



MVCSC Communications Report

School Board of Trustees Meeting

II-2020

GREAT NEWS IN THE SCHOOLS

School Accolades & Notable Activities

- MVHS was named a 2020 College Success Award through the “GreatSchools” organization
- MVHS Seniors Kaitlyn Arkenau and Kayden Bensheimer were named finalists for the Hancock County Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship
- MVEF received \$12,000 from the United Way of Central Indiana to help MV students impacted by the pandemic
- MVHS girls’ golf team advanced to regionals and the football team won sectionals

Community Connections

- MVEF is partnering w/the local food pantries for the community to make a donation to aid in providing food for those in need.
- MVHS hosted 250 Army Reserve Soldiers assigned to the 310th Expeditionary Sustainment Command in their deployment ceremony on November 14, before they traveled to Kuwait in support of Operations Enduring Freedom and Spartan Shield.
- Several schools honored Veterans Day with videos or ceremonies with students expressing their appreciation for our veterans’ service to our country.
- Students promoted Red Ribbon Week to advocate for students to be drug free.
- MVHS held another Blood Drive due to the critical shortage of blood supply. Mt. Vernon had 24 donors at Fortville Christian Church which will impact 72 patients.
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Noteworthy Media

- WRTV Channel 6 - Temporary quarantine room helps schools isolate students with COVID symptoms
<https://www.wrtv.com/news/coronavirus/covid-19-education/temporary-quarantine-room-helps-schools-isolate-students-with-covid-symptoms>

PRESS SUMMARY

Greenfield Reporter:

- Heartbreaking end MV falls in regional finals (MVHS Girls Soccer)
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/20/heartbreaking-end-mv-falls-in-regional-final/>
- Marauders fall to top-ranked Yorktown
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/20/marauders-fall-to-top-ranked-yorktown/>
- Dragons’ Shaw wins third straight regional (MVHS girls & boys cross country advance to semi-state)
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/20/dragons-shaw-wins-third-straight-regional/>
- Outright Finale: Marauders beat Tigers for program’s first perfect regular season
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/17/outright_finale_marauders_beat_tigers_for_programs_first_perfect_regular_season/

- The sideline: MV grad earns runner of the week honors
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/21/the-sideline-mv-grad-earns-runner-of-the-week-honors/>
- The final AP HS football poll: four local teams ranked No. 1
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/hs-blog/2020/10/21/final-associated-press-high-school-football-poll-four-local-teams-ranked-no-1/6006044002/>
- Where they stand Q&A - Chas Jones
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/24/where_they_stand_qampa_chas_f_jones/
- Where they stand Q&A - Tony May
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/24/where_they_stand_qampa_tony_may/
- Where they Stand Q&A - Damon King
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/24/where_they_stand_qampa_damon_king/
- Where they stand Q&A - Phil Edwards
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/24/where_they_stand_qampa_phil_edwards/
- Where they stand Q&A - Chad Gray
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/24/where_they_stand_qampa_chad_gray/
- Program featuring Fortville airing next week
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/23/program_featuring_fortville_airing_next_week/
- marauders run pas arabians advance to sectional finals
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/31/marauders_run_past_arabians_advance_to_sectional_finals/
- Marauders Dragons staring down semifinal tests
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/30/marauders_dragons_starring_down_semifinal_tests/
- motivated for more after an early playoff exit last season the marauders are eager to return
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/30/motivated_for_more_after_an_early_playoff_exit_last_season_the_marauders_are_eager_to_return/
- school redefined virtual learning is presenting challenges and opportunities for students and teachers
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/31/school_redefined_virtual_learning_is_presenting_challenges_and_opportunities_for_students_and_teachers/
- A memorable journey, Long time Mt. Vernon coach Steve Williams retiring after 26 years
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/29/a_memorable_journey_longtime_mt_vernon_soccer_coach_steve_williams_retiring_after_26_years/
- Schools report new COVID-19 cases
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/27/schools_report_new_covid19_cases/
- Sideline - October 27 http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/27/the_sideline_october_27-2/
- A challenging chapter Fortville Library regrouping after resignations dumping of historical newspapers
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/28/a_challenging_chapter_fortville_library_regrouping_after_resignations_dumping_of_historical_newspapers/
- Marauders roll to first round win (MVHS Football)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/10/24/marauders_roll_to_firstround_win/
- Back-to-back champs No. 1 4a Marauders erupt second half to win sectional title
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/07/backtoback_champs_no_1_class_4a_marauders_erupt_in_second_half_to_win_sectional_title/
- Linda A Yager obit http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/06/linda_a_yager/
- Women in business webinar
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/06/women_in_business_webinar_coming_up/
- How Hancock County voted http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/07/how_hancock_county_voted/
- Upsetting opener No. 12 Marauders loose in overtime to Franklin
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/06/upsetting_opener_no_12_marauders_lose_in_overtime_to_franklin/

