



# MOUNTAIN YOUTH SCHOOL *Mustang Moment*

Monday, January 28, 2013

## Cafeteria Menus



### Today - 1/28 (M)

#### Lunch

TOASTED CHEESE SANDWICH  
CREAMY TOMATO SOUP  
STEAMED BROCCOLI  
GOLDEN APPLES  
FRESH PEACHES

### Tomorrow - 1/29 (T)

#### Breakfast

BREAKFAST PIZZA

#### Lunch

PULLED PORK BBQ  
CREAMED POTATOES  
SPINACH SALAD  
FRESH PINEAPPLE  
APPLESAUCE  
WHOLE GRAIN ROLL

## Student of the Week



**Jessie Gibby**

*For details on the Student of the Week, see page 3.*

## Daily Attendance

- **Absences:** Johnny Anderson, Brent Ledford, Aaron Moore, Colby Phillips, Michael Williams, Elizabeth Wooten

## Student Announcements

- The Character Ed program, U R Unique, will be offered on January 30-31, 4th block, in Ms. Scott's room. Return permission forms by January 29.
- If you haven't completed a "Student of the Week" form yet, please see Ms. Herr and fill it out today. All students will also have their portrait taken this week, or need to supply a school photo or similar picture by Friday.
- REMINDER: No cell phones, iPods, or electronic devices are to be used during the day. If they are seen, they will be taken.

## Faculty/Staff Information

- Weekly Duty — Cafeteria: Payne; Hallway: Herr
- Monday, March 11 will now be a half-day for students in order to make up the inclement weather day on January 15. Friday's inclement weather day, January 25, will now be made up on the workday on Wednesday, May 22.

## Priority Schools

- Please look over the Indistar objectives and send your list of this year's priorities to Ms. Maxey and Mr. Gaither by Wednesday, January 30.
- Mr. Gaither, Ms. Maxey, and Ms. Bias will attend a walk-in review in Asheville on January 31.
- Bill McGrady will be on campus for a site visit on February 20.

## Arts Programs

- The "Careers in Cruising" artists in schools program will be the first week in February, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 6-7, and will last all day.
- The "Art in Geometry" program featuring artist Jeff Menzer will be the week of March 25-28.
- Teachers, everyone will be involved in these school-wide units. Please note these dates and plan accordingly. More information will be provided soon.

## Quote of the Day

"Winning is not everything, but wanting to win is." – Vince Lombardi

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## Upcoming iPad Trainings

- The technology department is hosting trainings on iPads at the Network Operations Center in Marble on Mondays in February from 1:30-3:30 PM. If you plan to attend, please indicate which session on the MYS shared calendar, so we can try to have one staff member at each session. (See page 5 for a refresher on how to add events to the calendar.) Refer to the e-mail from Jennifer White to sign up.
  - **iPads for Beginners:** Feb. 4 - This course is for those who have just unpacked their iPad and are learning the basics. Topics to be covered include: Charging, cleaning and caring for your iPad; Connecting to the Internet; iTunes and Apple ID accounts; Setting up email accounts; Syncing your calendars; Using the App Store; eBooks; Using the Essential Apps: Camera, FaceTime, Messages, Calendar, iTunes, Notes, Photos, Contacts, Clock, Maps.
  - **iPads in the Classroom:** Feb. 11 - Things a teacher can do in the classroom with their own iPad. Connecting an iPad to your projector and using it as a wireless tablet. What to do with a classroom set of iPads. Ideas for classrooms where every student has their own iPad (or brings their own device). What works and what doesn't. Anticipating what students will try to do with an iPad. How iPads can be used in various subject areas.
  - **iPad Apps for the Classroom:** Feb. 18 - 100 apps that can be used in the classroom. Apps for every subject area and grade level will be covered. (Maybe a little biased toward upper grade levels, but I'll try!)
  - **iPads for Administrators:** Feb. 25 - How to manage large numbers of iPads. Setting restriction profiles, remote management, batch syncing, volume purchasing, iPad policies, insurance, repair and replacement, managing book and app purchases, iTunes accounts.
- We will have staff development and trainings on the iPads here at school on the following dates: January 30, February 13, February 27, and March 6. The trainings will be after-school and last approximately one hour.
- Also, staff members will complete additional on-site iPad observation and training one at a time at Tri-County Early College this month.

