

MPMS Board Notes - September 2025



MPMS Principal, Don Jackson:

Dear Board Members,

I am pleased to share that Mance Park Middle School continues to make meaningful strides in academic achievement and instructional growth. According to the most recent TEA accountability ratings, Mance Park earned a C rating — a mark of steady progress and resilience, particularly in a year that brought significant transitions. Despite welcoming two full grade levels from Huntsville Intermediate, resulting in two-thirds new students and one-third new staff, our campus remained focused and committed to student success.

This accomplishment reflects the strong leadership of Mr. Campbell and the effective systems of collaborative instruction and professional learning in place. At Mance Park, we remain deeply committed to adult learning — equipping our teachers with the tools, strategies, and ongoing support they need to be successful in every classroom. We believe, and continue to see, that intentional adult learning drives student achievement.

As we look ahead, our goal is to maintain and build on this momentum by refining instructional practices and continuing to prioritize educator development. Every teacher deserves access to timely, relevant, and research-based professional learning that elevates our collective impact.

I'm honored to lead such a dedicated team of educators and administrators. Over the past few weeks, I have been actively listening, learning, and working to build strong relationships with staff as we shape a positive and productive school culture. We're also making a concerted effort to instill student engagement and ownership, helping every learner understand and embrace the work it takes to achieve success.

Our Triple A program is off to a great start as we have 327 students in the first 3 weeks of school who have no absences, no tardies, no discipline referrals and a grade of 75 or above in all classes. We will celebrate their success on Friday, Sept. 12th! Thank you for your continued support as we strive to provide exceptional educational experiences for every student at Mance Park Middle School.

MPMS PBIS NEWSLETTER

Triple A Challenge

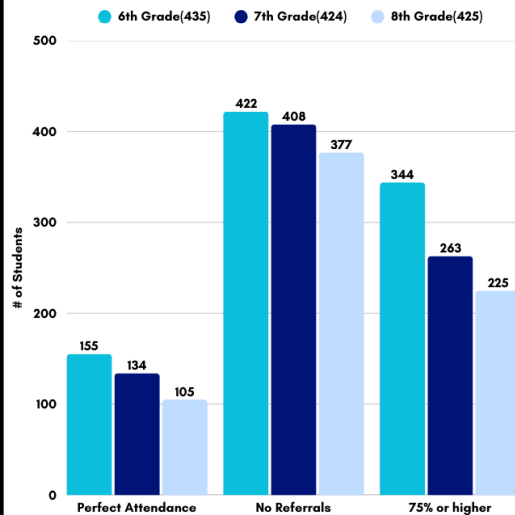
Our first Triple A challenge ended 8/29. Students with 0 absences, 0 discipline referrals, and a grade higher than 75% in each class will be rewarded this Friday with a tasty snack!

Total # of students rewarded:

327

The next challenge will run from **Sept 1st to Sept 22nd**

PBIS Triple A Data
8/12-8/29



What are MPMS Behavioral Expectations?

Students & staff are expected to show PRIDE! A PRIDE (classroom expectation) matrix should be posted in every classroom.

P-Professional
R-Respectful
I-Integrity
D-Determined
E-Empathetic

PRIDE Classroom Expectations					
	Actual	Instruction	Instruction	Instruction	Instruction
Grade Level	6-8	6-8	6-8	6-8	6-8
P	Professional	Professional	Professional	Professional	Professional
R	Respectful	Respectful	Respectful	Respectful	Respectful
I	Integrity	Integrity	Integrity	Integrity	Integrity
D	Determined	Determined	Determined	Determined	Determined
E	Empathetic	Empathetic	Empathetic	Empathetic	Empathetic

CKH Non-Negotiables

- Greet students at the door
- Social Contract
- Good Things
- Classroom Jobs

Teacher Spotlight:

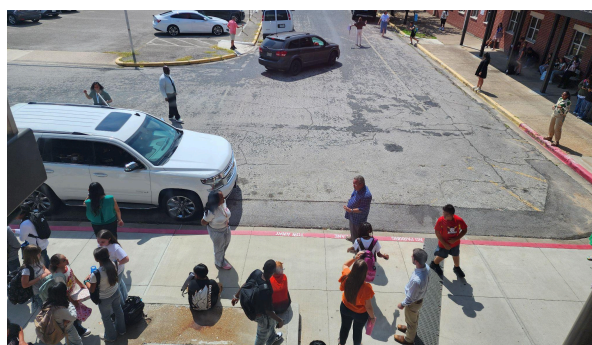
"Coach Joiner did a great job greeting students at the door, having the SC posted, and establishing classroom jobs. He even allowed students to create the class timeout signal"

- Mrs. Bradley



MPMS Drop-off/Pick-up Areas:


All 6th graders are dropped off and picked up at the front of the school. We have been encouraging parents to move up in the line and to have their kids ready to exit the car to help expedite the lines.



