

The Scoop
December Edition



Friday, December 1st

- MJH Toy Drive Begins (drop off in room 131)
- GT Visual Arts portfolios are due
- All-Region Band Try-Outs @ Quinlan...GOOD LUCK!
- Ice cream sundaes for the "Fill the Bus" Winner...Mrs. Patterson's 6th period!
- MEF Holiday Fun Run registration deadline
- UIL One Act Play Rehearsal: 3:45pm-6:00pm
- Friday Night School 3:30pm-7:30pm (attendance recovery)
- MJH Cheer Christmas Party @ 5:00pm



Saturday, December 2nd

- MJH Cheer Crandall Innovational Competition...GOOD LUCK!!
- Gun Barrel City's Christmas Parade @ 6:00pm

Monday, December 4th

- UIL OAP Official Rehearsal @ Mabank HS
- Basketball-Van Girls-Away Boys-Home
- Athletic Booster Club Meeting @ 6:00pm at HS cafeteria



Tuesday, December 5th

- Scoliosis Screening
- Partner PE Bowling Field-Trip in Corsicana
- UIL OAP Final Dress Rehearsal @ 3:45pm-6:30pm
- Totally Rad Tuesday-Ms. Welch
- Jr. Police Explorer Meeting @ 3:45pm at JH
- Tutorial bus available



Wednesday, December 6th

- Scoliosis Screening continued if needed
- UIL OAP @ Mabank HS...BREAK A LEG!!!! YOU GOT THIS!
- Archery Booster Club Meeting @ 6:00pm at MIS cafeteria

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Thursday, December 7th

- MJH Christmas Band Concert @ HS-6:00pm
- Jr. Police Explorer Meeting @ 3:45pm at JH
- Tutorial bus available



Friday, December 8th

- 1st and 9th period Fall Summative
- MJH Christmas Choir Concert @ HS-7:00pm
- Archery: Kaufman Shoot-Out
- Tutorial bus available
- NCA Practice @ HS 4:00pm-7:00pm
- Friday Night School 3:30pm-7:30pm (attendance recovery)
- Ole' Fashion Christmas on Market Street 5:30pm-8:00pm
(Jr. Police Explorers need to be there from 5:00-9:00 per Officer Doss)



Saturday, December 9th

- Girl's Basketball Tournament @ Scurry (B Team)

Sunday, December 10th

- NCA State of Texas Championship @ Dallas Convention Center-GOOD LUCK!

December 11th-15th

- Selling snacks and drinks @ lunch-Fundraiser for Washington DC Trip

Monday, December 11th

- **Holiday Dress-Up Day: "Deck the Halls"**
Wear your favorite Christmas accessories
- 2nd and 8th period Fall Summative
- RSVP Christmas Movie Night-Ms. Welch
- Basketball-Lindale Girls-Home Boys-Away
- School Board Meeting @ 6:30pm



Tuesday, December 12th

- **Holiday Dress-Up Day: "Baby It's Cold Outside"**
Wear toboggan, flannel and warm boots
- 3rd and 7th period Fall Summative
- Selfies with Santa @ lunch-\$1.00 per student
- UIL OAP Rehearsal @ 3:45pm-6:30pm
- Christmas Movie Night-Ms. Welch 3:30pm-5:15pm
- Jr. Police Explorer Meeting @ 3:45pm at JH
- Tutorial bus available



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Wednesday, December 13th

- **Holiday Dress-Up Day: "A Christmas to Remember"**
Wear ugly Christmas Sweater
- 4th and 6th period Fall Summative
- FCA-7th grade meeting @ lunch *student lead organization*
- FCA-8th grade meeting @ 3:30 *student lead organization*
- MJH Toy Drive ends
- UIL OAP Public Performance @ HS-7:00pm

Thursday, December 14th

- **Holiday Dress-Up Day: "White Christmas"**
Wear white
- 5th period Fall Summative
- STUCO Officers "Santa Helpers" drop off toys @ Genesis Center in Kaufman
- Mrs. Helm's Christmas Party!
- Jr. Police Explorer Meeting @ 3:45pm at JH
- Snowball Dance 3:30pm-5:30pm MJH cafeteria \$5.00 Admission
- Tutorial bus available



Friday, December 15th

- **Holiday Dress-Up Day: "Twas the Day Before Christmas Break"**
Wear jammies
- Fall Summative Make-ups
- End of 2nd Nine Weeks
- Christmas Basketball Pep Rally @ 12:30pm-1:00pm (We will announce the \$500.00 Fundraiser winner & draw the Toy Drive winner)
- Archery: Eustace Shoot-Out
- EARLY RELEASE AT 1:00PM



Saturday, December 16th

- Wreaths Across America-Jr. Police Explores @ 10:00am Eubank & Oaklawn

December 18th-January 2nd **CHRISTMAS BREAK!!!!**

Wednesday, January 3rd Students Resume Back to School!

- Beginning of 3rd 9 Weeks

November Teacher & Paraprofessional of the Month...CONGRATS!!

Mrs. Helms (Life Skills) & Ms. Kirby (Library)

November Students of the Month...CONGRATS!!

7th: Anna Garcia & Drake Terry

8th: Ava Sullivan and Manuel Garcia Sanchez



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November Kids of Character- THANK YOU FOR YOUR KINDNESS!!!!!!

Chanler Howard, Melanie Resendiz, Damiyah Taylor, Nathan Pendleton, Bethany Baldwin, Jaeda Szczepkowski, Robert Mitchell, Gracie Porter, Alaya Ward, Lillye Wilson & Levi Jay

- ❑ **Fall Summatives:** Fall summatives are extremely important as they are cumulative assessments. This means students will be assessed over material they've learned since the beginning of the school year. Please make sure your child studies along with getting a good night's sleep. Show what you know! Just remember to do your very BEST! YOU GOT THIS!!
- ❑ **MJH Fundraiser:** OH MY GOODNESS!!!!!!!!!!!!!! WE SURPASSED OUR GOAL OF \$25,000 ON OUR ANNUAL POPCORN/DONATION SCHOOL WIDE FUNDRAISER! WE RAISED A WHOPPING GRAND TOTAL OF \$32,000. SAY WHAT? WE CANNOT THANK YOU ENOUGH FOR MAKING OUR FUNDRAISER A TOP PRIORITY AND FOR ALL OF YOUR LOVE AND SUPPORT!!! IT TRULY MEANS SO VERY MUCH!!! THANK YOU!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Our VIP Dallas Cowboy's Field Trip has been moved to Friday, January 5th. Those that qualified to go, will get a permission slip before we get out for Christmas Break. We will draw for the \$500.00 winner at our Christmas Pep Rally on Friday, December 15th!! Again, THANK YOU!!
- ❑ **MJH Toy Drive:** We're accepting donations of new, unwrapped toys for all ages. Students may bring these items and drop them off with Miss Moore in room 131. Great items to bring would be puzzles, games, dolls, coloring books, colors, balls, toy trucks, stuffed animals, etc. "Santa's Helpers" AKA STUCO Officers will be delivering the toys on December 14th to the Genesis Center in Kaufman. Those that donate will be put into a drawing for the chance to win a spectacular prize! We will announce the winner at our Christmas Pep Rally on December 15th! If you can help put some smiles on some little faces in need, it would be greatly appreciated! Thank you, in advance!