., Brady W., & Ella W.** Sophomores: **Jaycee B., Ava H., Lucy K., Carly M., Carter Q., Taylor S., Skyler R.,** and **Della W.**

Cooke County Junior Livestock Show

Austin B. ‘28
Metal Project, Ninth Place
Adelaide B. ‘28
Class I Market Goat, Ninth Place
Class III Market Goat, Seventh Place
Benjamin B. ‘31
Meat Pen, Ninth Place
Mason B. ‘28
Meat Pen, 21st Place
Brystol B. ‘31
Lightweight Steer, Champion
Intermediate Showmanship
Class III Cross, First Place
Intermediate Showmanship Swine, Grand Champion
Brynlee B. ‘26
Heavyweight Steer, Fourth Place
Jaycee B. ‘27
Class VI Cross Breed, First Place
Stockton B. ‘’29
Class I Champion Dorper, First Place
Class I Dorper Sheep, First Place
Class II Cross Breed, Third Place
Class II Hampshire, First Place
Class III Medium Wool, First Place
Class VII Cross Breed, First Place
Cross Breed, Reserve Grand Champion
Breeding Lamb, Grand Champion
Medium Wool Sheep, Reserve Champion
Swine, Reserve Grand Champion
Sutton B. ‘31
American Heifer, First Place
Class I Commercial Heifer, Champion
Class II American Heifer, First Place
Karaline C. ‘33
Class II Market Goat, First Place
Class V Market Goat, First Place
Class VI Market Goat, Second Place
Lightweight Goat, Champion
Heavyweight Goat, Reserve Champion
Market Goat, Reserve Champion
Kyan C. ‘31
Class II Breeding Sheep, First Place
Class III Market Goat, Second Place
Class V Market Goat, Second Place
Class VI, Market Goat, First Place
Heavyweight Goat, Grand Champion
Market Goat, Grand Champion

Sabryna E. ‘34
Ag Mechanics - Medium Wood Projects, Third Place
Meat Pen, 12th place
Mini Lop, Best Opposite Sex
John F. ‘29
Ag Mechanics - Medium Metal Projects, Sixth Place
Cash F. ‘32
Class II Breeding Goat, Third Place
Class I Breeding Goat, Second Place

Paisley G. ‘31
Class I Black OPB, Fifth Place
Class I Duroc, Second Place

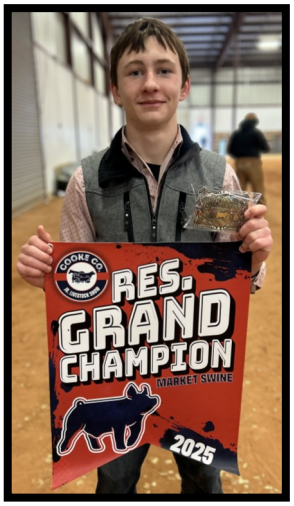
Ryder G. ‘26
Class I British, Second Place
Class III Hampshire, Fourth Place
Class IV Cross Breed, Second Place
Class IV Hampshire, Second Place
Claire G. ‘30
Class II Medium Wool, First Place
Intermediate Showmanship, Champion
Medium Wool, Champion
Class I, Market Goat, First Place
Sheep, Grand Champion
Lightweight Goat, Reserve Champion
Cooper G. ‘27
Class III Market Goat, First Place
Class III Market Goat, Third Place
Class III Medium Wool, Second Place
Lamb Senior Showmanship, Champion
Medium Weight Goat, Grand Champion
Caden H. ‘29
Ag Mechanics - Large Wood Projects, Sixth Place
Ellie H. ‘26
Ag Mechanics - Large Wood Projects, Second Place























