



Mooresville Schools

Nov. 4, 2021



Ferrand's winning artwork

Honored Artists



Ferrand and Avery

The Art Education Association of Indiana (AEAI) held an art convention. MHS senior

Emma Ferrand competed in a state wide art contest for high school students. Ferrand's piece won by vote of approximately 100 art teachers across Indiana. Her flag will hang at the State House in Indianapolis for Youth Art Month in March. It will also travel to New York City for the National Art Education Association convention in March.

MHS advanced placement art and photography teacher, Mrs. Allyson Avery, attended the convention, and was honored for her work at Northwood Elementary. Avery received the Outstanding Elementary Art Educator of the Year Award for 2020 but was honored at this year's event.

MHS Wagon Trails Show

The MHS Wagon Trails Revue will have its 50th anniversary performances Nov. 4 and 6. The variety show began in 1971 as a fundraiser for the school yearbook, with skits performed by the yearbook staff between acts. Find photos from all 49 previous shows on the event program, posted on the [MHS Alumni Facebook page](#). Tickets for the show may be purchased through the [online ticket link](#).



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MHS FFA members attended the National FFA Convention in Indianapolis.

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Student Council Canned Food Drive

Mooreville Schools is hosting its annual canned food drive this month. MHS and all Mooreville elementary schools will participate in the food drive while PHMS is hosting a cereal drive.

Items can be donated through Nov. 19 (Nov. 12 at PHMS). All items will be donated to Churches in Mission to help Mooreville families in need.

The donations will be a competition between classes. MHS will compete with their first period class, while PHMS will compete between their homeroom classes.

The winning elementary class (per school) will win a popcorn party. The winning MHS and PHMS classes will earn a party. Each item donated will give one point to each class. This year's bonus item is cereal which will be worth five points.

While all donations are greatly appreciated, cereal is especially important to help students who normally eat breakfast at school when school is out during Thanksgiving and Christmas Break.

STUDENT COUNCIL CANNED FOOD DRIVE

Student Council has partnered with Churches in Mission for their Annual Canned Food Drive. Each item donated will be 1 point per item. This year's bonus item is Cereal. Each Box of cereal donated is worth 5 points. The class with the most points will win a Food Party.



1 point each



5 points each

DONATIONS ACCEPTED UNTIL FRIDAY, NOV. 19

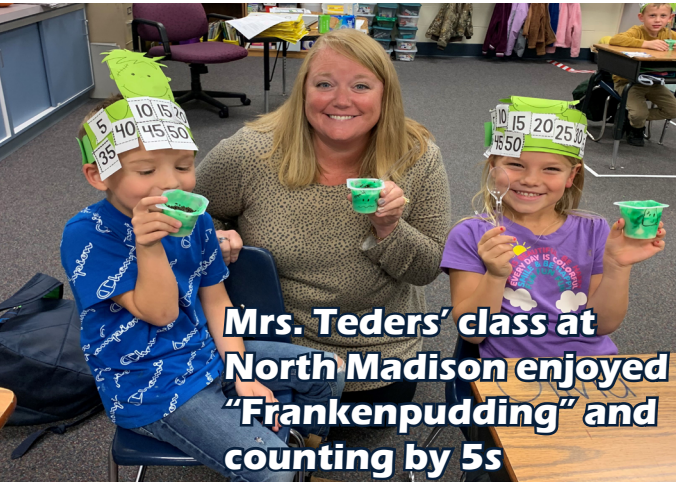


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The MHS girls softball team volunteered at the Mt. Gilead Bundle Up coat distribution.

