

MT. COMFORT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



## **Buccaneer Update** April 15, 2022

### Traveling Talks with Dr. Parker

### **Upcoming Events:**

Do you have a question about Mt. Vernon Schools? Come meet Dr. Parker and ask him at one of the upcoming "Traveling Talks!" Dr. Parker would like to get to know more of our community, especially YOU! Join us for 20 minutes, 30 minutes or the full hour - whatever your schedule allows.

Wednesday, April 20th Virtual Traveling Talk

with Dr. Parker

### Wednesday, April 20th

Early Release Dismissal-1:25

April 18th-April 29th ILEARN Testing 3rd-5th

> Monday, May 2nd Skating Party

**Tuesday, May 3rd** Kindergarten Field Trip

Thursday, May 5th 4th Grade Field Trip

Friday, May 6th 1st Grade Field Trip

Tuesday, May 10th 5th Grade Field Trip



For Virtual "Traveling Talks," sign up to attend at HERE and the zoom link will be emailed to you prior to the meeting. To attend an in-person "Traveling Talks," just show up, look for the table signs and grab your own food/beverage. See you soon!

erintendent Dr. Jack Parker REFERENDUM FAC WITH O&A Tuesday, April 5 ~ 6-7 p.m. - Virtual - Sign up online Tuesday, April 12 ~ 12-1 p.m. - Virtual - Sign up online Wednesday, April 13 ~ 6-7 p.m.- In Person at The Grill (McCordsville) Wednesday, April 20 ~ 12-1 p.m. - Virtual -Sign up online Tuesday, April 26 ~ 6-7 p.m. - Virtual - Sign up online Friday, April 29 ~ 12-1 p.m. - In Person at Sero's in (Cumberland) For Virtual "Traveling Talks" please sign up for the Zoom link at mvcsc.kl2.in.us. For In-Person "Traveling Talks," just come with your questions & grab your own meal.

## **Stay Connected on Social Media**

Facebook MtComfortElementary

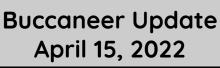


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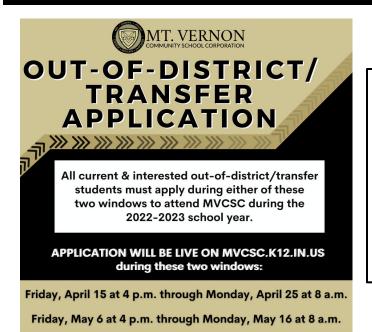
### MV Reads: News from the Library

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Did you know that 67% of children ages 6-17 find books to read for fun from libraries. No other source comes close to this percentage (Scholastic). Twenty-three state studies, INCLUDING INDIANA, all confirm that the presence of certified librarians in schools leads to a measurable difference in student achievement (Kachel). We love our libraries! Here are our current top titles for the month:



### **Out-of-District Transfer Application Windows**



All current out-of-district/transfer students must have an application submitted to attend Mt. Vernon in 2022-2023. Once a Marauder, always a Marauder (unless there are major discipline or attendance issues). However, parents/guardians must submit an application for each child during one of the two windows to continue to attend Mt. Vernon in 2022-2023. The application will be live during those two windows and located in the news article on www.mvcsc.k12.in.us.



## MVEF Gala

Why is **"home"** so important to us? Perhaps, because for better or worse, by presence or absence, it is a crucial point of reference—in memory, feeling, and imagination—for inventing the story of ourselves, our life-narrative, for understanding our place in time. No matter what place you call home, the very word strikes a chord deep inside each of us. "**Home"** to some means sanctuary, the place we can rest, relax, enjoy time with friends, and family, learn, grow ... and just be. Our **"home"** says a lot about who we are and what we think is important.

Since our inception 15 years ago, The Mt. Vernon Community School District has served as the "heart" of our Mt. Vernon Education Foundation, "home" it has been the constant thread that weaves the fabric of our community together from casual conversation, cheering on players who represent us in sports, (Go Marauders!) to all of our amazing educators, the teachable moments and learning experiences along the way in creating a place where the foundation could invest thanks to the generosity of our donors in the *hopes, dreams, needs, and wishes of our students, staff, and community* as we build brighter futures together.

As we gather to celebrate the foundation's 15th Anniversary on Saturday, April 23, 2022, we hope you will join us in supporting our **"home**" through attending the Black and Gold Gala, sponsorship, donating to the silent auction, or granting a wish to one of our amazing teachers for their classrooms!

We hope you will join us at this year's Black and Gold Gala on Saturday, April 23, 2022, at the JW Marriott Indianapolis. To purchase tickets go to <u>www.MtVernonFoundation.org</u>





## **Current 5th Grade Girls**

From the MS Athletic Director:

Our 7th and 8th grade girls basketball coaches are holding an "open gym" on **Mondays** starting March 28th from 6pm-8pm at the Middle School. **This invitation is ONLY for current 5th grade girls who are interested in playing basketball next year.** Participants are to enter door 8 (the fieldhouse/athletic entrance). If you have questions, contact Dave Merica at Mt. Vernon Middle School.

