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Superintendent's E-Newsletter



Miami East Local Schools

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From the Superintendent...



Echo

Author Unknown

A son and his father were walking in the mountains. Suddenly, his son falls, hurts himself and screams: "AAAhhhhhhhhhhh!!!" To his surprise, he hears the voice repeating, somewhere in the mountain: "AAAhhhhhhhhhhh!!!"

Curious, he yells: "Who are you?" He receives the answer: "Who are you?"

Angered at the response, he screams: "Coward!" He receives the answer: "Coward!"

He looks to his father and asks: "What's going on?" The father smiles and says: "My son, pay attention." And then he screams to the mountain: "I admire you!" The voice answers: "I admire you!"

Again the father screams: "You are a champion!" The voice answers: "You are a champion!" The boy is surprised, but does not understand.

Then the father explains: "People call this ECHO, but really this is LIFE. It gives you back everything you say or do. Our life is simply a reflection of our actions.

If you want more love in the world, create more love in your heart.

If you want more competence in yourself, improve your competence.

This relationship applies to everything, in all aspects of life;

Life will give you back everything you have given to it."

YOUR LIFE IS NOT A COINCIDENCE. IT'S A REFLECTION OF YOU!



Miami East High School is preparing for their 2023 prom, “Putting on the Ritz,” a 1920s’ inspired theme. The festivities will take place at Fort Piqua Plaza on April 15, 2023. Prom King and Queen will be announced at the event at 8:00 pm.



The candidates for the 2023 Prom Queen include (from left to right):

Belle Lewis, daughter of Angela and Todd Lewis. Belle is involved in in Track and Field.

Ava Jacomet, daughter of Katy and Mike Jacomet. Ava participates in Volleyball and Golf.

Kinley Lavender, daughter of Brandi Littlejohn and Chad Lavender. Kinley spends her time in Cross Country, Indoor and Outdoor track, yearbook photographer.

Megan Gilliland, daughter of Heather and Matt Gilliland. Meg is involved in Volleyball, Club Volleyball, Track, 4-H, and Church Youth Group.

Adilyn Richter, daughter of Heather Cudd and Stephen Cudd. Adilyn participates in FFA, National Honor Society, Track, Musical, Senior Class Secretary, Student Council, and Academic Team.

Lindi Snodgrass, daughter of Kimberly and Rusty Snodgrass. Lindi spends her time in Soccer, Track, Senior Class Treasurer, Student Council, Yearbook Editor, and National Honor Society.



The Prom King candidates for the 2023 prom include (from left to right):

Carter Bevan, son of Amanda and Stephen Bevan. Carter participates in National Honor Society, Soccer, Choir, Church Youth Group.

Connor Dalton, son of Beth and Dave Dalton. Connor is a member of the Viking football team.

Clark Bennett, son of Ellen and Jason Bennett. Clark is involved in in National Honor Society, Chess Club, Academic Team, Student Council, Senior Class President, Cross Country, Indoor Track & Field, Outdoor Track & Field, Jazz Band, and is actively involved in the community.

Stewart Sink, son of Lisa and Jason Sink. Stewart spends his time in the ACTS church group and working in construction.

Isaac Beal, son of Melissa and John Beal. Isaac is involved in in Golf, National Honor Society, Senior Class Vice President, Student Council, FFA, 4-H, Academic Team, and Chess Club.

Dylan Arthur, son of Mindy Konicki and Jason Arthur. Dylan participates in Baseball, Wrestling, Hope Squad, FCCLA, and is the Student Council President.

Congratulations to the following MEHS students that have been nominated for the 2023 MVCTC Prom Court

- Malaki Sphar
- Emily Verady
- Alivia Wade



Miami East-MVCTC FFA

Chartered in 1958

A National FFA Model of Innovation

FFA Holds Annual Parent-Member Banquet

The Miami East-MVCTC FFA Chapter recently held its 64th Annual Parent Member Banquet. Approximately 300 parents, members, and guests were present at Miami East High School Gymnasium. Highlights of the evening were:

- In 2023 the chapter was named a Gold Medal Chapter and a Top 10 Chapter in the state in the areas of Growing Leadership and Building Communities. The chapter was interviewed and results will be announced at the upcoming State FFA Convention.
- This year, three officers, Fletcher Harris, Ayla Gilbert, and Luke Brunke submitted Officer Books for review at the State Evaluations. All three earned a gold rating. They will be recognized at the 2023 State FFA Convention.
- Five seniors have participated in the Senior Capstone Experience where they learn through hands-on experiences with an agriculture company. Luke Brunke is working at Yingst Farms. Ethan Fine is working at Hodge Farms. Jillian Niswonger is working at Breezy Knoll Horse Farm. Matthew Osting is working at Lynn Alan Farms. Braden Zekas is working at Caven's Meats.



