



From the Principal....

December 17, 2019

Dear Parents,

Just a quick note to wish you all a joyous and safe holiday. January is a busy month, so be sure to check out the upcoming events listed on the second page. I also wanted to share MPE's 2019-2020 First-in-Fitness team. Congratulations to the following students for being selected to represent MPE at the First-in-Fitness competition against 20+ schools from across Wake County later this Spring.

Grade	Mile Run	Shuttle Run	Pull-Ups	Standing Long Jump
5	Jonathan Palamar	Drew Appelbaum	Zachary Perkinson	Paul Rebeyrat
5	Alyssa Martinho	Kathryn Karakostantis	Alena McNaughton	Aaliyah Jones
4	Luke Smelko	Derek Qi	Parker Bednasz	Brandon Michaud
4	Meridan Eiden	Katie Hummel	Kaylee Liao	Summer Smelko
3	Andrew Martinho	Banks Huffman	Kyle Abell	Jackson Kirby
3	Harini Karuturi	Julia Falick	Anya Patel	Srinika Lingidi

Grade	Speed Rope	100 yd. Dash	Triathlon	Team Manager
5	Max Savino	Connor Brennan	Martin Peytchev	Anyel Gomez-Escobar
5	Jiya Patel	Peyton Rich	Amaya Arndt	
4	Roman Nelson	Brooks Hall		
4	Arya Shah	Riley Moore		
3	Owen Schiszler	Carl Hornik		
3	Mila Patel	Aza Hinson		



Enjoy your time with family and friends!

Sincerely,

Michael Regan
Principal

Please see below for upcoming events for January 2020



Upcoming Events for January 2020

- Jan. 2: Teacher Workday, No School for Students
- Jan. 3: Teacher Workday, No School for Students
- Jan. 6: First Day Back After Holiday Break
- Jan. 10: Battle of the Books, Gym, 8:00 am
- Jan. 10: 5th Grade On-site Field Trip, Poe Health Center, 10:30 am
- Jan. 13: School Spirit Night, Chick-Fil-A, Parkside Town Commons, 5:00 – 8:00 pm
- Jan. 14: 2nd Grade On-site Field Trip, Science Fun, All Day
- Jan. 15: Science Fair Project Drop-off, Main Lobby, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
- Jan. 16: Science Fair Project Drop-off, Main Lobby, 8:00 – 8:45 am
- Jan. 16: Coffee & Conversation w/ Mr. Regan, Media Center, 8:00 – 9:00 am
- Jan. 16: Science Fair, Parent Viewing, MPE, 5:00 - 6:00 pm
- Jan. 17: Battle of the Books, Gym, 8:00 am
- Jan. 17: 4th & 5th Grade Science Fair Assembly (Top Ten Projects), Gym, 9:20 am
- Jan. 17: Last Day to Turn in Classroom Spelling Bee Participation Form
- Jan. 20: Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday, No School for Students and Staff
- Jan. 21-24: Classroom Spelling Bees, Grades 1-5
- Jan. 24: Battle of the Books, Gym, 8:00 am
- Jan. 27: End of 2nd Quarter
- Jan. 29: Teacher Workday, No School for Students
- Jan. 31: Battle of the Books, Gym, 8:00 am

Please access the Google Calendar on our school website (<http://www.wcpss.net/millsparkes>) to see all scheduled events and activities for the 2019-2020 school year.