

# USD 456 District Newsletter



## February 2018



### MdCV Website

Check out the school website for updated information on activities going on in the district. The school web address is [www.mdcv.org](http://www.mdcv.org). We post daily activities on the homepage regarding school activities and times, school closings, lunch menu, district calendar, newsletters and the weekly bulletin. Set it as your homepage and check it out!

### School Dismissals

There will no school on February 16<sup>th</sup>, and February 19<sup>th</sup>. Enjoy your days off!

### Mini-Cheer Camp

The MdCV Cheerleaders will be holding their annual mini cheer clinic on Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the big gym at Melvern. Cost is \$25 and this includes a t-shirt for the student. They will perform on Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup> during halftime of the high school boys' varsity game. They will need to meet in the small gym at 6:15 p.m.

### High School Basketball Schedule

Feb 2	@MdCV vs Cornerstone	4:45pm
Feb 6	@SCC	4:00pm
Feb 9	@Mission Valley	4:45pm
Feb 13	@MdCV vs. West Franklin	4:45 pm
Feb 16	@MdCV vs. Lawrence Veritas	5:00pm
Feb 23	@MdCV vs. Altoona	5:00 pm
Feb 26-March-3	Sub State at Hartford	TBA
Mar 6-9	@State	TBA

\*\*\*\* Parent's Night on February 23rd

### Queen of Courts Ceremony and Dance

The MdCV High School will have the Queen of Courts ceremony on Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> during the half time of the boys' varsity game. The dance will be held after the boys' varsity game in the old gym.

### Shrine Circus

2<sup>nd</sup> grade students will be attending the circus on Saturday, February 17<sup>th</sup>.

### Inclement Weather Dismissals

Whenever school is cancelled for a day or more due to inclement weather, we always notify the following stations: WIBW-TV, KSNT-TV, KOFO-1220 AM Radio, KVOE-1400 AM Radio, AM Radio 580, and FM Radio 94.5. These same stations are also notified if school is dismissed early. We would appreciate a call from parents if there is somewhere (other than home) you wish your child to be sent if school is dismissed early. Also, School OutReach will call and notify parents about school closings. If your phone number has changed, please notify the high school office at (785) 549-3313.

### Class Pictures

Elementary, junior high and high school class pictures will be taken in February.

JH Class Pictures – February 1<sup>st</sup>

HS Class Pictures – February 2<sup>nd</sup>

Elementary Class Pictures – February 8<sup>th</sup>

All class pictures will begin at 8:30 a.m.

Order forms will be sent home with your student.

### I've got a Crush on You!

The FCCLA will be selling a can of Crush pop and a bag of candy for Valentine's Day for \$5.00. You will have a choice of strawberry, grape, or orange pop. You will also have the option of putting a personal message on the treat for the recipient. They will be delivered to the students at the Melvern and Quenemo schools on Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested see one of the FCCLA members or you may contact Mrs. Phelon at 785-549-3313. The last day for orders will be Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup>.

### **Parent-Teacher Conferences**

Conferences will be held on the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of February from 4:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. each evening.

### **Olive Garden Meal**

The MdCV Booster Club is having an Olive Garden Fundraiser to raise money for our Trojan students. The meal includes: Olive Garden Salad and dressing, 2 Olive Garden Breadsticks, Olive Garden Spaghetti, dessert and drink. It is scheduled for Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> from 5:00 – 7:30 p.m. or until food runs out. The cost is \$8.00. Don't miss out on an amazing meal and help support our students.

### **FFA**

Feb. 6 – Milk Quality, Vet Science Career Development events at Paola

Feb. 15 – Meats CDE at Ottawa

FFA Week – February 19-23

Feb. 28 – Floriculture, Agronomy and Ag Mech at Louisburg

### **Scholars Bowl**

The Scholars Bowl team has a regional meet on February 1<sup>st</sup> at Blue Valley- Randolph.

### **It's that time again**

This time of year brings many different illnesses to the school. The flu (Influenza), strep throat, sinus infection and chest colds just to name a few. Please be aware that we are seeing quite a few of these illnesses at the school and ask that you keep an eye on your children for any signs. Prevention is key when it comes to keeping out students and staff healthy.



### **Vacant School Board Position**

USD 456 Board of Education has a vacant board member position. This position is district 3, position 3, in the Quenemo area. We are asking all interested persons to provide a letter of interest to Board of Education, 105 SW Main, Melvern, Kansas 66510 or inquire at (785)549-3521.

### **Spelling Bee**

On Thursday, January 25, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. at the Melvern Attendance Center, MdCV held their local Spelling Bee. Twenty students represented the 4th through 8th grade students, four from each class. In the end, after sixteen rounds there was only one winner, Champion Madison Cormode and Runner-Up Olivia Lacey.

### **Soil Conservation**

All of the students in the first – 5th grade participated in this year's soil conservation poster contest. This contest was open to all of the K-5th grade students in Osage County and the theme was Watersheds Our Water, Our Home. We are very excited to announce that we had 6 students from MdCV Elementary selected as winners. Those students were Third Grade Students - Landon Reed - Champion; and Braelyn McNally - 2nd Place; and First Grade Students – Teighlynn Olson - Champion; Meka Rogers – 1st place; Greyson Stephens, 2nd place; and Graci Williams, 3rd place. Landon and Teighlynn's posters will be sent to the state level competition. Congratulations to all of the students for a job well done!!!

### **Mark Your Calendar - School Not In Session**

February 16<sup>th</sup> – No School

February 19<sup>th</sup> – No School

March 9<sup>th</sup> – Teacher Work Day

March 14<sup>th</sup> – Early Release – Dismiss at 12:15 p.m

March 19 – 23 – Spring Break

March 30 – Good Friday

April 11 – Early Release – Dismiss at 12:15 p.m.

April 13 - No School

May 16 – School dismissed for summer (12:15 p.m.)