



MVCSC Communications Report

School Board of Trustees Meeting

12-2020

GREAT NEWS IN THE SCHOOLS

School Accolades & Notable Activities

- MVHS had four students named as Rising Stars by the Indiana Association of School Principals: Riley Britt, Kiley Hunziker, Molly Reece, & Lillian Woolston.
- As an effort to help with staff morale, district staff offered staff a customizable sundae bar and delivered their treat to their room or area of work.

Community Connections

- MVMS National Junior Honor Society sponsored a food drive that collected nearly 2,000 items for the food pantry at MVHS.
- MCE student council led a service project to collect items for "Journey Bags of Hancock County and collected nearly 500 items. This is a service that provides clothing & toiletries for underprivileged children in Hancock County.
- MVCSC hosted two virtual community presentations on the dual track. Approximately 100 stakeholders participated, and many stayed after for the Q&A.

Noteworthy Media

- WRTV Channel 6 - Superintendent Dr. Parker was featured along with IPS, Pike & Lawrence Townships' superintendents in a segment on handling COVID-19 in schools
[Phttps://www.wrtv.com/news/coronavirus/covid-19-education/how-some-superintendents-are-making-decisions-during-covid-19-pandemic](https://www.wrtv.com/news/coronavirus/covid-19-education/how-some-superintendents-are-making-decisions-during-covid-19-pandemic)

PRESS SUMMARY

Greenfield Reporter:

- You keep us free': Area Army Reserve unit prepares to deploy to Middle East (MVHS Alumna)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/17/you_keep_us_free_area_army_reserve_unit_prepares_to_deploy_to_middle_east/
- Marauders Williams named coach of the year
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/19/marauders_williams_named_coach_of_the_year/
- Difficult to contain Marauders Anna Isger Named 2020 soccer player of the year
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/19/difficult_to_contain_marauders_anna_isger_named_2020_girls_soccer_player_of_the_year/
- Eastern Hancock approves teacher contract
<http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/16/eastern-hancock-approves-teacher-contract/>
- Making it look easy Marauders Hays Named 2020 Boys tennis player of the year
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/17/making_it_look_easy_marauders_hays_named_2020_boys_tennis_player_of_the_year/

- County HS bands looking for financial support
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/20/county_high_school_bands_looking_for_financial_support/
- Ready to soar: experienced Marauders prepared to tak the next step (MVHS Boys Basketball)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/24/ready_to_soar_experienced_marauders_prepared_to_take_the_next_step/
- Sports Round up- November 24:
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/24/sports_roundup_november_24-2/
- Facing the Music: County high school bands looking for financial support
- Marauder's Run Ends: Top-Ranked Mt. Vernon falls to No. 4 Roncalli at regional
- Marauders seeking return to semistate
- GC's Black, MV's Tierney lead strong group of county swimmers
- Experiences Marauders prepared to take next step
- Mt. Comfort and Mccordsville Elementaries release 1st quarter honor roll
- Marauder defense unable to make accustomed big plays
- 'Singing... and dancing in the rain': Mt. Vernon Theatre Department prepares to present classic show
- Falling a little short No. 12 Bears beat Marauders in season opener (MVHS Boys Basketball)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/25/falling_a_little_short_no_12_bears_beat_marauders_in_season_opener/
- Mt. Vernon Superintendent's virtual traveling talks coming up
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/27/mt_vernon_superintendents_virtual_traveling_talk_coming_up/
- MVHS Mayhew name All County Soccer Coach of the Year
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/28/marauders_mayhew_named_allcounty_coach_of_the_year/
- All hands on deck shortage of substitute teachers posing problems in schools
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/28/all_hands_on_deck_shortage_of_substitute_teachers_posing_problems_in_schools/
- Sports roundup - Dec 1-3 http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/01/sports_roundup_december_1-3/
- County adds 214 cases over weekend
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/01/county_adds_214_cases_over_weekend/
- Michael Miner obit http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/11/30/michael_milner/
- MVMS releases all "A" Honor Roll
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/01/mt_vernon_middle_school_releases_all_quotaquot_honor_roll/
- King of cross country: Mt. Vernon's Rush is boys top county runner for the county
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/01/king_of_cross_country_mt_vernons_rush_is_countys_top_boys_runner/
- MVMS releases "A/B" honor roll
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/01/mt_vernon_middle_school_releases_quotabquot_honor_roll/
- An all-timer: NP's Shaw will go down as one of Dragons' best-ever in cross country
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/01/an_alltimer_nps_shaw_will_go_down_as_one_of_dragons_best-ever_in_cross_country/ explanatory
- Which way to grow Mt. Vernon mulls construction projects to make room for new students
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/03/which_way_to_grow_mt_vernon_mulls_construction_projects_to_make_room_for_new_students/
- Sports roundup- Dec 4 http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/04/sports_roundup_december_4-2/
- Rebuilding to win; Marauders relying on experience, newcomers to continue upward trend
- Schools keep wary eye on schedules; Coronavirus deaths, cases continue to rise in Hancock County
- Fortville Elementary School releases 1st quarter honor roll
- Trying to find a rhythm: No. 12 Bears defeat Marauders in season opener

