

MELBA HIGH SCHOOL

HOME OF THE *MUSTANGS*

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Melba Jr/Sr High School Parents and Guardians,

It is hard to believe that we are already four weeks into the last semester of the year. Here are some things to keep in mind.

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:

Zoe R – P.R.I.D.E.	Luke C – Toughness
Kevin C – Discipline	Chris S – Effort
Mackenzie R – Commitment	Jayce N – P.R.I.D.E.
Kinlee P – Toughness	Kaleb P – Discipline
Nyah R – Effort	Tate E – Commitment
Lane I – P.R.I.D.E.	Alice B – Toughness
Wyatt A – Discipline	Ziva B – Effort
Whitney S - Commitment	

Mustang Bowl – Currently our students are competing for the “Mustang Bowl.” This is a school-wide competition between the classes. Classes earn points in categories like I-Ready and Testing, Attendance, Discipline, “Mustang” or character, Spirit, and Ineligible list/grades. The winning team will spend half of a school day bowling. Currently, the Sophomore class is in the lead.

Upcoming Field Trips – A couple of classes are planning field trips in February. The seniors

are going to the Capital with Mrs. Bunnell to watch part of a Legislative Session and see our state government in action. Their trip will be on Monday, February 23rd. Mr. Sessions will be taking the Juniors to the Warhawk Air Museum in Nampa on Wednesday, February 25th. As always students must be eligible based on their grades. If you have a Junior or a Senior, watch for permission slips to come home.

MORP – Is a girl ask guy dance. This year MORP will be on Friday, February 13th from 8:00 to 10:00 pm in either the gym or the Commons. Tickets are \$10 apiece and can be purchased in the High School Office.

President's Day – There will be no school on Monday, February 16th.

Sports Update – All sports have district tournaments this month. Girls' Basketball begins play in their tournament on Tuesday, February 3rd. Cheer has their District competition on February 7th at Meridian HS. Boys Basketball will start on February 16th. The first Girls Wrestling District Tournament will be February 17th/18th at Idaho Center Arena. Melba HS will host the Boys District Wrestling Tournament on Feb. 20th. As always, check the school Facebook or Instagram for any updates or changes to the schedule.

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

GO MUSTANGS!

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