

Mt. Blue High School Board Update 9.27.22

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Welcome Back to Our Staff!

We were so pleased to welcome all staff back to MBC last month. Our workshop days were structured to incorporate professional development and training, establish connections on our busy campus (a focus for the 22-23 school year) and allow for staff time to prepare for the arrival of students. It was a productive and positive transition back to school for our staff.



Welcome to Our New MBHS Staff Members!

Joshua Carey-Math
Cheree O'Donnell-English
Rebecca Long-English
Ewan Good-French
Page Brown-Social Studies
Makayla Wilson-Special Education
Craig Smith-Special Education
Cyndi Pratt-Director of Student Activities
Velda Yamashiro-Health
Kim Jacques-Art

Megan Scribner-Library/Media Specialist
Kristin Schrepper-Science
Jessie Gray-Nurse
Galen Dalrymple-Dean of Students
Heather McCormick-Ed Tech
Bessa Axelrod-Ed Tech
Sharon Doray-Ed Tech
Rebecca Abbott-Ed Tech
Kristen Starbird-Ed Tech
Dena Chesser-Ed Tech
Sonya Fickett-Ed Tech
Garry Judkins-Ed Tech

Welcome Back to Our Students!

Our first student day helped to orient our rising freshmen to MBC. The day's schedule included a welcome meeting, a scavenger hunt to investigate the campus, a technology orientation and a trip through a shortened schedule. A large group of National Honor Society students assisted our staff throughout the day and gave our freshmen the student perspective as the newest citizens of our school. The next day, we were pleased to welcome all upperclassmen as well. We are a full campus this year with an increase in enrollment at both MBHS as well as Foster CTE Center. Athletics and activities are up and running, and so please be sure to join in any of our events.



International Student Program at MBC

This school year we are excited to have students from Mexico, Spain, China, Brazil, Italy and Germany. The students are enrolled in a variety of offerings at the high school and Foster Career and Technical Education Center, to include Yearbook, Pop Culture, Public Speaking, Composites, and Firefighting.

Our international students are participating in extra-curricular activities such as cross country, soccer, cheerleading, and theater and are living with host families throughout the community.



End of the 21-22 School Year Events!

As we closed out the 21-22 school year, we were able to once again hold our Campus Celebration (this year known as our Spring Celebration).

Students selected activities of their choice to help make connections across our campus and to investigate areas of interest. Our former board member and parent, Betsey Hyde, assisted with the cupcake decorating activity. Our junior class was excited to host Prom in late May, with record setting attendance after a two year pause. In addition, we were able to get back on track with our Senior Graduation Walk in our district schools, a wonderful way to inspire our younger students and to appreciate the seniors' journeys through RSU #9.



Upcoming Events

- Homecoming Week-9/26-30
- Senior Parent Post- Grad Planning-9/28 at 6PM
- Senior Parent Financial Aid Planning-10/5 at 6PM
- Workshop Day-no school for students-10/7
- Indigenous Peoples' Day-no school-10/10
- MBHS Picture Day-10/17
- Theater at Monmouth Production of As You Like It-10/21
- Mt. Blue Theater Company Fall Play-11/3, 4&5