### **MCE 5th Graders**

### The MVMS Band wants YOU!!!

On Friday, April 8, Mr. Day visited MCE to talk to 5th graders about the awesome opportunity to join the MVMS band next year. **On Wednesday, April 20, MCE 5th graders are invited to attend instrument try-ons in the MVMS cafeteria between 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.** No experience is necessary to try an instrument or be in the band. If you can't make it on 4/20, please consider coming out on 4/13 or 4/27. Reach out to Mr. Day (stephen.day@mvcsc.k12.in.us or 317-485-3160 X2135) if you have any questions. Don't miss out!











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### Weekly Shout Out Winners



Congratulations !



#WeRMV

Shop for Marauder gear at the

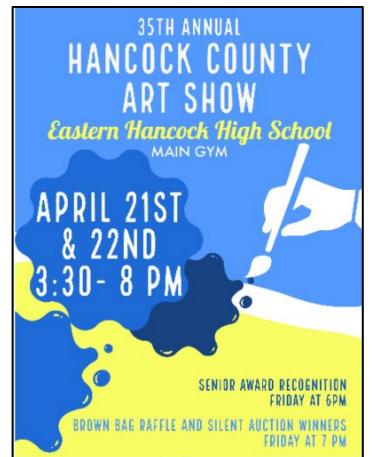
# POP-UP SPIRIT SHOP

SATURDAY APRIL 16TH 10:00-12:00 PM

DELLEN FIELD AT HANCOCK HEALTH STADIUM

If raining, the Spirit Shop will be located in the Athletic Lobby by the main gym.













## FREE SHEETS W / ANY MATTRESS PURCHASE!

YOU HAVE BEEN PERSONALLY REFERRED BY: \_

# BOTTLE CAPS TO BENCHES

### MT. COMFORT ELEMENTARY

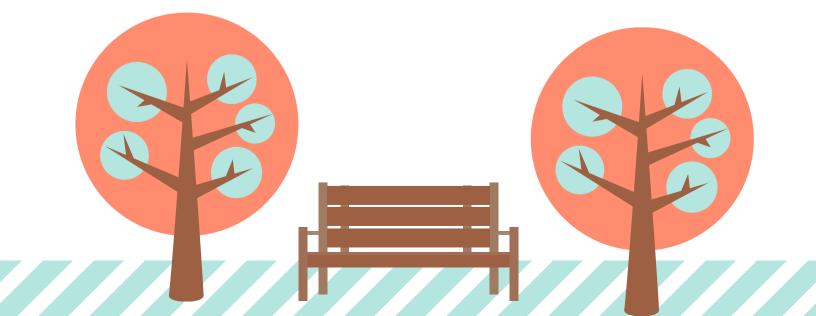
SEND THEM TO THE LIBRARY FOR COLLECTION

# save your PLASTIC bottle caps!

We can recycle them and turn them into a bench for our school.

We can use:

- · spray paint lids, milk jug lids
- · deodorant caps, toothpaste lids
- flip-top caps (ketchup, mustard, creamer tops)
- · detergent caps, drink bottle caps
- · cottage cheese, sour cream and cool whip lids
- · peanut butter and mayonnaise lids



# **APRIL** | 2022

## **Elementary School Lunch Menu**

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
28 Breaded Chicken Sandwich Green Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	<sup>29</sup> Nachos with Beef and Cheese Sauce Refried Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	30 Mini Corn Dogs Corn Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	Rotini and Meat Sauce with Dinner Roll Carrots Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	1 Calzones Broccoli Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	<section-header><section-header><section-header></section-header></section-header></section-header>
4 Meatball Sub (MCE) Hamburger (MES) Mozzarella Sticks (FES) Cherry Tomatoes Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	5 Macaroni and Cheese Baked Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	6 E- Learning Day	<sup>7</sup> Cheesy Pull Apart Bread Broccoli Assorted Fruits Fresh Veggies Choice of Milk	8 Hot Dogs French Fries Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	
11 Chicken Tenders Potato Smiles Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	12 Taco Sticks Refried Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	13 Bosco Sticks With Marinara Sauce Green Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	<sup>14</sup> Chicken Drumstick With a Biscuit Broccoli Assorted Fruits Fresh Veggies Choice of Milk	15 Pizza Carrots Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	
18 Breaded Chicken Sandwich Green Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	19 Nachos with Beef and Cheese Sauce Refried Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	20 Mini Corn Dogs Corn Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	21 Pasta With Dinner Roll Carrots Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	22 Calzones Broccoli Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	
25 Mozzarella Sticks with Marinara Sauce Cherry Tomatoes Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	Macaroni and Cheese Baked Beans Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	27 Brunch for Lunch Cauliflower Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	28 Cheesy Pull Apart Bread Broccoli Assorted Fruits Fresh Veggies Choice of Milk	29 Hot Dogs French Fries Assorted Fruit Choice of Milk	

THIS INSTITUTION IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER

### 2022 Lady Marauder Basketball Camp

Ages:	Girls K-8 (Grade JUST Completed)
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Date: **June 13-16** 

Times: 8:30-9:45 (K-2 Grade Just Completed)

9:45-11:00 (3-5 Grade Just Completed)

11:30-12:45 (6-8 Grade Just Completed)

