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Mooreville Schools

Northwood's Music Teacher, Mrs. Pepper, becomes the "Music Teacher from the Black Lagoon" for her students!

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Community Preschool Opens

Mooreville's new community preschool program is up and running at Waverly Elementary. Preschool takes place during Waverly's normal school hours. The preschool is still accepting applications. Contact our [Preschool Director](#) for information.

Parents are responsible for transportation to and from school. The students must be age 4 and the cost is \$475 per month. Before and after school care, meals, and supplies are available for an additional fee.



Community preschool teacher Mrs. Bass and some of her students.

National Honor for Mooreville Schools

Mooreville Schools has been listed as a school district with one of the 10 best online school "brands" in the country by *eSchoolNews*, a national publication on education technology.

"The Mooreville brand reflected in the district's online media is based on the district's strong community, rich tradition of education, and amazing school families," said Communications Director Susan Haynes. "We truly appreciate all of our families and community stakeholders for being a part of Mooreville School's awesome brand."



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Students and community members line the streets past Mooresville Schools to honor a WWII veteran coming home. [Click here](#) for more pictures.

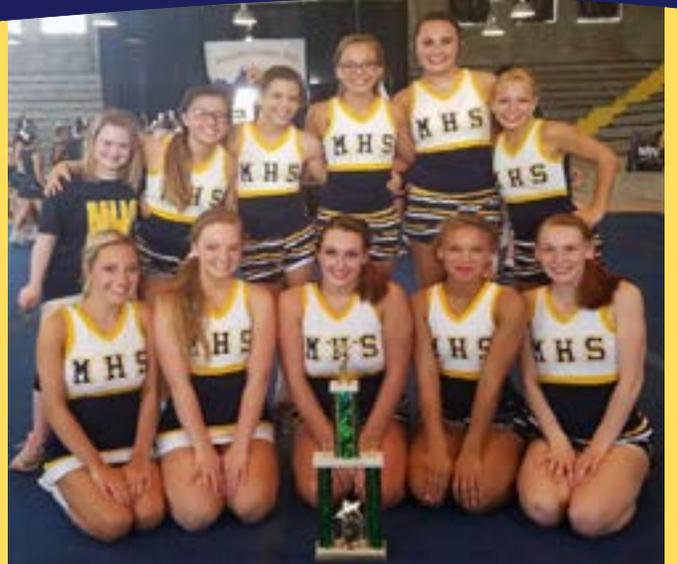
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ReadUP Tutors Needed

United Way of Central Indiana will kick off the ReadUP tutoring program in Newby and Neil Armstrong Elementary Schools beginning September 11, but more volunteers are needed. ReadUP volunteers read with two students one-on-one for 30 minutes every week, for a total volunteer commitment of one hour per week. Each student meets with three days each week to receive 90 extra minutes of reading support. The program meets before school (approx. 8-9a.m.) on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from September through early May minus any school holidays. To learn more about ReadUP, a tutor in action, watch this clip of [tutoring at Newby Elementary](#) featured on [CBS4TV](#).

If you are interested in becoming a ReadUP tutor, please contact Diana Roy at 317-584-3674 or [register online](#).



MHS Cheerleaders to Compete at State Fair

The MHS competition cheer squad has had a very successful summer season. The cheerleaders have had second place finishes at the Marion County, Delaware County, and Hendricks County fairs, and fourth place finishes at the Clinton County and Putnam County fairs. The team will compete at the Indiana State Fair on Saturday, August 11, at 11:30a.m. for preliminary competitions. The final competition will begin at 5p.m. that evening.

Input Needed for Health and Wellness Initiative

Mooresville Schools and Franciscan Health have been in early discussions about how the organizations might collaborate to improve the health and wellness of the Mooresville community. To explore these possibilities and gain feedback, both organizations are asking community members to complete a five minute survey. This survey will be open through Friday, Aug. 10. [Click here](#) to take the survey.

The MHS Pioneer Regiment placed 18th of 43 at Indiana State Fair Band Day.

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Project Lead the Way Begins



Mrs. Sanders' 4th grade class practices their problem-solving and collaboration skills by saving Fred the gummy worm using only paper clips to move him into his life preserver.



Project Lead the Way Materials, including iPads and robotics kits, for elementary schools have arrived at the Education Center.

The district wide implementation of Project Lead the Way (PLTW) is underway at all of the Mooresville Elementary Schools. All elementary school students will take part in at least two different PLTW modules this year. Learn more about the Project Lead the Way Program [here](#).

Skyward Reminders for Families

Mooresville families can customize their children's Skyward online calendars, personalize how they receive messages via Skylert, and individualize other options as they would like. To learn these and other great tips, visit Skyward's website to view their [60-second video tutorial series](#).





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News Briefs

Community Information: Visit our [community information page](#) for fliers from local nonprofit groups with events in the area which benefit or involve students. Recent fliers include **Mooresville Park Rec & U, Boy Scouts, Mooresville Girls Junior Basketball, Girl Scouts, Christ Youth Bible Club, and MCLA Run for a Cause 5K/10K.**

Community Swim: The MHS pool is open for community swim/lap swim on Monday and Friday mornings 6:30-7:30a.m. Swimming is \$1 per person. Please enter door 8.

2018-19 Vaccination Requirements: The Indiana 2018-19 Required and Recommended School Immunizations list is available [on our website](#). Students in grades K, 4, 6, and 12 should check to see that all boosters have been received. Vaccination information is due to schools by Tuesday, Sept. 4.

Key changes from 2017-18 include:

- Hepatitis A (2 doses) is required for grades kindergarten, 4, 6, and 12 (doses must be 6 months apart).
- HPV has been added as a recommendation for grades 6-12.
- Annual Influenza vaccination is recommended for all ages.

Upcoming Events

August 9 - Waverly
Grade 3-6 Parent Information Night 6-7pm

August 14 - Neil Armstrong
School Picture Day

August 14- Northwood
PTO Ice Cream Social 5:30-7:30 pm

August 15- Newby
School Picture Day
PTO Meeting 6-7 pm

August 20 - Neil Armstrong
PTO Meeting 3:45 pm

August 21 - Northwood
Title 1 Parent Meeting 6 pm

August 24 - Neil Armstrong
Radio Disney Day

August 28 - Newby
PTO Skating Party 6-8 pm

August 31 - District
Mid-Term Grades

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Aug. 11	Rebels of the Son (Contemporary Pop & Rock)	Aug. 25	Random Reaction (Country & Rock)
Sept. 8	8 Track Mind (Classic Rock)	Sept. 22	Spank & Mickey (Folk/Country/Bluegrass)