- Mt. Vernon Board ratifies teacher contract
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/05/mt_vernon_board_ratifies_teacher_contract/
- COVID grant to help MV reach troubled students
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/05/covid_grant_to_help_mv_reach_troubled_students/
- The sideline - November 5 http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/05/the_sideline_november_5-3/
- Schools report new COVID-19 cases
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/03/schools-report-new-covid-19-cases/>
- Sports calendar Nov 5 http://www.dailyjournal.net/2020/11/05/sports_calendar_november_5-2/
- Restaurant inspections November 4
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/04/restaurant_inspections_november_4-3/
- Sideline November 4 http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/04/the_sideline_november_4-2/
- Incumbent Two newcomers win Mt. Vernon Board seats
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/04/incumbent_two_newcomers_win_mt_vernon_board_seats/
- Candidates who were unopposed ready to step up
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/04/candidates_who_were_unopposed_ready_to_step_up/
- 2020 Hancock Cty general election results
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/03/2020-hancock-county-general-election-results/>
- Dragons Shaw concludes season with top 75 finish
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/03/dragons_shaw_concludes_season_with_top_75_finish/
- School districts set to ok teacher contracts
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/03/school_districts_set_to_ok_teacher_contracts/
- Mt. Vernon's Band of Marauders retires old uniforms
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/03/mt_vernons_band_of_marauders_retires_old_uniforms/
- Stephen W. Partlow obit http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/02/stephen_w_partlow/
- Marauders seeking return to semistate
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/13/marauders_seeking_return_to_semistate/
- The sideline November 12 http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/12/the_sideline_november_12/
- State announces new pandemic requirements
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/12/state_announces_new_pandemic_requirements/
- Mt. Vernon Preschool rises on states quality rating
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/10/mt_vernon_preschool_rises_on_states_quality_rating/
- Marauders even up record beat Warriors
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/10/marauders_even_up_record_beat_warriors/
- Fortville Elementary switching to virtual instruction
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/09/fortville-elementary-school-switching-to-virtual-instruction/>
- Marauders run ends top ranked Mt. Vernon falls to No 4 Roncalli at regional
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/14/marauders_run_ends_topranked_mt_vernon_falls_to_no_4_roncalli_at_regional/
- IN HS Basketball lets help player have season
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/2020/11/13/indiana-high-school-basketball-lets-help-players-have-season/6278689002/>
- IHSAA FB scores stats highlights regionals IN tournament
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/13/ihsaa-football-scores-stats-highlights-regionals-indiana-tournament/6284412002/>

WRTV Channel 6

- Temporary quarantine room helps schools isolate students with COVID symptoms
<https://www.wrtv.com/news/coronavirus/covid-19-education/temporary-quarantine-room-helps-schools-isolate-students-with-covid-symptoms>

- Fortville Elementary School moving to virtual learning through November
<https://www.wrtv.com/news/coronavirus/covid-19-education/fortville-elementary-school-moving-to-virtual-learning-through-november>