- County downgraded to red status
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/10/county_downgraded_to_red_status/
- Obit - Julie Shae Tuck Middleton http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/09/julie_shae_tuck_middleton/
- Rivals Collide: Marauders, Dragons split in swimming dual
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/09/rivals_collide_marauders_dragons_split_in_swimming_dual/
- A winning culture: Marauders' Bulmahn named All-County Volleyball Coach of the Year
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/08/a_winning_culture_marauders_bulmahn_named_allcounty_volleyball_coach_of_the_year/
- Lilly scholarship finalists named (MVHS - Arkenau, Bensheimer)
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/08/lilly_scholarship_finalists_named/
- Playing her way: MV's Bulmahn named All-County Volleyball Player of the Year
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/08/playing_her_way_mt_vernons_bulmahn_named_allcounty_volleyball_player_of_the_year/
- Schools keep wary eye on schedules
http://www.greenfieldreporter.com/2020/12/05/schools_keep_wary_eye_on_schedules/

Fortville McCordsville Reporter:

- Working together: Incumbent, two newcomers win MV board seats
- Preschool quality rating rises: Mt. Vernon school's curriculum receives recognition from state
- 'You keep us free' Area Army Reserve unit prepares to deploy to Middle East
- Back-to-back champs: No. 1 class 4A Marauders erupt in second half to win sectional title
- Marauder's Williams named coach of the year
- School Corporations reach teacher contract agreements
- Difficult to contain: Marauder's Isger named 2020 Girls Soccer Player of the Year
- No. 12 Bears defeat Marauders in season opener (MVHS boys basketball)
- GC's Black, MV's Tierney lead strong group
- Making it look easy: Marauders' Hays names 2020 Boys Tennis Player of the Year
- Which way to Grow: Mt. Vernon mulls construction project to make room for new students
- Food Safety Reports: Oct. 22 Mt. Comfort Elementary, no violations found
- Rebuilding to win: Marauders relying on experience, newcomers to continue upward trend
- Marauders' Mayhew named All-County Coach of the Year

WRTV Channel 6

- How some superintendents are making decisions during COVID-19 pandemic
<https://www.wrtv.com/news/coronavirus/covid-19-education/how-some-superintendents-are-making-decisions-during-covid-19-pandemic>

Indy Star

- IN Football HS Semi state predictions
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/18/indiana-football-high-school-semistate-predictions/3767489001/>
- IHSAA FB playoffs regionals Center Grove AJ Vinatieri IN
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/15/ihsaa-football-playoffs-regionals-center-grove-aj-vinatieri-indiana/6303428002/>
- IHSAA FB Playoffs Roncalli Mt. Vernon Huebler Aidan Leffler
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/14/ihsaa-football-playoffs-roncalli-mt-vernon-baron-huebler-aidan-leffler/6220420002/>