## Apple iPad App of the Day: Google Translate



Today's featured app is Google Translate. Translate words and phrases between more than 60 languages using Google Translate for iOS. For most languages, you can speak your phrases and hear the corresponding translations.

With Google Translate you can:

- Translate text between 64 languages
- Translate by speaking the text instead of typing it (17 languages)
  - Listen to your translations spoken aloud (24 languages)
  - Display translations in full screen mode to make it easier for others nearby to read
  - Star your favorite translations for quick access even when you're offline

- Access your translation history even when you're offline
- Spell out the translation of non-Latin script languages (e.g. Chinese, Japanese, etc..) in Latin characters to read it phonetically (e.g. Pinyin, Romaji)

Translations between the following languages are supported:

Afrikaans, Albanian, Arabic, Armenian, Azerbaijani, Basque, Belarusian, Bengali, Bulgarian, Catalan, Chinese (Simplified), Chinese (Traditional), Croatian, Czech, Danish, Dutch, English, Esperanto, Estonian, Filipino, Finnish, French, Galician, Georgian, German, Greek, Gujarati, Haitian Creole, Hebrew, Hindi, Hungarian, Icelandic, Indonesian, Irish, Italian, Japanese, Kannada, Korean, Latin, Latvian, Lithuanian, Macedonian, Malay, Maltese, Norwegian, Persian, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Russian, Serbian, Slovak, Slovenian, Spanish, Swahili, Swedish, Tamil, Telugu, Thai, Turkish, Ukrainian, Urdu, Vietnamese, Welsh, Yiddish



Norwegian, Persian, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Russian, Serbian, Slovak, Slovenian, Spanish, Swahili, Swedish, Tamil, Telugu, Thai, Turkish, Ukrainian, Urdu, Vietnamese, Welsh, Yiddish

## Student of the Week: Jessie Gibby

**Birthday:** August 22

**Siblings:** One brother, two sisters

**Favorite color:** Turquoise

**Favorite food:** Bacon

**Favorite dessert:** Anything sweet

**Favorite subject in school:** Math

**Favorite pastime/hobby:** Hunting

**Favorite band/group/singer:** I Declare War, Waka Flocka

**Favorite sports team:** Alabama

**Plans after graduation:** Tri-County Community College;  
become a welder

**What he wanted to be when he was a kid:** An NFL player

**If he could go anywhere in the world, it would be:** Sweeden

**Something he is good at:** Being a good friend to CJ

**Something interesting few people know about him:** I enjoy watching Lacrosse

**Role model:** Professional BMX cyclist Tom Dugan, who has overcome tremendous obstacles. He pumps me up.

**What you consider to be a good role model:** Someone who inspires you

**If he could describe himself in one sentence:** Laid back, cool, relaxed-type of guy.





**U  
R  
Unique!**

What makes you, you?  
 How did you come to be?  
 How can you stay true to yourself?  
 What is your worth?

Find out answers to these and lots of other questions during a special two-day event on January 30-31.

Return permission slips by January 29 to participate!

### U R Unique coming this week

This week, educators from the Woman's Enrichment and Family Center will be coming to teach a two-day seminar for boys, and another for girls.

This program is an abstinence-based character education program. It deals with self-esteem, goal setting and good decision making. It educates young people about the physical and emotional consequences of premarital sex and gives practical ways to say "NO" to peer pressure. It stresses self-control, and the long-term value of abstinence until marriage. This is character education, not sex education.

The "U R Unique" program has been presented in several North Carolina and Georgia school systems and is endorsed by educators and parents.

Students must return a completed permission form to attend the seminar by Wednesday. Teachers, please encourage your students to return this permission form.

The classes will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, January 30-31, during fourth block

Please see Ms. Maxey or Ms. Scott for details.