Chapter FFA Degree Recipients

FFA members are given the opportunity to earn four degrees during their membership in the organization. The first is the Greenhand Degree represented by a bronze pin. Students were recognized who have reached the second degree presented – the Chapter FFA Degree. 24 candidates met the minimum qualifications for this degree. The candidates were Haley Barnes, Hale Beck, Wyatt Black, Blake Boggess, Adrien Comer, Clayton Couser, Julia Couser, Lydia Durst, Rhylee Eichhorn, Katelyn Hall, Violet Hazard, Lacie Henry, Myah Jefferis, Haley Lane, Abigail Maxson, Connor Maxson, Lillian McClain, Cora Moore, Kat Niswonger, Wesley Penny, Karley Prosser, Jackson Shane, Dalton Schreadley, and Caleb Staley.



Honorary Chapter FFA Degree

The Honorary Chapter FFA Degree was given to Mr. Jesse Maxfield, Miami Valley Career Technology Center Agriculture Satellite Supervisor.

Proficiency Awards

Proficiency awards are designed to recognize the efforts of members who have outstanding Supervised Agricultural Experience programs and have kept accurate records. Winners of the 2023 Chapter Proficiency Awards were: Ag Mechanics Design and Fabrication - Wyatt Black, Ag Mechanics Repair and Maintenance – Wyatt Black, Ag Processing – Braden Zekas, Beef Production Entrepreneurship – Alaina Helsinger, Beef Production Placement – Cora Moore, Diversified Crop Production Placement – Matthew Osting, Diversified Livestock Production – Keira Kirby, Goat Production – Isaac Beal, Poultry Production – Alaina Helsinger, Sheep Production – Keira Kirby, Service Learning – Ayla Gilbert, Specialty Crop Production – Haley Barnes, and Swine Production Entrepreneurship – Rhylee Eichhorn.

Additional Awards

Quality Supervised Agricultural Experience Programs are based on accurate record keeping and perfected record books. Students with outstanding record books in each of the classes were Freshman – Jenna Taylor and Emma Hershberger, Sophomore – Hale Beck and Haley Barnes, Junior – Jadyn Maingi and Jadyn Bair, and Senior – Matthew Osting and Jillian Niswonger.

High scholastics are an important part of each high school student's life. Results of the students with the highest academic records in their entire high school career include Agriculture, Food, & Natural Resources – Kaci Manns and Kirya Wise, Plant and Animal Science – Wyatt Black, Business Management–Junior – Ava Prince, and Business Management-Senior – Isaac Beal.

Keira Kirby, Dustin Winner, Jackson Shane, Emma Hershberger, Madison Maxson, Isaac Beal, Tenley Potter, Ava Skeens, and Owen Heilman were recognized for selling over \$1,000.00 worth of fruit during the chapter's fruit sales. Keira Kirby was the highest selling fruit sales person. Abigail and Connor Maxson were recognized for being the highest selling family.

Elisabeth Norman was recognized for being the highest selling sales person in the strawberry sales. Addison Fine and Luke Robinson were recognized for being the highest selling family.

American FFA Degree Recipients

The American FFA Degree is the highest degree for a member to receive in the National FFA Organization. This degree will be bestowed upon graduates at the upcoming National FFA Convention. Chloe Gump, Katie Larson, Anthony Putnam, Emma Sutherly, and Samuel Sutherly will receive their degree in November in Indianapolis, Indiana.

State FFA Degree Recipients

The State FFA Degree is the highest degree received in the state. About 2% of the state's FFA membership earns their State Degree. Sydney Brittain, Jillian Niswonger, Kendal Staley, Ayla Gilbert, Fletcher Harris, Alaina Helsing, Reagan Howell, Kyle Larson, Jadyn Maingi, Madison Maxson, and Ty Roeth will receive their degree in May.

