



**Mr. Love goes under the clippers (story below)**

# Pioneer Blast

Mooresville Schools

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## Cheer Stunt State Champs

MHS Varsity Competition Cheer team members Josie Scott, Kayli Keith, Brynslee Riffel, Ruth Parker, and Daniel Western have earned the title of 2022 Indiana Co-Ed Stunt Group State Champions.

Varsity cheer teams from across the state submitted [stunt routine videos](#) as part of the Indiana State Cheerleading Championship and were judged on difficulty, execution, and creativity. The full competition squad will compete in the state preliminaries Oct. 22.



**Parker, Scott, Western, Keith, and Riffel**

### The Buzz

To celebrate more than \$25,000 raised by "Trinity's Tribe," MHS Assistant Principal Zack Love went under the clippers before Fall Break.

[See the WTHR news story.](#)

### Winter Weather Reminders

Winter Weather Reminders Indiana weather can be unpredictable and parents are advised to work out a "back-up plan" when school is delayed, an elearning day is announced, or schools have to close early due to weather.

State law requires that schools be in session for 180 days. When there is an unscheduled school closing, the school day must be made up. Mooresville students will have eLearning days if school buildings must close. Online assignments will be posted with teacher and technology help available that morning. Students will have up to five school days to complete work. Should

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North Madison second graders enjoy their "Farm to Pizza" field trip

## Winter Weather

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more than three closure days take place in a row, days may be added to the school calendar.

School officials make decisions about school closings based on weather information and directly checking road conditions, as well as communicating with highway departments, police agencies, and neighboring school systems. School closings will be announced as early as possible, but it is not always feasible to predict if a closing or delay is needed the night before.

When it is necessary to close or delay school, a message will be sent via our Skylert system to all student households. Please update phone numbers and email addresses in Skyward and authorize your phone to receive text messages (see graphic), if you would like text notifications. Calls will be made prior to 6:00 a.m. Local media are also contacted before 6:00 a.m., unless conditions are rapidly changing. You may also get information on our website and social media pages.

When school is delayed two hours:

1. MHS and PHMS classes begin at 9:50; Newby and Northwood at 10:55; Neil Armstrong and North Madison at 11:00; and Waverly at 11:05. Bus pick-up times will be about two hours later than usual.
2. If school has a morning delay, elementary before school programs will open at regular hours. If

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school is closed or closes early, the program is not in session.

3. If conditions worsen during a delay, school may close.
4. Developmental Pre-School: morning session is from 10:30a.m. – 12:30p.m. and afternoon session from 1:30p.m. – 3:30p.m.
5. For MHS students who attend the Area 31 Career Center, if either Mooresville or Wayne Township schools are closed, they will not attend Area 3. If there is a 2-hour delay at either school, morning students do not attend Area 31 and afternoon students report at their regularly scheduled time.



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Newby 3rd graders at the zoo

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## News Briefs

**Surplus Auction:** Mooresville Schools, the Mooresville Fire Department, and the Mooresville Parks Department will auction surplus items Wednesday, Oct. 26, beginning at 10a.m. at 518 S. Park Drive (just south of SR 67 and 144 intersection). Learn more and see a list of items on the [auction website](#).

**Assistance for Students in Need:** Families in need of assistance for Christmas should contact their school office, school counselor or family services coordinator for a Christmas assistance application. Applications and assistance are coordinated through Churches in Mission. Applications should be returned to the Mission (27 S. Indiana St.) by Thanksgiving. Families whose children need a coat for winter should visit the Mt. Gilead Coat Distribution on Oct. 29. Learn more from the [Coat Distribution Flier](#).

**Survey for Mooresville Residents:** The Town of Mooresville has partnered with HWC Engineering to develop a new comprehensive plan and thoroughfare plan for the community. These documents, tailored to the unique assets and specific issues of the town, will help guide future decision making and investment. Community members are encouraged to take part in the process by participating in a community survey. Survey results will be used to craft a community-wide vision state and goals for the Town of Mooresville. Please

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complete the following to provide input: <https://planmooresville.com/>

**Community Information & Fliers:** Mooresville nonprofit organizations with activities for school-age students may share fliers in the Blast. Current fliers include:

- [Mooresville Parks Halloween Hike](#)
- [Mooresville Wrestling Club Gr. 1-6](#)
- [Springs of Mooresville Trick or Treat](#)
- [Patriot's Pen Middle School Essay Contest](#)
- [Voice of Democracy High School Essay Contest](#)
- [Illustrating America Art Contest gr. K-8](#)
- [Creative Patriotic Art Contest gr. 9-12](#)
- [Mt. Gilead Bundle Up Coat Distribution](#)

## Upcoming Events

**Oct. 20 North Madison**  
PTO Movie Night 6:30pm

**Oct. 21 North Madison**  
Picture Retake Day

**Oct. 21 Neil Armstrong**  
Fall Festival 5:30-7pm

**Oct. 25 Neil Armstrong**  
Picture Retake Day

**Oct. 25 MHS**  
PSAT Day for all sophomores and juniors

**Oct. 26 Northwood**  
PTO Meeting 6:30-7:30pm

**Oct. 27 PHMS**  
Rec Night 5-6:30 pm

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