



# MOUNTAIN YOUTH SCHOOL *Mustang Moment*

Wednesday, March 27, 2013

## Cafeteria Menus



### Today - 3/27 (W)

PULLED PORK BBQ  
CREAM POTATOES  
COLE SLAW  
FRESH PINEAPPLE  
APPLESAUCE  
HOMEMADE WHOLE-  
GRAIN ROLLS

### Tomorrow - 3/28 (TH)

#### Breakfast

BISCUIT & GRAVY

#### Lunch

WHITE CHILI  
RED COBBLERS  
GARDEN SALAD  
GRAPEFRUIT HALVES  
PEARS  
WHOLE GRAIN CRACKERS  
AND/OR TORTILLA CHIPS  
SALSA  
SOUR CREAM

## Student of the Week



Tommy Thorley

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

## Daily Attendance

- **Absences:** Britni Crisp, Chelsea Davenport, Alston Fillio, Sydney Hibberts, Megan Hicks, Sam Kendrick, Aaron Moore, Preston Smith, Michael Williams, Nikki Wooten
- **Tardies:** Johnny Anderson

## Student Announcements

- Students, we will have a special surprise tomorrow. Make sure you're here!
- Six-block schedule students, if you have not taken the pre-survey for Stacked Deck, please see Ms. Herr for a copy and complete it this week. All students participating in Pacesetters need to complete the permission form if you haven't already. See Ms. Herr or Mr. Gaither for another copy.
- The "Energized Guyz" told us last week how to get a free energy kit for your home, including a free CFL lightbulb, low-flow showerhead, and more! The school that requests the highest percentage of kits earns \$5,000!

## Faculty/Staff Information

- Weekly Duty — Cafeteria: Payne; Hallway: Herr
- Upcoming events:
  - The "Art in Geometry" unit has been *postponed* until April 15-19.
  - Tomorrow, the middle school class will be dressing up as a "live wax museum" featuring people with historical and popular culture significance.
  - Special surprise TOMORROW, Thursday, March 28.
  - Friday, March 29 is a holiday.
  - Field trip to John C. Campbell Folk School on Thursday, April 4.
  - Spring Break is from April 8-12.
  - The needs assessment team will be coming from Raleigh for a two-day site visit on April 23-24. More information will be forthcoming.

## Quote of the Day

"You can always tell a real friend: when you've made a fool of yourself he doesn't feel you've done a permanent job."

— Laurence J. Peter

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## Governor establishes NC Center for Safer Schools

**Apex, N.C.** – Last week, during a press conference at Apex Middle School, Governor Pat McCrory announced the creation of the N.C. Center for Safer Schools, which will serve as the state's primary point of contact on issues related to school safety.

"My top priority for public safety in North Carolina is to ensure our children are safe,



especially in our schools," said Governor McCrory. "It is imperative that we prevent all forms of potential violence. The Center for Safer Schools will develop a comprehensive strategy of best practices throughout the state and country to protect our children, teachers, school administrators and our communities."

The Center for Safer Schools, which will be administered through the Division of Juvenile Justice, will provide a clearinghouse of school safety information to schools, law enforcement, youth-serving agencies, juvenile justice officials, community leaders, policymakers, parents and students. In addition to creating a website and toll-free phone number, Center staff will help schools assess site safety issues; work on-site with communities and schools who are experiencing unacceptable levels of school and youth violence; and

provide community or school presentations on topics such as emerging trends in school violence, safe school and site assessment, gang prevention and risk identification.

The Center will assist schools in ensuring that its personnel are equipped, trained and have the skills required to make schools safer. This could include the creation of a set of basic certification standards and updated training for school resource officers. The Center will also convene outside experts for presentations and assessments on topics related to crisis prevention, planning, response and recovery from a wide array of fields, including: juvenile justice, mental health, security, emergency management, education, law enforcement and public health.

"Our vision for the Center for Safer Schools is that it will be a meaningful, authentic and customer-driven program," said Department of Public Safety Secretary Kieran Shanahan. "We're not here to tell schools and communities what to do. We want to work with schools, communities and families on an individual basis to meet their localized needs."

The Center for Safer Schools will hold eight community forums across the state in April to learn about local concerns and challenges related to school safety. Findings and feedback from these forums will be compiled into a report to Governor McCrory.

Shanahan introduced Kym Martin of Apex as the Center's executive director. Martin has served as a classroom teacher and administrator, and is a parent with four children in North Carolina public schools.

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## CCS Bandwidth advisory

We are experiencing a huge spike in bandwidth usage and have just topped out in availability. Exploring the usage we have discovered that 70 percent is YouTube and other "streaming" products. Since YouTube is not accessible to the general student accounts, that means most of the usage is coming from Staff and the Online Student group. It is March Madness :-). Please ask your staff and students to refrain from streaming unnecessary media at this time, and to close windows between streaming media. We are also discovering issues of online students illegally downloading movies- this is a copyright issue that could lead to litigation so please monitor this. We appreciate your support in this matter and have applied to move our 100 mbs pipe to a 250 mbs pipe. We typically use about 30 percent of our bandwidth on a given day so you can see this is certainly something that caught our attention.