Additional Chapter Awards were the Star Greenhand Award to Madison Grube. The Excellence in Agriculture Award went to Luke Brunke. The Blue and Gold Award went to Adi Richter. The Star Chapter in Agribusiness was Kendal Staley, the Star Placement was Braden Zekas, and the Star Chapter Farmer went to Isaac Beal.

Chapter Officers Installed

The 2023-24 Miami East-MVCTC FFA Chapter Officers were installed. They are as follows: Sentinel- Rhylee Eichhorn, Student Advisor – Cora Moore, Reporter – Reagan Howell, Treasurer – Wyatt Black. Secretary – Madison Maxson, Vice President – Alaina Helsing, and President – Fletcher Harris.



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The Caroline Restaurant
The Cruea Family
The Hughes Family
The Leiss Family
The Light on the Hill Venue
The Myers Family
The Pickleball Plex
The Sparks Family
The Stutchell Family
36 Skate Club
Tiffany Sampson
Tilt 'Em Back Party Bus
Tractor Supply
Trapper & Mirriah Phillips
Troy Aquatic Park
Troy Sports Center

Miami East High School – 3rd Quarter 2022-2023 Honor Roll

Freshman

Principal's List: Kaci Manns

High Honor Roll: Adriana Barrett-Knick, Gavin Bodey, Anna Davis, Alexa Deaton, Preston Duff, Whitney Enis, Mara Fine, Elizabeth Fischer, Kylie Gentis, Skyler Goecke, Delainey Goodstein, Logan Helsinger, Emma Hershberger, Teaghan Kress, Khalia Lawrence, Carter Leiss, Addyson Long, Nicholas Martel, Addison Register, Luke Robinson, Jaycee Roeth, Isabella Rowley, Landon Scott, Ava Skeens, Bianca Stevens, Brandon Stone, Bailey Taylor, Jenna Taylor, Oliva Thomas, Emma Whitten, Kirya Wise, Caden Woehrymer, Emily Zawalich

Honor Roll: Veronica Andres, Anna Budd, Gabriel Cole, Kinsley Courtright, Garrett Fine, Brandon Lane, Lily Malott, Tenley Potter, Alyssa Sink, Emily Wessler

Sophomores

Principal's List: Wyatt Black, Reese Gipe, Jacqueline Kadel, John Weddle

High Honor Roll: Kamryn Apple, Haley Barnes, Brianna Baxter, Halen Beck, Candice Bevan, Riley Blair, Luke Bowsher, Paige Clarkson, Kira Cole, Vincent Crane, Evan Demmitt, Rhylee Eichhorn, Kaden Francis, Braedon Gambill, Grayce Goodin, Lorelei Gregory, Owan Haak, Seneca Harris, Violet Hazard, Brooke Hicks, Skylar Kerns, Kally Koble, Baylen Lair, Simon Latimer, Adam Lawson, Abigail Maxson, Connor Maxson, Kaitlyn McElroy, Coletton Moore, Jocelyn Motter, Katelyn Paulus, Wesley Penny, Karley Prosser, Allison Rose, Tristan Rowley, Austin Scherer, Addison Schmidt, Brooke Shafer, Jackson Shane, JT Slone, Christopher Smith, Emma Stapleton, Allie Suber, Finnick Tennant, Michael Williams, Austin Workman

Honor Roll: Nicholeiz Fish, Lillian Forsythe, Joshua Henning, Myah Jefferis, Alexa Klingshirn, Aaron Mills, Emma Rust, Clark Wintrow

Juniors

Principal's List: Alaina Helsinger, Daniel Martin, Brooklyn Taylor

High Honor Roll: Connor Apple, Cole Baxter, Maria Broerman, Andrew Crane, Kennedee Elifritz, Lillian Glosette, Devin Goodpaster, Tady Gross, Luke Hamaker, Addison Jennings, Louise Lauthe-Perrissoud, Alexis Loughman, Madison Maxson, Lana McAdams, Mckayah Musselman, Elisabeth Norman, Lindsey Ott, Logan Phillips, Ava Prince, Jacob Riley, Jacob Roeth, Ty Roeth, Emmalee Root, Evan Vallery, Kyle Vernon, Courtney Walker, Thomas Wallace, Kameron Workman, Maelee Zerkle

