

Montgomery Junior High School

MARCH 2019 – ROARING & SOARING INTO THE FUTURE



IMPORTANT DATES IN MARCH:

Mar 2	Jr. Belles competition @ College Park HS all day
Mar 2	One Act Play to Creighton
Mar 3	Vital Signs Sucker Fundraiser all week
Mar 4	Diagnostician Week
Mar 5	Magnolia track meet 4:00 p.m.
Mar 6	Choir UIL Sight Reading contest and concert /TELPAS testing for ESL students
Mar 7	PTO Meeting 8:45 Library/TELPAS testing continued
Mar 7	Tennis parent meeting 6:00 MJH cafeteria/UIL Concert Women 12:45 p.m.
Mar 8	No track practice
Mar 11-15	Spring Break
Mar 18	Theater Booster Club meeting 5:00 p.m.
Mar 19	ELA textbook adoption open to parents at TLC 4-6 p.m.
Mar 19	Woodridge track meet @ Porter HS 4:00 p.m.
Mar 20	Progress Reports go home 3 rd period/Golf at High Meadow Ranch
Mar 20/21	Tennis try-outs @ Walden afterschool
Mar 21	6 th UIL meet at Lynn Lucas 2:15 p.m.
Mar 22	Choir Spring Sing auditions in cafeteria 3-8 p.m.
Mar 24	Student Council Penny for Patients Fundraiser
Mar 25	Zone Track Meet @ MISD Complex 4 p.m./Golf at Legendary Oaks
Mar 26	7/8 gr UIL Speaking/Writing meet @ OHJH/6 th grade pop show auditions 3-6 p.m.
Mar 28	Cheer parent meeting 6:00 p.m. in cafeteria
Mar 28	Vital Signs at Lone Star College all day/6 th gr. Choir pop show auditions 2:45-5:30 choir room
Mar 28	Germany parent meeting 6:30 library
Mar 30	Theater rehearsal 9-2 p.m. on stage

A MESSAGE FROM OUR COACHES: SPORTS INFO

Track: Boys and girls track practices are 2:40-4:00 pm, M-F. Contact greg.faigle@misd.org or lauren.hightower@misd.org if you have any questions.

Tennis: Tennis tryouts will be held after spring break for 7th and 8th graders that are interested. Practices will be held at Walden Tennis Center and Bentwater. Contact Brittany.wallace@misd.org if you have any questions. More info. to come.

Golf: Contact Stephen.johnston@misd.org if you have any questions.

Girls Tryouts: Monday, February 25th, at Walden CC

7th Grade Boys Tryouts: Tuesday, February 26th, at April Sound CC

8th Grade Boys Tryouts: Thursday, February 28th, at April Sound CC

TEXTBOOK SHOWCASE:

ELA adoption grades K-8: parents and teachers are invited to explore the textbook options available for the new ELA textbook adoption. Feedback is welcome to assist the district in making the best selection for students. Location: March 19 @ the TLC 4-6 p.m. Come and go.

2020 GERMANY/SWISS ALPS SUMMER TRAVEL:

A great opportunity for all students/family to travel abroad. Each year will be a different place. Parent meeting March 23 - 6:30 p.m. in the library.

2020 WASHINGTON D.C. SUMMER TRAVEL:

Attn: 8th graders only – 8th grade history department summer travel.

MJH UIL ACADEMIC EVENTS:

March 21 – 6th gr. UIL Meet @ Lynn Lucas, Willis afterschool March 26 7/8 gr. Speaking & Writing UIL Meet @ OHJH

6TH grade: Art, Calculator Applications, Chess, Dictionary Skills, Ready Writing, Poetry/Prose, Listening, Map, Charts & Graphs, Mathematics, Music Memory, Spelling.

7th & 8th grade: Art, Calculator Applications, Chess, Dictionary Skills, Editorial/Ready Writing, Impromptu Speaking, Listening, Maps, Charts & Graphs, Mathematics, Number Sense, Poetry/Prose, Science I & II, Social Studies, Spelling

JOIN OUR MJH PTO:

Help raise money for the PTO while you shop at Kroger's! Add MJH PTO to your Kroger's Community Rewards by searching for Organization Number NN521! Also, spirit wear is sold every Friday during all lunches.

Box Tops for Education: MJH needs your box tops. Please have your student bring them to the front office and pick up a sweet treat.

MJH PTO will begin discussing opportunities for MJH PTO board members and committee leaders of the 2019-2020 school year. Please join us on March 7th at 8:45 a.m. if you would like to know more. Follow on Facebook @ PTO Montgomery Junior High.

FEBRUARY TEACHER OF THE MONTH:

Congratulations to Mrs. Lori Williams, 6th grade math/science teacher, for being nominated by our students as teacher of the month.

MJH YEARBOOK:

Purchase a 2018-2019 yearbook at Balfour.com. If you have any questions, contact Mrs. Krause, the yearbook advisor, at kristy.krause@misd.org.

DRESS CODE:

We are seeing a lot of holes in jeans above the knees. Before we call home, students have already been addressed several times about dress code. Dress code is enforced every day. Please make sure your student is in dress code before they leave the home. Thank you.

PARENT/STUDENT HANDBOOK:

The Parent-Student Handbook is available on the MJH website. We encourage you to become familiar with the information contained in the handbook. Forms such as Release of Picture/Directory Information, Medication for the Nurse, Change of Address/Phone Number, and Technology Agreement are found at the back of the Handbook.

LUNCH VISITORS:

Guests visiting at lunch must bring their license to get a V-Soft badge and eat lunch with their child. Visitors are not allowed to provide food to students other than their own. Parents must accompany students visiting siblings for lunch. We now have a specific table in the cafeteria for parents to sit and eat lunch with their child.

MISD HELP HOTLINE:

Hotline posters are in all areas of the school if students need to report any concerns such as bullying, threats, weapons, suicidal thoughts, drugs/alcohol, etc. The number is 936-262-0001. We ask that you visit with your student about reporting any concerns or threats immediately so we can help make sure we address this promptly. This can be anonymous as well.

Follow us on Twitter @mjhsbears and Instagram (mjhsbears) – to see all the great things happening at MJH.

Campus Website: www.misd.org - campus – Montgomery Junior High

Campus Phone Number: MJH Main Line 936-276-3300 MJH Fax 936-276-3301

It's a great day to be a BEAR! *Angie Chapman, Principal*