Jean C. Hardin, NBCT, Ed.S.  
Chief Information Officer  
Cherokee County Schools

## Student of the Week: Tommy Thorley

**Birthday:** November 18

**Birthplace:** Murphy Medical

**Nickname:** Big Tom

**Siblings:** Joey, Matthew, CJ, and Marquavis

**Favorite color:** Neon Pink

**Favorite subject in school:** Math

**Favorite food:** The "CJ Meal": Pasta, pepperoni, sauce, peppers, and mushrooms

**Favorite dessert:** Oreo cake from Ingles

**Favorite pastime/hobby:** Football, basketball

**Favorite band/group/singer:** Most rappers

**Favorite sports team:** Florida Gators, Miami Dolphins, and Miami Heat

**Plans after graduation:** Attend Tri-County Community College

**What he wanted to be when he was a kid:** An NFL player, because I love football, and they make great money

**If he could go anywhere in the world, it would be:** Everywhere. I want to explore the whole world.

**Something interesting few people know about him:** I am very good at football.

**Something he is good at:** Math, football, and basketball

**Role model:** My dad, because he is a good person.

**What you consider to be a good role model:** Someone who works hard and loves their family.

**If he could describe himself in one sentence:** Fun, easy-going person that is easy to get along with.

**Anything else we should know about you?** He has the coolest shoes.



Mountain Youth School – Master Schedule – Spring 2013

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 Eileen Corbin Britni Crisp Chelsea Davenport Brianna Elkins Jessie Gibby Cody Jones Charlotte Haigler	Samuel Kendrick Brent Ledford (Eng III) Jeremy Lovingood James Nelson Cory Phillips Tommy Thorley Heather Tillmes Mike Williams	Alex Harper Sydney Hibberts Aaron Moore Justin Seabolt Preston Smith	Britni Crisp (SH) Mike Williams (SH)	Mateo Bonilla Britni Crisp Alston Fillio Nikki Wooten	Johnny Anderson (Eng III)	Jamie McLean Noah Killian  Eileen Corbin (SH) Chelsea Davenport (Eng III) Alston Fillio (Eng II)	
Crosby	<b>Civics</b>		<b>U.S. History</b>		<b>Geography</b>		<b>World History</b>	
	Sydney Hibberts Aaron Moore Amber Rogers	Justin Seabolt Preston Smith (US)	Eileen Corbin Brianna Elkins Alston Fillio	Jessie Gibby CJ Hobson Heather Tillmes (SH)	Brianna Elkins Jamie McLean	Noah Killian Amber Rogers	Alex Harper Heather Tillmes (Civics) Nikki Wooten	
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) Mateo Bonilla (R) Nikki Wooten (R)		Johnny Anderson Mateo Bonilla Charlotte Haigler Megan Hicks Cody Jones	Samuel Kendrick Brent Ledford Jeremy Lovingood Cory Phillips Amber Rogers	Chelsea Davenport Jessie Gibby CJ Hobson James Nelson	Justin Seabolt Heather Tillmes Michael Williams	Cory Phillips Austin Rowland	
Worley	<b>Earth Science</b>		<b>Physical Science</b>		<b>Biology</b>		<b>Biology</b>	
	Alston Fillio Hunter Green Alex Harper	Noah Killian Austin Rowland	Jamie McLean Nikki Wooten		Eileen Corbin Sydney Hibberts Samuel Kendrick Aaron Moore	Preston Smith Cody Jones (PE) Johnny Anderson (R)	Mateo Bonilla Brianna Elkins Jessie Gibby CJ Hobson	Cody Jones James Nelson Amber Rogers Justin Seabolt
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 I/Advanced Studies</b>	
	CJ Hobson (AS)		Chelsea Davenport James Nelson Tommy Thorley Noah Killian		Alex Harper Cory Phillips		Preston Smith Mike Williams	Johnny Anderson Sydney Hibberts Samuel Kendrick Aaron Moore

## Mountain Youth School shared master calendar – April 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
31 Easter	1 April Fool's Day SIX-BLOCK SCHEDULE 11:40am - Pacesetters 11:40am - Stacked Deck	2	3	4 Six-block schedule for folk Student Services meeting 8:50am - Folk School field 2pm - C. Herr out 2pm - Counselor's Mtg. @	5	6	
7	8-12 Spring Break						13
14	15-19 Art in Geometry unit (new dates) SIX-BLOCK SCHEDULE Tax Day 8am - Progress Report 11:40am - Pacesetters 11:40am - Stacked Deck						20
21	22 Earth Day SIX-BLOCK SCHEDULE 11:40am - Stacked Deck	23 DPI comprehensive needs assessment End of 8th school month	24	25 Alternative school meeting 8am - Alt School Mtg -	26	27	
28	29 SIX-BLOCK SCHEDULE 11:40am - Pacesetters 11:40am - Stacked Deck	30	1	2	3 11:30am - Counselor's Mtg	4	