Cooke County Junior Livestock Show

Landon H. ‘25
Ag Mechanics - Large Wood Projects, First Place
Ag Mechanics - Large Wood Projects, Grand Champion
Anna Kay H. ‘26
Meat Pen, 10th Place
Hank H. ‘32
Junior Goat Showmanship, Champion
Breeding Goat, Grand Champion
Breeding Goat, Reserve Champion
Class II Breeding Goat, First Place
Class I Breeding Goat, First Place
Class I Market Goat, Second Place
Class IV Market Goat, Fifth Place
Class V Market Goat, Third Place
Heath H. ‘34
Class I Breeding Goat, Fifth Place
Class II Breeding Goat, Fourth Place
Class IV Market Goat, Fourth Place
Angie H. ‘27
Class II Commercial Heifer, First Place
Heifer, Reserve Champion
Brinlee K. ‘33
Class I Breeding Goat, Sixth Place
Class II Market Goat, Third Place
Class IV Market Goat, First Place
Colton L. ‘28
Metal Project, Eight Place
Sage L. ‘29
Horticultural, Foliage, Third Place
Horticultural, Succulents, Third Place
Meat Pen, Grand Champion
Alayana R. ‘30
Class II Market Goat, Second Place
Class I Breeding Goat, Third Place
Blake R. ‘29
Broiler, 12th Place
Jack R. ‘27
Ag Mechanics – Large Metal Projects, Third Place
Anthony S. ‘30
Class III Berkshire, Sixth Place
Ayden S. ‘28
Class IV Cross Breed, Seventh Place
Clay S. ‘34
Class III Berkshire, Fifth Place
Josey S.
Class I Cross Breed, Sixth Place
Wade S. ‘26
Ag Mechanics - Large Metal Projects, Fourth Place
Class II Hampshire, Fourth Place
Class III Cross Breed, Ninth Place
Zadok S. ‘27
Californian, First Place
Holland Lop, Seventh Place
Meat Pen, 11th Place
New Zealand, First Place
Zayley S. ‘31
Holland Lop, Third Place
Meat Pen, Fourth Place
Min Satin, Best of Breed
New Zealand, First Place
Zec S. ‘29
Best Opposite Sex Holland Lop, 2nd place
Meat Pen, 26th Place
New Zealand, Intermediate Showmanship
Zyden S. ‘32
Meat Pen, 27th Place
Netherland Dwarf, Fourth Place
New Zealand, Second Place
Carter S. ‘25
Ag Mechanics - Medium Wood Projects, Second Place
Faith S. ‘25
Broiler, 13th Place
Senior Showmanship Chicken, Grand Champion
Hayden S. ‘27
Broiler, 15th Place
Emeri V.’32
Class II Breeding Gilt, Third Place
Class IV Hampshire, Fourth Place
Class V Cross Breed, Second Place
Emma W. ‘25
Class I Market Goat, Seventh Place
Class II Market Goat, Sixth Place
Anna W. ‘26
Meat Pen, 18th place
Luke W. ‘29
Meat Pen, 25th place