## Mountain Youth School Spring 2013 Master Schedule

Teacher	1 <sup>st</sup> Period	2 <sup>nd</sup> Period	3 <sup>rd</sup> Period	4 <sup>th</sup> Period	
Dougherty	<b>English IV</b>	<b>English II</b>	<b>English III</b>	<b>English I</b>	
	Johnny Anderson Britni Crisp Jessie Gibby Cody Jones Charlotte Haigler Samuel Kendrick	Brent Ledford (Eng III) Jeremy Lovingood James Nelson Cory Phillips Tommy Thorley Mike Williams	Alex Harper Sydney Hibberts Aaron Moore Justin Seabdt Preston Smith	<u>Study Hall</u> Britni Crisp Mike Williams	Mateo Bonilla Johnny Anderson (Eng III) Britni Crisp Jacob Haynes Nikki Wooten
Crosby	<b>Civics</b>	<b>U.S. History</b>	<b>Geography</b>	<b>World History</b>	
	Sydney Hibberts Aaron Moore Amber Rogers Justin Seabdt	Preston Smith (US) Jessie Gibby CJ Hobson	Jamie McLean <u>Health/Teen Living</u> Amber Rogers		
Crouch	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade/Study Hall</b>	<b>Algebra II</b>	<b>Analytical Geometry</b>	<b>Alegbra 1B</b>	
	Megan Hicks (SH) Brent Ledford (SH)	Johnny Anderson Jacob Haynes Megan Hicks Cody Jones Samuel Kendrick	Brent Ledford Jeremy Lovingood Cory Phillips Amber Rogers	Jessie Gibby CJ Hobson James Nelson Justin Seabdt	Cory Phillips
Worley/ Scott	<b>Earth Science</b>	<b>Physical Science</b>	<b>Biology</b>	<b>Biology</b>	
	Jacob Haynes		Sydney Hibberts Samuel Kendrick Aaron Moore Preston Smith	Cody Jones (PE) Johnny Anderson (R) Jessie Gibby James Nelson Amber Rogers Justin Seabdt	
Payne	<b>MS</b>	<b>MS</b>	<b>MS</b>	<b>MS</b>	
Davenport	<b>Intro T&amp;I</b>	<b>Intro T&amp;I</b>	<b>Carpentry I</b>	<b>Carpentry II/Advanced Studies</b>	
	CJ Hobson (AS)	James Nelson Tommy Thorley	Cory Phillips	Preston Smith Mike Williams Johnny Anderson Sydney Hibberts Samuel Kendrick Aaron Moore	

## Adding events to the Mountain Youth School Master Calendar

With so many upcoming events, including trainings and meetings that require staff members to be off campus, staff members may find it helpful to review the Mountain Youth School Master Calendar on a weekly basis. When applicable, we will feature the calendar here in the newsletter on Mondays.

To access the calendar, simply login to your CCS Gmail account, and open the link at the top that says "Calendar." Everyone in the school has been invited to share this calendar, and it can be accessed from any computer with internet access, or even your iPad. You can create events from your Gmail calendar, and select the Mountain Youth School Master Calendar when creating the event. Please review the graphic below for a refresher on how to do this.

As a reminder, please add any scheduled events that would require you to be off campus, or that would affect the majority of the school staff, to this calendar. This helps keep all of us informed.

The image shows a screenshot of the Google Calendar 'Add Event' form. At the top, there are navigation tabs for Search, Images, Mail, Drive, Calendar, Sites, Groups, Contacts, Maps, and More. Below these is the CCS Cherokee County Schools logo and a search bar. The main form area contains the following elements:

- Title:** "Mr. Gaither out" with a red callout box: "Put your name and if you are going to be out of school. Make sure to put the time, and if applicable, the dates, by checking 'All Day.'"
- Time:** Date and time fields (11/5/2012, 3:00pm to 4:00pm, 11/5/2012) and a "Time zone" dropdown.
- Options:** "All day" and "Repeat..." checkboxes.
- Where:** A text input field with a red callout box: "Make sure you select 'Mountain Youth School MASTER CALENDAR'".
- Calendar:** A dropdown menu currently showing "Mountain Youth School MASTER CALENDAR".
- Description:** A large text area for event details.
- Add guests:** A section with "Enter email addresses" and an "Add" button.
- Guests can:** Checkboxes for "modify event", "invite others", and "see guest list".
- Attachment:** "Add attachment" link.
- Event color:** A row of colored squares with the first one (purple) selected.
- Reminders:** "Email" and "Pop-up" reminder options with time intervals (1 hour, 15 minutes).
- Show me as:** Radio buttons for "Available" and "Busy" (selected).
- Privacy:** Radio buttons for "Default", "Public", and "Private" with a red callout box: "Make sure either Default or Public is selected."