Where: Mt. Vernon Middle School Fieldhouse

Cost: \$40.00 (\$25.00 for each additional camper per family)

T-Shirts: All Campers Will Receive a Lady Marauder Camp T-Shirt

Competitions: 3 on 3, 1 on 1, Free Throw, Hot Shot

Purpose: To Teach Fundamentals and Skill Development

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** To receive a T-Shirt, enclose payment by June, 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Checks made payable to: JULIE SHELTON								
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SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions, contact Coach Shelton at: Mt. Vernon High School 8112 N. 200 W Fortville, IN 46040 PHONE: 485-3131 EXT 1725 EMAIL: julie.shelton@mvcsc.k12.in.us

# **MT VERNON PREMIER AQUATICS**

# **Do You Love To Swim?**

Come try out and continue the fun with Mt Vernon Premier Aquatics (MVP), a year-round competitive USA Swimming program.

### No club experience necessary! All ages are welcome to join!

What: Call-Outs/Evaluations for the Spring/Summer Season When: Tuesday, April 5th 5:30-6:30 pm & Thursday, April 7th 5:30-6:30 pm

Where: Mt. Vernon Middle School Pool (Enter Through Door 8)
What to Bring: Swimsuit, Googles, Towel, Cap (optional)
Who to Contact: Brad Grieshop or Danielle Morrison
Brad Grieshop – mvpcoachbrad@gmail.com
Danielle Morrison – mvpcoachdanielle@gmail.com





# Camp Invention®

# JUMP INTO BIG ENURES THIS SUMMER!

LEARN MORE AT INVENT.ORG/CAMP



A second grader builds persistence by testing how marbles move through her arcade design!



A sixth grader gains confidence as he builds a robot to make awesome spin art!



A fourth grader uses problem-solving skills to create a Spacepack for a galactic journey!

# EXPLORE A TYPICAL DAY AT OUR ALL-NEW 2022 PROGRAM

### A.M. BASE CAMP

Drop off your camper with certified local educators who start each day with games that spark creativity.



### ROBOTIC AQUATICS™:

Campers create a habitat for a robotic fish — complete with a symbiotic friend — and then take their fish home in its mini tank!



### **SPACECATION™:**

Inspired by real space exploration, campers construct Spacepacks and Astro-Arm devices, mine asteroids and observe ice volcanoes!

### **GAMES & LUNCH**

Half the campers head outside to play action-packed games while the others eat lunch — and then they switch.



### NIHF'S THE ATTIC™:

Combining science and art to build their own robotic artists, campers make spin art and learn that everyone can be creative!



### MARBLE ARCADE™:

Campers get their game on as they experiment with the fun of physics and engineering to build their own mega marble arcades!

### P.M. BASE CAMP

The day wraps up as campers wind down with problem-solving games.

II images feature actual campers enjoying <mark>our new 2022 prog</mark>ram.

Camp Invention is a nonprofit program of the National Inventors Hall of Fame



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### SECURE YOUR SPOT TODAY

Register at INVENT.ORG/CAMP or 800-968-4332

## Camp Invention® is for children entering grades K-6th.

Location: Mt. Comfort Elementary School 5694 W 300 N, Greenfield, IN 46140

Date: June 6 - 10, 2022

Time & Cost: 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM \$245 (before discount)

Camp Director: Jessica Buell jessica.buell@mvcsc.k12.in.us

If these dates/times don't work for you, please visit **invent.org/camp** for other locations near you.





Scan to secure your spot today!

# TALENT SHOW 2022

Mt. Comfort Elementary presents ....

# **Rising Stars of MCE** May 13, 2022 at 8:30 am

Can you play the piano, have mad dribbling skills or have a voice like Adele? Show that talent off and sign up for the MCE 2022 Talent Show! The MCE Talent Show is not only open to students, but is also open to our MCE Teachers and staff. Audition forms with video submissions are due by April 27th. I can't wait to see this year's MCE talent!

## <u>Auditions:</u>

- ★ Submit an audition video that is LESS THAN 2 MINUTES in length to Mrs. Schenck via email (<u>ashley.schenck@mvcsc.k12.in.us</u>) by 3 pm on April 27, 2022.
- $\star$  Fill out the attached form and turn in to Mrs. Schenck at school by April 27th
- $\star$  Mrs. Schenck will notify you by May 2nd if you are in the talent show on May 13th.
- ★ We will hold a rehearsal after school on Tuesday, May 10th. Parents must pick up by 3:45 p.m.
- $\star$  Students will perform LIVE in the gym on Friday, May 13th.
- ★ Please have all the materials you will need for your performance (music cd, props, etc.) on rehearsal date.
- $\star$  You will only be allowed to perform the act you included on your audition submission video.

# 2022 Talent Show

# May 13, 2022 at 8:30 am

# Talent Show Forms due by April 27th to Mrs. Schenck

Student Name (first, last):\_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom teacher:\_\_\_\_\_

Type of Performance and performance details (singing, dancing etc.):

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*I will contact parents through ParentSquare for all Talent Show related updates and news.

Other students involved in performance:

\*\*All Students participating MUST fill out a form!