

# MELBA HIGH SCHOOL

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Melba Parents and Guardians,

Here we are already in May! The last few months have gone quickly, and we have had a great year! I want to thank you for all that you have done in supporting your students and the school in helping us to be so successful. You are all part of what makes Melba so special.

Mustang Awards – We want to recognize Student Award winners for April:

Rozzlyn C – Discipline	Erika R – Enthusiasm
Sebastian D – Determination	Matt P – Unity
Zach W – P.R.I.D.E.	Elizabeth W – P.R.I.D.E.
Annaliese D – P.R.I.D.E.	Ellie J – P.R.I.D.E.
Maddie Z - P.R.I.D.E.	Tys D – P.R.I.D.E.
Brayan A. – Enthusiasm	Alfredo O – Enthusiasm
Gabi Y – Enthusiasm	Cali S – Discipline
Ellie H - Enthusiasm	Savannah F - Unity

Teacher Award – Congratulations to Kellsie Peterson – Idaho Agriculture Teacher Association Outstanding Early Career Award. Well done Mrs. Peterson!

Computer Laptops – Every student will check in his or her laptop at the end of the year. Every machine will be serviced and prepped for the upcoming school year. Please make sure that your student has his or her machine and charger ready to turn in on the last day of school.

Finals Week – The last week of school will be finals week, May 23-26. Students will take finals in every class. It is very imperative that students are present for each class period. There will be an adjusted schedule for the last three days of school, which includes an early release day on May 26. The bell schedule for final will be posted on the school's web page and social media.

Final I-Ready Diagnostic – The final I-Ready diagnostic is wrapping up. With this diagnostic, we will have three points of data throughout the year to compare the improvement of each student in reading and math. Encourage your student to do well on this diagnostic and ask him or her how they did.

Academic Awards Night – Monday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> is the Academic Awards Night at 7:00 pm. If your student is being honored, you will receive an invitation to the event. All are welcome to

attend.

Jr. High Awards Assembly – Tuesday May 24<sup>th</sup>, is the academic award assembly honoring junior high school students. If your student is receiving an award, you will receive an invitation. We will also be recognizing 8<sup>th</sup> graders as they move on to high school.

Senior Timeline:

- The final day of school for Seniors - May 19<sup>th</sup>
- Senior meeting and breakfast - May 24<sup>th</sup>
- Graduation practice at 9:00 am on May 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, and 27<sup>th</sup>
- Graduation is May 27<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 in the Gymnasium

Vaping – Teenage vaping has been described as a “national epidemic.” Schools across the nation are fighting students vaping in school. Ours is no different. We take this issue seriously and continue to work with families to help students. It is important for parents have frank conversations with their children about the dangers and addictiveness of vaping. If you have any questions on how Melba is addressing this issue, please feel free to contact me.

Thanks again for all that you do with your children and to help make this community so great! I hope that you all have a fun and fulfilling summer.

**GO MUSTANGS!**

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