Honor Roll: Jady Bair, Reagan Howell, Layton Hughes, Brian Laughman, Jacob Marker, Noah Martin, Katelyn Neff, Evan Noll, Landin Putnam, Colin Vogel

Seniors

Principal's List: Madison Avey, Isaac Beal, Keira Kirby

High Honor Roll: Clark Bennett, Oscar Cashaw III, Connor Dalton, Trevor Karnehm, Evan Malott, Max Pohl, Adilyn Richter

Honor Roll: Victor Householder, Madeleine Latimer, Malaki Sphar, Sarah Weaver, Emily Varady, Charles Zawalich

March JH Artist of the Month

Olivia Brown (7th grade) is our MEJH Artist of the Month with her 1-point perspective room drawing.



2023 MEHS Prom

Prom will be held on Saturday, April 15th at the Fort Piqua Plaza from 7:30pm - 9:30 pm. Promenade will be starting at 6:45 pm. Tickets will go on sale for prom and after Prom on Wednesday, March 29 (from 7:00 am until 6:30 pm ONLY on March 29th), then before school, after school, and during meeting period only from Thursday, March 29th until Thursday, April 13th.



For the 2023-2024 school year Kindergarten registration will be held on May 4th & May 5th



Little League Football/Cheer Registration dates

Registration for Miami East Little Football and Cheer

Saturday, May 20 th	9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	**Board of Education – Front Entrance. **
Saturday, June 10 th	9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	**Board of Education – Front Entrance. **

Football Camp Saturday July 15 th	9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	(At High School Stadium Football Field)
Cheer Camp Saturday July 15 th	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	(At High School Stadium Football Field)



Plan to Recognize April as Distracted Driving Awareness Month

Thousands die needlessly each year because people continue to use their cell phones while driving, handheld or hands-free. Join the National Safety Council this April in urging those you care about to:

- Stop using cell phones while driving
- Understand the dangers of the cognitive distraction to the brain
- Inform people who call you while driving that you'd be happy to continue the conversation once they have reached their destination



Summer 2023 Projects on campus

- LED Summer Lighting Project in the elementary, junior high, and high school
- Flooring Replacement Project in grades 3-6
- Replacing Smartboards in the elementary, junior high, and high school
- Sealing and striping the K-8 Parking Lot





HUG THE EARTH
EARTH DAY CELEBRATION
MIAMI COUNTY PARK DISTRICT

HUG THE EARTH FESTIVAL

Celebrate Earth Day! Family Fun for All Ages!

SATURDAY, APRIL 22
12 TO 5 P.M.
at Lost Creek Reserve in Troy

KID'S SHOW AT NOON & 3 P.M. - ACTIVITIES FROM 12 TO 5 P.M.

FREE!
ADMISSION & ACTIVITIES

NOON - OCLIMBUS ZOO & BANANA SLUG STRING BAND
Sing, dance and engage with zoo animals, puppets and zany characters

3 P.M. - BANANA SLUG STRING BAND & FIVE RIVERS METROPARKS
Meet native Ohio wildlife and sing and dance along with the Slug band

ACTIVITIES FROM 12 TO 5 P.M.

- Farm Animals
- Rock Wall
- Straw Maze
- Zip Line
- Superhero Trail
- Tree Climbing
- Whoddyg Worlds
- Rocket Shoot
- Giant Core Pit
- Conservation Booths
- Wildlife Excursions
- Rock & Fossil Dig
- Caterpillar Train Rides
- Fairy/Gnome House Building
- Live Butterfly House Exhibit
- Nature Crafts & Games

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AT BAT			BALL	2	STRIKE	1	OUT	2			
FAIR-PLAY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL	
VISITOR	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	6	
HOME	2	0	2	0	2	1	1	2		10	

**Miami East High School
Class of 2023
Graduation Ceremony
Friday, May 26, 2023
Hobart Arena
7:00pm**



Girl Scout Troop 3451

Girl Scouts Madison Tarcea, Kennedy Smith, Molli Duff, Elizabeth Robbins and Bella Martel spent time this week working hard. They cleaned up trash around the stadium, and it looks great. Thank you for your effort girls.