- Roncalli wrecking crew takes apart another highly-ranked 4A team, rolls into state finals
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/21/ihsaa-football-playoffs-baron-huebler-roncalli-win-mooresville-semistate/6310376002/>
- More than 3,300 additional COVID-19 cases reported in schools, total tops 15,000
https://www.indystar.com/story/news/education/2020/11/23/indiana-school-covid-19-cases-database-total-to-ps-15-000/6388942002/?for-guid=3875f932-61ce-45f1-8464-c68f21d3b5b3&utm_source=indystar-Daily%20Briefing&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=daily_briefing_greeting&utm_term=list_article_thumb
- IN HS Basketball 2020-2021 season preview top teams top players
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/24/indiana-high-school-basketball-2020-21-season-preview-top-teams-top-players/6408002002/>
- IN HS Girls Basketball must see games December
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/11/29/indiana-high-school-girls-basketball-must-see-games-december/6458566002/>
- ISHAA Football IndyStar 2020 postseason super team (DB Rylan Cole) High Honorable mention (Slunaker, LaBelle) Honorable Mention (Wells, Williams, Gentry, Richmond)
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/12/10/ihsaa-football-indystar-2020-postseason-super-team-blake-fisher-donaven-mcculley-caden-curry/3866755001/>
- IN Football Coaches Assoc names its Top 50 all-state football team (MVHS Rylan Cole)
<https://www.indystar.com/story/sports/high-school/2020/12/08/ihsaa-football-2020-indiana-all-state-teams-ifca/6488574002/>
- 'She was just very loving': Slain 19-year-old dreamed of being a neonatal nurse (MVHS Alumni Marysa Collins)
<https://www.indystar.com/story/news/crime/2020/12/07/marysa-collins-teen-killed-shooting-remembered-compassion/6464603002/>

Geist Current

- ATI Drive-In Theatre concert will feature a variety of music (MVHS Alumni Michele McConnell)
<https://www.youarecurrent.com/2020/11/17/ati-drive-in-theatre-concert-will-feature-variety-of-music/>

Journal Gazette

- Volleyball Junior Senior all star teams named
<https://www.journalgazette.net/blog/preps-plus/20201116/volleyball-junior-senior-all-star-teams-named>

Star Press (Muncie)

- Ball State Athletics teams add signees during Signing period
<https://www.thestarpress.com/story/sports/college/ball-state/2020/11/14/ball-state-athletics-teams-add-signees-during-signing-period/6287724002/>
- Two weeks into the season, several boys swimming records have been beaten

Pal Item (Palladium-Item - Richmond)

- More than 3,300 additional COVID-19 cases reported in schools, total tops 15,000
<https://www.pal-item.com/story/news/education/2020/11/23/indiana-school-covid-19-cases-database-total-to-ps-15-000/6388942002/>
- Nearly 2,000 additional COVID-19 cases reported in schools, total tops 17,000
<https://www.pal-item.com/story/news/education/2020/11/30/indiana-school-covid-19-cases-database-total-to-ps-17-000/6463921002/>

High School Football America

- IN HS Football playoff scores quarterfinals
<https://highschoolfootballamerica.com/indiana-high-school-football-playoff-scores-quarterfinals/>
- IN Football coaches association announces top 50 players for 2020 (Rylan Cole)
<https://highschoolfootballamerica.com/indiana-football-coaches-association-announces-top-50-players-for-2020/>

Greensburg Daily News

- Lady Lions spit on hardwood (MVHS Girls Basketball)
https://www.greensburgdailynews.com/sports/local_sports/lady-lions-split-on-hardwood/article_39e22252-2da5-11eb-983b-4f4c550f3988.html

Courier Press

- IN school COVID-19 cases database total tops 15000
<https://www.courierpress.com/story/news/education/2020/11/23/indiana-school-covid-19-cases-database-total-tops-15-000/6388942002/>

Ball State Sports

- Softball 2021 signing class (MVHS Madison Taylor)
https://ballstatesports.com/news/2020/11/25/Softball_2021SigningClass

Western Kentucky University Sports

- Womens soccer Neidell adds Isger to 2021 Signing class
<https://wkusports.com/news/2020/12/2/womens-soccer-neidell-adds-isger-to-2021-signing-class.aspx>

KPC News - (DeKalb Schools area)

- DeKalb named Unified Champion School
https://www.kpcnews.com/sports/latest/eveningstar/article_79f5c27b-a336-5a1d-9269-7a308a4df6d2.html

Angen Tempe Blog

- EAT program goes on through pandemic
<https://angentempe.blogspot.com/2020/12/eat-program-goes-on-through-pandemic.html>