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Around Our Schools



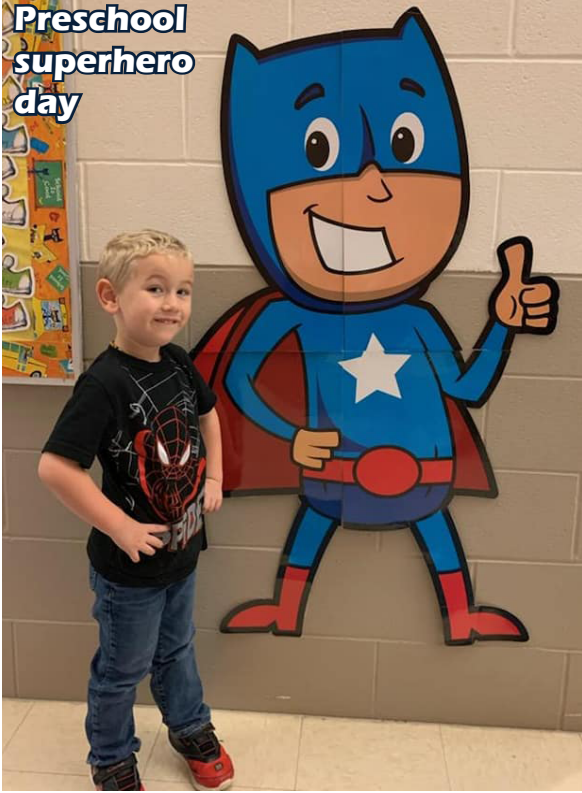
Mrs. Teders' class at North Madison enjoyed "Frankenpudding" and counting by 5s



Mrs. Knierim's 1st graders at Neil Armstrong "pumpkin investigation" activity



Waverly Preschool superhero day



HSE BOOT CAMP

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- 1** Pre-register for boot camp. – Walk-ins cannot be accepted, so make sure you enroll **ONLINE** at adulted.info/bootcamp and choose the November 29 - December 2 HSE Boot Camp.
- 2** Come to your pre-registration appointment to complete your placement testing. **Students must score at least at a level 3 (out of a possible 6) on the placement test to be eligible for boot camp.**
- 3** Be available to attend **EVERY NIGHT** of the HSE Boot Camp. This highly successful program only works if you give it 100% attendance and effort for all four nights!



*Those who pass the test will receive their HSE and be invited to our graduation ceremony in June!

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Northwood staff on Storybook Character Day

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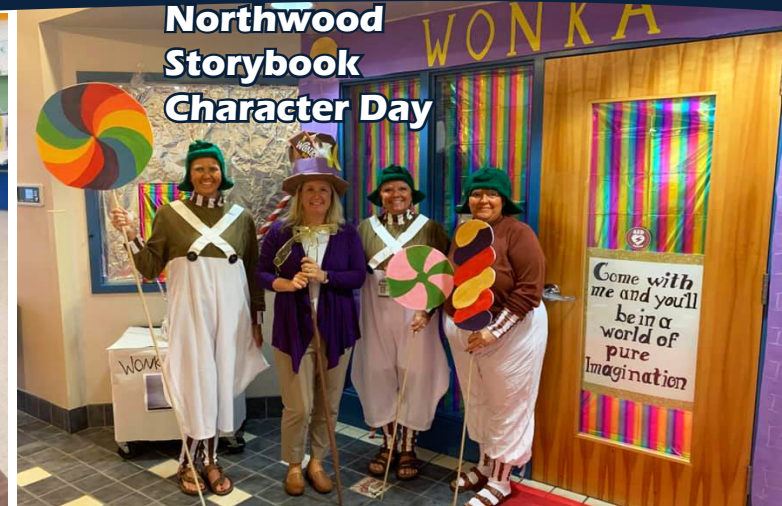
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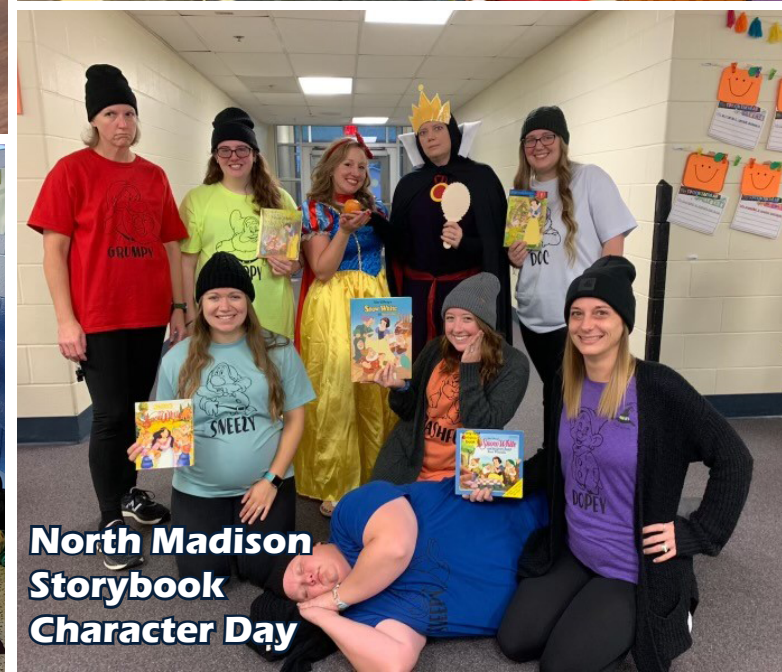
Mrs. Sanders' Waverly 3rd graders' paper bag book reports