April FFA Member of the Month

The April 2023 Miami East-MVCTC FFA Member of the Month is Abigail Maxson. She is the daughter of Scott and Katrina Maxson of Conover. She is a sophomore and second year member of the Miami East-MVCTC FFA Chapter.

Maxson serves as the Human Resources Committee Co-Chair. She was responsible for collecting donations, promoting and facilitating the FFA's recent fundraiser for the Wounded Warrior Project. The event raised over \$1,100. Abigail was on the Animal Welfare and Behavioral Career Development Team that placed second in the state and represented the chapter at the State Ag Biotechnology Competition. Her Supervised Agricultural Experience Program consists of market hogs.

Every month of the school year the Miami East-MVCTC FFA will select a student to be the FFA Member of the Month. The officer team will nominate one member that has been actively involved in the FFA chapter, school and community activities. If selected, the members will be recognized at the monthly FFA meeting, have their picture displayed in the Miami East Ag Room, and will receive a special accolade in celebration of their accomplishment.



Congratulations to Coach Rich Randall for being selected DIV III Greater Miami Valley Coach of the year.

MEJH is looking for volunteers!

Miami East Junior High is excited to announce that we will be providing our 8th grade students an opportunity to learn a little about life as an adult. Volunteers are needed in order to make this an impactful activity for our students. On May 19, 2023 all 8th grade students will have the opportunity to take part in a real-life simulation. Students will choose a career, receive a monthly salary, and be invited to make purchases that adults make each month. Stations will be set-up where students can deposit money at the bank, make a house payment, pay for child care, buy groceries, and make other purchases that are typically found in a monthly budget. Volunteers will be provided full information that describes in detail what to do at each station. We would love to utilize volunteers at stations that connect to their area of expertise. Some of the stations that will be set-up for students include the following areas:

Banking
Student Loans
Housing
Utilities
Insurance
Transportation

Groceries
Furniture
Clothing
Health/Medical
Childcare
Personal Care

Entertainment
Pets
Investments
Financial Advisor
Check In
Check Out

If you are interested in volunteering for our May Reality Store please contact Danielle Dillon at 937-335-5439 ext. 6107 or ddillon@miamieast.k12.oh.us.

2023 ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

MIAMI EAST ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

A Component Fund of The Troy Foundation

FISH FRY & AUCTION



Saturday, April 22nd



AUCTION ITEMS - RAFFLES - 50/50

Meal Served: 6:00pm-7:30pm

Auction: 7:30pm-9:30pm

Where: Fletcher Fire Department
6535 St. Rte. 589

ADMISSION \$15.00 (advance ticket purchase)
\$20.00 at the door
INCLUDES ALL-U-CAN-EAT FISH DINNER
AND SIDES (CARRYOUT AVAILABLE)



COME FOR THE FISH—STAY FOR THE FUN!



Darke County Food Truck Rally & Craft Show

Saturday, May 6, 2023

celebrating & supporting local small businesses

11AM-7PM

CRAFT SHOW
FOOD TRUCKS

at The Darke
County
Fairgrounds
800 Sweitzer St
Greenville, Ohio

LIVE MUSIC

PONY RIDES
PETTING ZOO

Miami East HS Community Outreach

What?

Juniors from Miami East High School will be going out into the community to serve our citizens through a variety of service projects within the Miami East School District.

MEHS is soliciting opportunities for our students to assist senior citizens and others in need living within the Miami East School District.

A few examples of projects students would be willing to complete include: gardening, mulching, weeding, raking, painting, cleaning, and organizing.

You provide the job and **supplies** and we will provide the students.

How to Request Assistance?

Please complete the sign-up sheet at the right and return it to Miami East High School by Friday, May 12.

Return by Mail :

Attention: Todd Gentis
3925 North State Route 589
Casstown, OH 45312

Scan and return by email:
tgentis@miamieast.k12.oh.us

If you have questions, please contact:
Todd Gentis
Miami East High School Principal
937.335.7070 x 3004

You will be contacted by Monday, May 22 to confirm the time students will arrive at your location.

Wednesday, May 24, 2023

Rain Date: Thursday, May 25

***The number of service projects will be limited and will be taken on a first come, first served basis.

***Miami East reserves the right to decline any project that could be deemed dangerous to the students' mental or physical well-being.



