

MELBA HIGH SCHOOL

HOME OF THE *MUSTANGS*

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Melba Jr/Sr High School Parents and Guardians,

I hope that you enjoyed the time out of school with your friends and family. As we start a new semester at the JrSr High School, here are some things to be made aware of:

Mustang Awards – At Melba Jr/Sr High School we believe that character counts. Part of education is learning how to be a good citizen; it is not just about academics. The values that we want our students to develop include Effort, Discipline, Toughness, Commitment, and Personal Responsibility In Daily Effort (PRIDE). A student becomes a Champion when they challenge themselves daily in these areas. Each week, we recognize students who have shown to be exemplary in one of these core values. They receive a Mustang Award; a certificate, one treat from the vending machine, and a place on the selfie-wall. The Champion Mustangs for the month of January are:

Teagan H – P.R.I.D.E.
Laurel G – Discipline
Ryia R – Commitment
Betzaida V – Discipline
Miliana J – P.R.I.D.E.
Janey C – P.R.I.D.E.
Logan D – Discipline
Bailey M – Commitment
Graham K – Toughness
Cole D – Effort

Valerie O. – Toughness
Sonora F. – Effort
Savannah F – Toughness
Ashlynn F – Commitment
Anzley N – Effort
Isaac A – Toughness
Tommy C – Effort
Jess F – P.R.I.D.E.
Levi F – Discipline
Cooper B – Commitment

Congratulations to – the 8th grade class. They had the most students move into Proficient in either math or reading combined on the mid-year I-Ready assessment. The percentage of proficient increased by 35%! For such a job well done, Mr. Forsgren bought them each Little Caesar's pepperoni pizza for lunch on Thursday. Great job 8th graders.

Lunch Balances – Please check your child's account on PowerSchool and see if there is a lunch

balance that needs to be paid.

Report Cards – Your students’ report card can be found in their Vault under their PowerSchool account.

Sophomore Field Trip – Mr. Hunt will be taking the Sophomores on a field trip to the Wassmuth Center for Human Rights in Boise on February 11th. To go, each student must be academically eligible and have the parent permission slip filled out and given to Mr. Hunt by February 10th.

Winter Sports – Our girls Varsity Basketball team is ranked #2 in the District earned a bye for the first round of the District Tournament. They will play at Caldwell High School on Thursday, February 6th. Our boys Varsity Basketball team is competing well every night and will have their tournament towards the end of February. Our wrestlers are enjoying a very good season. State for them will be in Pocatello at the end of the month. Come on out and enjoy a game or match!

“Who’s got it better than Melba? NOBODY!”

GO MUSTANGS!

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