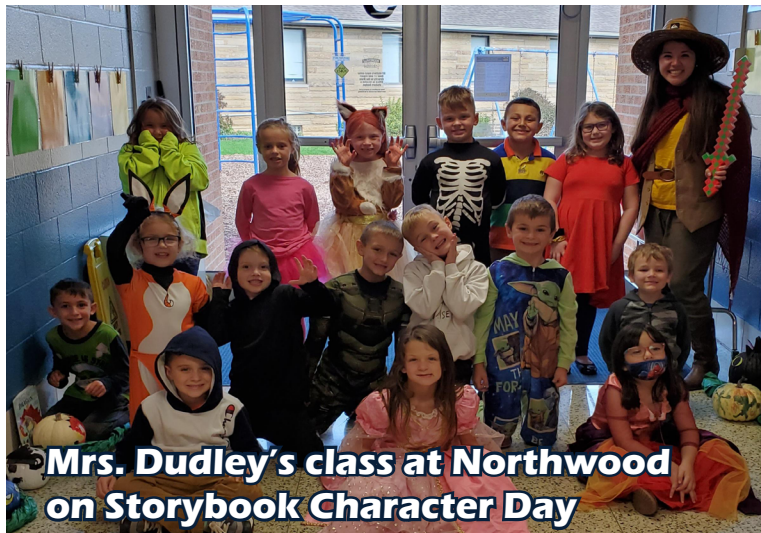
North Madison Storybook Character Day



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Mrs. Dudley's class at Northwood on Storybook Character Day

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News Briefs

Morgan County Leadership Graduate, Nikki Moore:

Congratulations go to Mrs. Nikki Moore, assistant principal at Neil Armstrong and North Madison Elementary schools, for graduating from the Morgan County Leadership Academy. The year-long program gives area business and nonprofit leaders lessons about the county history, government, businesses, nonprofits, and more as well as leadership skills.



Community Information & Fliers: Local nonprofit organizations with activities for school-age students may share their fliers through Mooresville Schools. Recent fliers include:

[Free Flu Shot Clinic Nov. 18](#)

[Upward Basketball & Cheer \(Gr. K-12\)](#)

[Winter Baseball Camp \(ages 5- 12\)](#)

[RipFest Diving Academy \(age 8 and older\)](#)

[North Madison and Waverly Cub Scouts](#)

[Elementary Wrestling \(gr. K-6\)](#)

[Morgan County 4H \(K-12\)](#)

[Indy Brass Choir Veteran's Day Concert](#)

[Patriot's Pen Essay Contest \(Gr.6-8\)](#)

[Mooresville Boys Junior Basketball & Cheer \(Gr. K-8\)](#)

[Young American Patriotic Art Contest \(Gr. 9-12\)](#)

[Mooresville Christmas Lights Tour Information](#)

Calendar Updates: Be sure to mark your calendar for eLearning days (students are not in school but will have virtual assignments) during 2021-22 school year. eLearning days include: Nov. 17, Feb. 9, and April 13.