Project Sign Up Sheet

Name _____

Contact Number _____

Address _____

Project Requested _____



Exit Survey for Graduates of the Class of 2022

Schools are required by the state of Ohio to gather the information listed below in regard to the graduates of the Class of 2022. The questions are directed toward the graduate, but either the graduate or the parent may answer the questions below. Please only submit one survey per graduate. The survey link is on the Miami East High School home webpage.

[Class of 2022 Graduates Survey Click Here!](#)



FinalForms

We are very excited to announce that the Miami East Local Schools Athletic Department has partnered with FinalForms, an online forms and data management service. FinalForms allows you to complete and sign athletic participation forms for your students. The most exciting news is that FinalForms saves data from season-to-season and year-to-year, meaning that you will never need to enter the same information twice! FinalForms also pre-populates information wherever possible, for each of your students, saving you time.

You may review your data at any time to verify it is current. You will be required to sign your forms once per year and after any update.

We are asking that ALL parents of athletes in the spring of 2023 use FinalForms.

Physical forms will still need to be printed off and signed by your doctor, however only pages 3 and 4 are required to be physically turned into the Athletic Office. You will print this directly from Final Forms.

Physical will still require a physician's signature on the physical form and turned in to the athletic office.



Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration dates for the 2023-2024 school year have been set for Thursday, May 4th and Friday, May 5th, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., in our kindergarten classrooms.

Parents who have a child who will be 5 years of age on or before August 1, 2015 are encouraged to complete your son/daughter's information on Final Forms.

After completing Final Forms call the elementary school office at 335-5439 and schedule an appointment. School secretary, Mrs. Mumford, will take your name, your child's name, date of birth, address, and telephone number. A packet of information will be sent to you along with an appointment time.



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION AND SCREENING May 4th & May 5th

It is with pleasure that we welcome your child to Kindergarten at Miami East Local Schools for the 2023-2024 academic year! We look forward to an educational and enriching Kindergarten year for your child at Miami East Elementary.

Your child is eligible to begin Kindergarten at Miami East Elementary in the 2023-2024 school year if your child will be five years old on or before August 1, 2023 and meets the residency requirements.

REGISTRATION PERIOD: February 1st – May 3rd

Registration is started by visiting <https://miamieast-oh.finalforms.com/> Once an account has been created for the incoming student and required forms have been completed online families should email Mrs. Mumford at mmumford@miamieast.k12.oh.us She will check online documents and schedule an appointment for the Academic Screening.

When you log-in to FinalForms:

1. Only Register your incoming **Kindergarten** student. If you have other siblings at Miami East, wait until later in the summer to register those students.
2. Select "I'm a New Enrollment"
3. Register for the 2023-2024 school year, not the current school year.

The registration process must be started by May 3rd, for your child to participate in the May 4th & May 5th Academic Screening.

ACADEMIC SCREENING: May 4th & May 5th (8:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.)

Upon arriving at the Elementary, please check in at the Kindergarten Doors with Mrs. Mumford to turn in required documents. We ask that families arrive with one adult only and the student to be screened.

Please have your supporting documents ready to be copied:

- Original certified birth certificate
- Child's Social Security Card
- Parent Photo Identification
- Proof of residence (applies only to students who do not have older siblings already enrolled)
- Custody papers (if applicable) - Entire document is required by state law
- Kindergarten Physical - Completed by your physician

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Mumford at mmumford@miamieast.k12.oh.us



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Asst. Principal/Athletic Director

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March 28, 2023

Senior Parents and Students:

Graduation day will be upon us in just three weeks. Please stay in constant contact with your senior so they don't let their grades slip. Please be reminded that all **unpaid fees must be paid in the high school office by Thursday, May 25**. If you have not already done so, please submit both a current picture and a baby picture to Mrs. Hall in the MEHS office ASAP. ahall@miamieast.k12.oh.us

I want you all to be aware of the requirements and expectations of our seniors over the next few days, including behavior at graduation:

1. Seniors:

Final Full Day of School—Friday, May 19.

Required Day—Monday, May 22 (Senior Walk and Signing Day Assembly—seniors may leave campus at the conclusion of the assembly). This is for all members of the class of 2023.