Indy Star

- IN HS Soccer Indy area teams represent regionals (MVHS Girls Soccer)
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/18/indiana-high-school-soccer-indy-area-teams-represent-regionals/3701153001/>
- Indpls area HS tournament scores October 17
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/18/indianapolis-area-high-school-tournament-scores-october-17/3700830001/>
- See how many cases of COVID-19 have been reported in Central Indiana Schools
<https://www.indystar.com/story/news/education/2020/10/16/coronavirus-indiana-covid-19-cases-central-indiana-schools/3585376001/>
- IN HS football playoffs - what you need to know as Indpls-area sectionals kick off
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/21/indiana-high-school-football-playoffs-2020-indianapolis-sectional-breakdown-ihsaa/5995951002/>
- The final AP HS Football poll: four local teams ranked No. 1
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/hs-blog/2020/10/21/final-associated-press-high-school-football-poll-four-local-teams-ranked-no-1/6006044002/>
- Insider: Five things we learned from week 9 of the HS football season
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/18/indiana-football-5-things-we-learned-week-9-high-school-football/3703132001/>
- IN Girls basketball
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/30/indiana-girls-basketball-ashlynn-shade-can-make-noblesville-contender/6074017002/>
- IN Girls basketball Mt. Vernon Lexi Shelton
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/28/indiana-girls-basketball-mt-vernon-lexi-shelton-looks-rebound/3759410001/>
- IN HS Football sectional predictions
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/28/indiana-high-school-football-sectional-predictions/6055543002/>
- IN girls basketball New Pal preseason
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/27/indiana-girls-basketball-new-palestine-no-14-preseason-fab-15/3747671001/>
- IN database school COVID-19 cases more than 5,000 cases
https://www.indystar.com/story/news/education/2020/10/26/indiana-database-school-covid-19-cases-more-than-5-000-cases/6038343002/?for-guid=3875f932-61ce-45f1-8464-c68f21d3b5b3&itm_source=indystar-Daily%20Briefing&itm_medium=email&itm_campaign=daily_briefing_greeting&itm_term=list_article_thumb
- ISHAA Football playoffs live blog scores stats highlights
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/23/ishaa-football-playoffs-live-blog-scores-stats-highlights/6012082002/>
- IHSAA football scores updates stats sectional finals HS playoffs
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/06/ihsaa-football-scores-updates-stats-highlights-sectional-finals-indiana-high-school-playoffs-indy/6194030002/>
- IN HS Football Regional predictions including Roncalli Mt. Vernon Mooresville
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/11/indiana-high-school-football-regional-predictions-including-roncalli-mt-vernon-mooresville/6248107002/>

- Early signing period begins look confirmed expected signings
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/11/early-signing-period-begins-look-confirmed-expected-signings/6240962002/>
- “singing and dancing in the rain”
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/12/quotsingingand_dancing_in_the_rainquot/
- IN High School football regional pairings what you need to know IHSAA
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/09/indiana-high-school-football-regional-pairings-what-you-need-know-ihsaa-2020/6224554002/>

Star Press (Muncie)

- IN HS Volleyball wins sectional championship
<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/18/indiana-high-school-volleyball-yorktown-wins-sectional-championship/3703151001/>
- East Central IN HS football: scores, statistics from Week 9
<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/16/eci-high-school-football-all-scores-statistics-week-9-games/3687093001/>
- IHSAA football sectional preview: 4 things to watch among East Central Indiana teams
- The final AP HS Football poll: four local teams ranked No. 1
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<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/10/31/eci-high-school-football-scores-statistics-sectional-semifinals/6091441002/>
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<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/06/what-know-ahead-ihsaa-volleyball-state-finals-worthen-arena/6173417002/>
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<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/09/indiana-high-school-football-regional-pairings-what-you-need-know-ihsaa-2020/6224554002/>

Current in Geist

- Hexamer earns Best Buddies Champion of the Year nomination
<https://youarecurrent.com/2020/10/27/hexamer-earns-best-buddies-champion-of-the-year-nomination/>

Courier Press

- IN HS football regional pairings what you need to know IHSAA
<https://www.courierpress.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/09/indiana-high-school-football-regional-pairings-what-you-need-know-ihsaa-2020/6224554002/>

Pal Item

- IN schools need help keep classrooms open COVID-19 cases rise
<https://www.pal-item.com/story/news/education/2020/10/30/indiana-schools-need-help-keep-classrooms-open-covid-19-cases-rise/6074802002/>

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Russia Blog - xitfilms.ru

- 2015 Cross Country IHSA Sectionals w/MVHS Christian Noble & Aaron Rush
<http://xitfilms.ru/kino/2015+Cross+Country+IHSA+Sectionals>

Ball State Daily News

- IN HS sports Delta Eagles football
<https://www.ballstatedailynews.com/article/2020/11/indiana-high-school-sports-delta-eagles-football-column>

High School Football America .com

- Indiana High School Football Scores
<https://highschoolfootballamerica.com/2020-indiana-high-school-football-playoff-scores-sectional-championships/>

Volleyball All State Teams Released

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Journal & Courier (part of USA Today)

- IN HS Football regional pairings what you need to know IHSA 2020
<https://www.jconline.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/09/indiana-high-school-football-regional-pairings-what-you-need-know-ihsaa-2020/6224554002/>

Pal Item (part of USA Today)

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SNewsi

- Fortville Elementary School switching to virtual instruction <https://snewsi.com/?t=1604975895>

Reddit

- More than 2200 Additional COVID-19 Cases reported
https://www.reddit.com/r/Indiana/comments/jrbgfv/more_than_2200_additional_covid19_cases_reported/gbs8js2/