Free/Reduced Lunch Applications: Families who qualify to receive free or reduced meals may also receive other income-eligible services, including free or reduced textbooks rentals, discounts for before and after school childcare, SAT and ACT fee waivers for students, college scholarships, 21st Century Scholars program eligibility, and more. [Log into Skyward](#) to review the income eligibility chart and complete your child's application. [See our video](#) to learn more.

Upcoming Events

Nov. 5 Northwood
Picture Retake Day

Nov. 4 & Nov. 6 MHS
Wagon Trails Revue Show

Nov. 11 Newby
Mooresville Veterans
Memorial Ceremony 11am

Nov. 12 District
State Spell Bowl
Competition (virtual)

Nov. 17 District
eLearning Day

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Coronavirus COVID-19 Protocols 2021-2022 School Year

Please Note: These protocols reflect current guidance from federal, state and local health officials. Should guidance change, school protocols will be updated to reflect current information. 9/9/21

The safety and well-being of our students and staff are of utmost importance. We appreciate everyone's help with the following guidelines for our return to school.

- **Masks are recommended** for anyone who has not been vaccinated. Masks are not required; however, we respect the right of anyone who chooses to wear a mask at school.
- **Masks are required on school buses** for the duration of CDC mask guidance for public transportation. Masks will be provided to those who do not have them.
- **Water bottling filling stations** will remain open and water fountains will remain closed. Students will be asked to use water bottles at school.
- **Close Contact and Quarantine** guidance will be following from IDOH in accordance with [Indiana Code 16-41-2-1](#). Due to social distancing requirements for early returns, all close contact quarantines will be 14 days.
- **Assigned seating and increased spacing** between students will remain in classrooms, the cafeteria, and other group settings to fulfill contact tracing obligations.
- **Increased cleaning and disinfection** in all areas will remain in place. School air filtration systems meet or exceed all requirements for fresh air circulation.
- **Unvaccinated students or staff** who are close contacts with someone who has COVID-19 must quarantine per health department guidance. No student or staff member will be asked about vaccination status except as part of a close contact situation.
- **Home COVID-19 test kits** will not qualify as an alternate diagnosis or for an early return to school of a symptomatic person. A PCR or rapid test or alternate physician diagnosis is needed to return to school if there are symptoms.
- **Extracurricular activities** will resume with the same protocols as school attendance. IHSA and ISSMA guidance will be followed.

Best Practices

2020-21 taught us there are many important practices to help keep Pioneers healthy.

Proper hand washing

is the best way to limit the spread of COVID-19. Students will have many opportunities each day to wash their hands and use sanitizer.

Monitoring student health

before school each day is crucial. Students with a fever or [signs of illness](#) (including but not limited to: vomiting, diarrhea, uncontrolled cough, sore throat, and loss of taste or smell) should not come to school. Symptomatic students need a negative PCR or rapid test or alternate diagnosis to return to school.

Vaccinations

are recommended by the CDC for anyone [age 12 or older](#).

School health clinics

will have separate areas for students with symptoms.

When in doubt,

stay home and contact your school's student health services or the Morgan County Health Department (765-342-6621) for guidance.

Contact Tracing will still be in place in accordance with Indiana Department of Health guidelines.



Close contacts include anyone within 6' of the positive case for 15 minutes or more over the course of a day. There is a 48-hour "lookback" for close contacts prior to symptom onset/positive test.



Close contacts who do not show proof of vaccination will be required to quarantine. Vaccinated close contacts who are asymptomatic do not need to quarantine.

Additional resources are available at:

www.Coronavirus.IN.gov

www.CDC.gov/coronavirus

www.MooresvilleSchools.org