Required—Graduation Practice-Friday, May 26 (1pm @ Hobart Arena)

2. **Senior Sunset**—Date/Time to Be Determined.

3. Friday, May 26 is the **Senior Brunch** at The Light on the Hill Barn on Rugged Hill. I encourage all seniors to be present for the games, food and prizes—Time to Be Determined.

4. Friday, May 26 at **1:00pm** it is **REQUIRED** that all seniors who are going to march at Graduation be at Hobart Arena for Graduation Practice. **Students who are not present will not be permitted to participate in the Graduation Ceremony. There are NO EXCEPTIONS.**

5. Graduation Guest Information

- No tickets are necessary to enter the arena
- There is no limit on the number of guests each graduate may invite to graduation

6. Seniors need to be at Hobart Arena by 6:30pm on Friday evening, May 26. The Graduation Ceremony begins promptly at 7:00pm.

- Doors will open at 5:30pm.
- People can enter the arena via either the south lobby (river end of building) or the west lobby (facing Adams St.). Both entrances are ADA accessible.
- Gowns should be ironed. Sunset Cleaners will press graduation gowns, free of charge, if taken to them before May 20.
- Students are to be reminded that colors show through the white gowns. White should be worn under white graduation gowns.
No jeans or shorts allowed.
- Gentlemen must wear a shirt with a collar and a tie is **highly** recommended.
- Put your name inside your cap.
- School appropriate** and **tastefully** decorated caps are acceptable. No other hats or headwear is to be worn.

Miami East High School
2023 Spring Sports Schedule

Baseball (Varsity)

Mar	15	Piqua (sc)	5:00	H
Mar	16	Urbana sc	5:00	H
Mar	21	Russia SC	5:00	H
Mar	23	Graham SC	5:00	A
Mar	25	Northeastern	11:00	A
Mar	27	Fairmont	5:00	H
Mar	28	Northridge	5:00	H
Mar	30	Lehman	5:00	A
Mar	31	Anna	5:00	A
Apr	3	Versailles	5:00	A
Apr	4	Milton Union	5:00	H
Apr	6	Troy Christian	5:00	A
Apr	7	Riverside	5:00	H
Apr	11	Bethel	5:00	H
Apr	13	Covington	5:00	A
Apr	14	Bradford	5:00	A
Apr	15	Prom		
Apr	18	Northridge	5:00	A
Apr	20	Lehman	5:00	H
Apr	22	Graham	11:00	H
Apr	25	Milton Union	5:00	A
Apr	27	Troy Christian	5:00	H
Apr	28	Riverside	5:00	A
Apr	29	Stebbins (DH)	11:00	A
May	2	Bethel	5:00	A
May	4	Covington	5:00	H
May	8	Bellefontaine	5:00	A
May	9	Indian Lake	5:00	A
May	11	Brookville	5:00	H

Baseball (Reserve)

Mar	15	Piqua (sc)	5:00	A
Mar	16	Urbana sc	5:00	A
Mar	21	Russia SC	5:00	A
Mar	23	Graham	5:00	H
Mar	25	Northeastern	11:00	H
Mar	27	Fairmont	5:00	A
Mar	29	Lehman	5:00	H
Mar	31	Anna	5:00	H
Apr	3	Versailles	5:00	H
Apr	4	Milton Union	5:00	A
Apr	8	Mechanicsburg dh	1:00	H
Apr	10	Minister	5:00	A
Apr	11	Bethel	5:00	A
Apr	19	Lehman	5:00	A
Apr	25	Milton Union	5:00	H
Apr	22	Graham	11:00	A
Apr	29	Stebbins (DH)	11:00	H
May	2	Bethel	5:00	H
May	4	Covington	5:00	A
May	8	Bellefontaine	5:00	H
May	9	Anna	5:00	A
May	11	Brookville	5:00	A

Softball (Varsity)