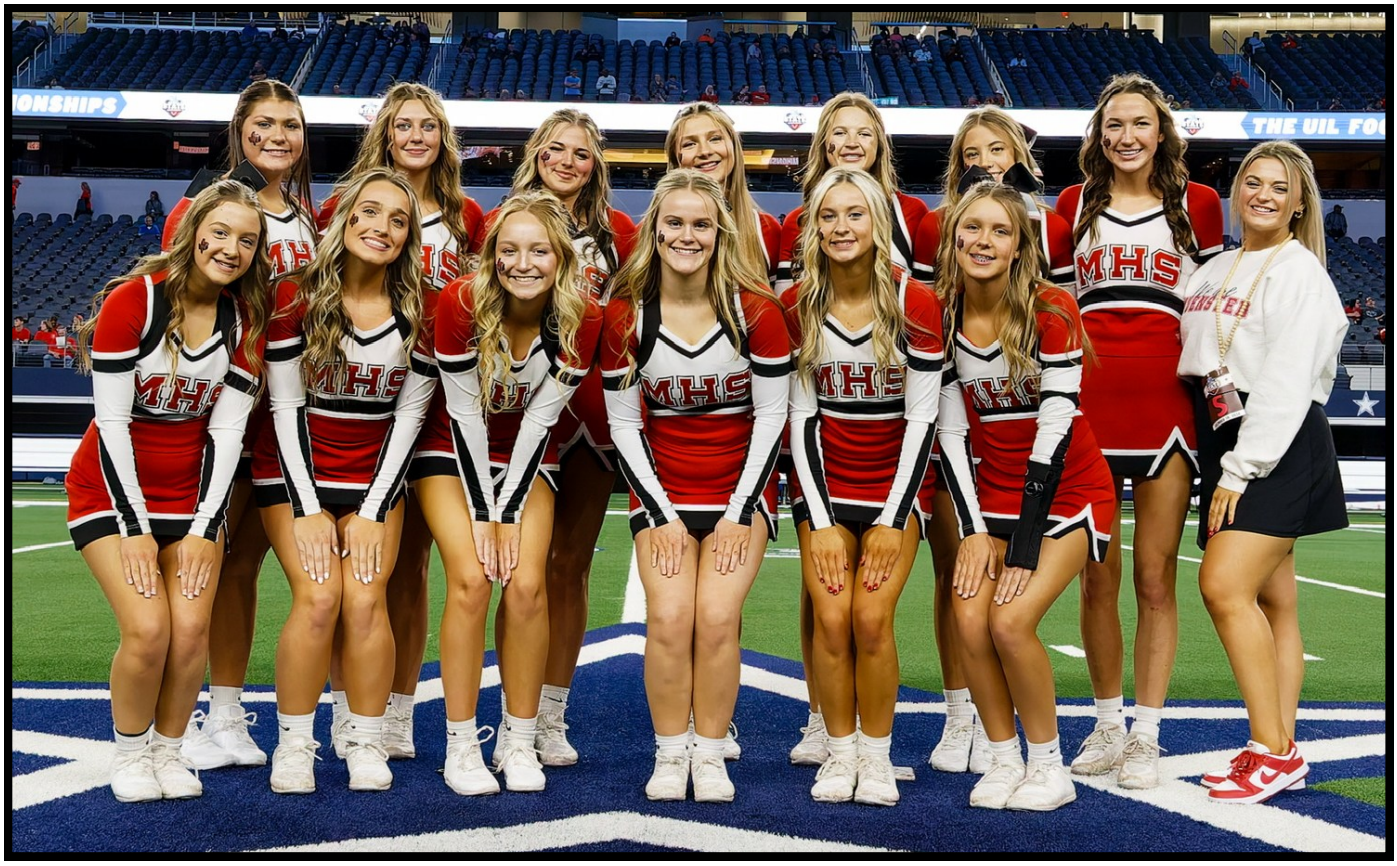







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Our Muenster Hornet Cheerleaders competed January 16 at the UIL Spirit State Championship at the Fort Worth Convention Center in Fort Worth, Texas. There were 72 Division 2A cheer squads competing. This amazing cheer squad advanced to the finals (the top 20) where they ended up nineteenth. During the qualifying round, our Muenster Hornet Cheerleaders were 8th overall in "Band Chant," 4th overall in "Fight Song," and 5th overall in "Crowd Leading." Congratulations! We are so very proud of this group of girls!



MUENSTER HORNET CHEERLEADERS

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Greetings, Hornet alumni! We hope this newsletter finds you well! As you know, the Education Foundation is here to support our educators and our students of Muenster ISD. And with that, we want to share the happenings of our school by way of our newsletter. Unfortunately, as with everything else, the cost of publishing "The Hornet Hive" has increased. The MISD Education Foundation sends out this newsletter twice a year, an end-of-summer and a winter edition.

At a recent meeting, we spent a great amount of time brainstorming possible solutions. An idea that we all agreed upon was creating a page for ads. The ad would be 1" x 2" and cost $200 for the year; $100 for the end-of-summer edition and $100 for the winter edition. This ad could be from a business, an organization, an individual wanting to show support of the newsletter, or simply "in memory of" or "in honor of" a loved one.

Purchasing an ad is a tax-deductible gift that will greatly help with the cost of publishing the newsletter. The MISD Education Foundation's main goal is to assist teachers in their efforts to implement programs that enhance the learning of their students through instructional grants. However, "The Hornet Hive" is an excellent way for us to promote our school and alumni, and it is our wish to see that this continues.

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