Mar	18	Arcanum (scrm)	1/3	A
Mar	21	Russia	5:00	A
Mar	23	Northeastern (sc)	5:30	H
Mar	25	Ft. Loramie	1/3	A
Mar	28	Northridge	5:00	H
Mar	30	Lehman	5:00	A
Mar	31	Bradford	5:00	H
Apr	3	Versailles	5:00	A
Apr	11	Bethel	5:00	H
Apr	13	Covington	5:00	A
Apr	15	Prom		
Apr	18	Northridge	5:00	A
Apr	19	Milton Union	5:00	H
Apr	20	Lehman	5:00	H
Apr	21	Riverside	5:00	H
Apr	22	Talawanda (DH)	10:00	H
Apr	24	New Bremen	5:00	A
Apr	25	Milton Union	5:00	A
Apr	27	Troy Christian	5:00	H
Apr	28	Riverside	5:00	A
Apr	29	Kenton Ridge	10:00	A
May	2	Bethel	5:00	A
May	3	Troy Christian	5:00	A
May	4	Covington	5:00	H
May	6	Miamisburg (dh)	10:00	A

Softball (JV)

Mar	17	Graham (sc)	5:00	H
Mar	21	Russia (sc)	5:00	H
Mar	27	Brookville	5:15	A
Mar	29	Graham	5:00	H
Mar	30	Russia	5:00	H
Apr	10	Minister	5:00	A
Apr	11	Northwestern	5:00	A
Apr	13	Monroe	5:00	H
Apr	17	Versailles	5:00	H
Apr	18	Ft. Loramie	5:00	A
Apr	19	Milton Union	5:00	A
Apr	20	Russia	5:00	A
Apr	24	New Bremen	5:00	H
Apr	25	Milton Union	5:00	H
Apr	28	Versailles	5:00	A
Apr	29	Kenton Ridge	10:00	H
May	4	Fairmont	5:00	A
May	6	Waynesville	11/1	A

Track (High School)

Mar	28	Milton Quad	4:30	A
Mar	29	Troy Relays	4:30	A
Apr	1	Tecumseh Invite	11:00	A
Apr	4	Wayne Relays	4:00	A
Apr	6	ME Invitational	4:30	H
Apr	11	Fairlawn	4:30	A
Apr	14	Graham Invite	4:30	A
Apr	18	Miami County	4:30	H
Apr	15	PROM		
Apr	21	Trotwood Invite	4:30	A
Apr	26	HS Quad	4:30	H
Apr	28	Arcanum Invite	4:30	A
May	1	Northwestern	4:30	A
May	2	Graham Quad	4:30	A
May	5	Covington Invite	4:30	A
May	11	TRC Meet	4:30	A
May	13	TRC Meet	10:00	A

Track (Junior High)

Mar	27	Milton Union	4:30	A
Mar	30	Riverside Quad	4:30	A
Apr	8	Ft. Loramie Invite	9:30	A
Apr	10	Piqua	4:30	A
Apr	17	Miami East Quad	4:30	H
Apr	20	ME Invitational	4:30	H
Apr	25	JH Quad	4:30	H
Apr	26	Miami Co.	4:30	A
Apr	27	Graham Invite	4:30	A
May	1	Northwestern	4:30	A
May	2	Covington Invite	4:30	A
May	4	Versailles Invite	5:00	A
May	11	TRC Meet	4:30	A
May	13	TRC Meet	10:00	A

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2022-2023 School COVID Guidelines



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The following are the relaxed 2022 COVID guidelines for Miami East. Please keep in mind, mandates could change requiring the district to make adjustments.

STUDENTS AND STAFF WHO TEST POSITIVE FOR COVID-19

Students and staff who test positive for COVID-19 must continue to follow isolation guidelines and may not attend school or related activities.

COMMUNICATION

Please email superintendent, Dr. Todd Rappold at trappold@miamieast.k12.oh.us at any time with any questions.



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Miami East Upcoming Events

April

10-14 Autism Awareness Week

11 Elementary Invention Club

13 Elementary Nature Club
Elementary PTO Meeting

14 Elementary Lego Club

15 MEHS Prom

22 Athletic Boosters Fish Fry & Auction (6:00 p.m.)

28 MEHS Concert Band State Contest

May

2 5th and 6th Grade Spring Band Concert

4-5 Kindergarten Screenings
State FFA Convention

12 FFA Ag Day @ Fairgrounds

15 JH and HS Concert/Jazz Band Spring Concert

16 Senior Awards program MEHS 7:00 PM

17 FFA Tire Recycling Day

- 19** Seniors Last Day
- 22** Senior Walk/Signing Day
- 24** Community Outreach Day for Juniors
- 26** MEHS Graduation