All 7th/8th graders are picked up at the back of the school by the new covered walkway. We are very appreciative of this new covered space, especially on bad weather days.

All band students are picked up and dropped off at the back of the school by the Fine Arts Building.

Lady Hornet Volleyball Tryouts: Our 8th grade girls tried out 8/14-8/15, and our 7th grade girls tried out on 8/18-8/19. Coach Wenskunas is looking forward to a great season.




LADY HORNETS VOLLEYBALL

2025 MPMS VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

- 8/28 MPMS @ AMCMS (HOME): 8-5pm/A-6pm
- 9/4 MPMS vs Brenham (AWAY): 8-5pm/A-6pm
- 9/11 MPMS @ Davila (HOME): 8-5pm/A-6pm
- 9/18 MPMS @ Navasota (HOME): 8-5pm/A-6pm
- Teacher Appreciation Night
- 9/25 MPMS @ Wellborn: 8-5pm/A-6pm
- 9/27 TEXAN TOURNEY (A-Team) at Davila: TBD
- 10/2 MPMS vs CSMS (HOME): 8-5pm/A-6pm
- PNK OUT Game
- 10/9 MPMS @ SFA (AWAY): 8-5pm/A-6pm
- 10/16 BYE
- 10/23 PLAYOFFS: TBD
- 10/25 EOY Tourney: TBD

Tickets are \$2 for students and \$3 for adults. #MPMS2026






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8th Grade Lady Hornet Volleyball

8th Grade A	8th Grade B
#31 Emma Hassell	#17 Karina Dearweester
#39 Jalyen Townsend	#13 Kristin Little
#10 Bliss Butler	#21 Raylynn Brothers
#38 Paige Gray	#19 Makyla Lindley
#21 Brooklyn Thomas	#23 Kinley Cobbs
#34 Bristol Walker	#15 Sierra Copeland
#20 Lighthouse Gibson	#11 Adalyn Ashman
#36 Ashton Robert	#30 Lylla Fowler
#4 Kaeli Moebles	#1 Jennifer Adams
#27 California Isabel	#22 Samara Jandres
#7 Sofia Villatoro	#13 Marlee Martinez
Manager: Deniya Craig	#8 Alanna Brass
	#25 Selina Navarrette




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7th Grade Lady Hornet Volleyball

7th Grade A	7th Grade B
#3 Maryah Briggs	#22 Brielyn Ledema
#6 Ryleigh O'Bryant	#18 Brealyn Trevino
#11 Jordyn Fuller	#1 Brooklyn Spivey
#9 Kennedy Shelly	#5 Barbara Didier
#7 Irma Gomez	#8 Caylee Goss
#2 Brooklyn Alexander	#4 Kynlee Lambright
#1 Ashlynn Plohn	#10 Sierra Queroshi
#4 Milla Garcia	#7 Angeliene Mars
#12 Caryn Busse	#6 Jocelyn Rogers
#22 Alina Syphrett	#3 Isabella Ramirez
#8 Travianna Jackson	#9 A'Naya Phillips
#5 Tierra O'Bryant	#2 Mia Esturba
Manager: Cayleigh Crawford	Manager: Tanaji Champine

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MPMS Volleyball vs AMCMS 8-27-25: Our teams opened the season at home with 7B, 7A, and 8B bringing home the WINS! 8A performed amazingly, but fell short at the very end. Photos by the MPMS Stinger Yearbook Staff.



Cross Country:



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Cross Country 2025

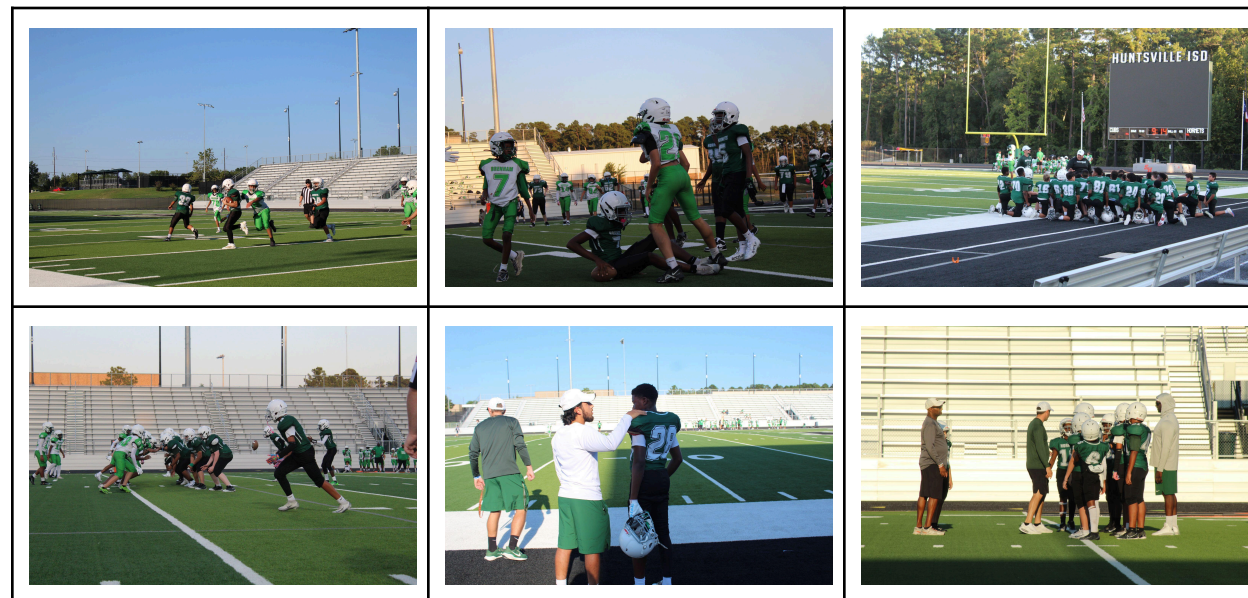
8/27 MPMS at Madisonville 4pm
9/10 MPMS at Navasota - 4pm
9/17 MPMS at Anderson - 3:50pm
9/24 MPMS at Madisonville - 4pm
10/8 AMCMS (District) - TBD



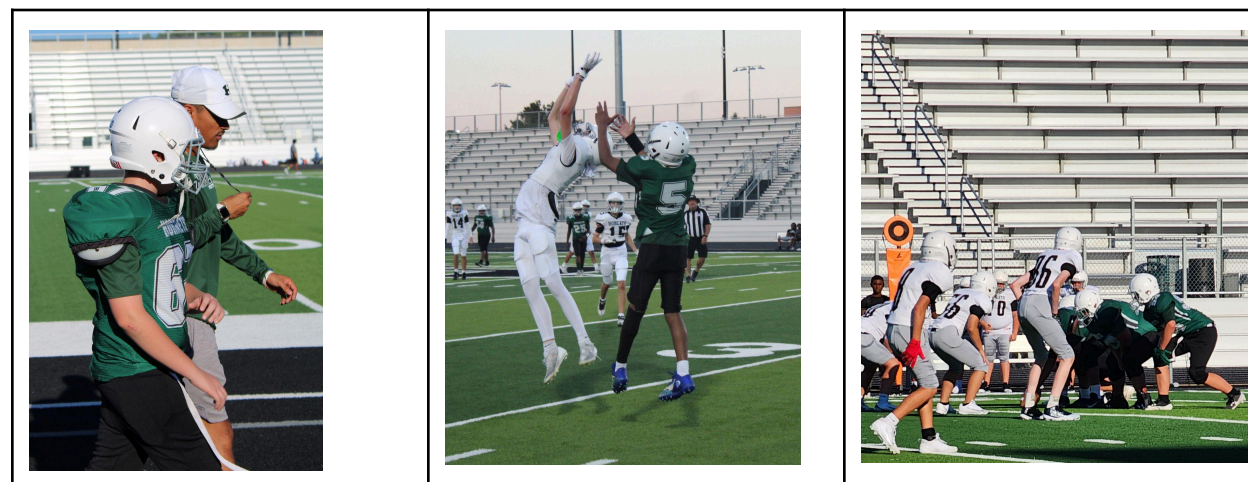
Congratulations to our 7th Grade Girls Cross Country Team on placing 1st at the meet in Madisonville on 8/27/25.

Hannah Collins earned 1st Place at the meet!

7th Hornet Football: Hosted their first home game on 9-8-25 against Brenham.



8th Hornet Football: Hosted their first home game on 9-3-25 against AMCMS.





MPMS Football Schedule:

MPMS 8th Grade Football

DATE	TIME (B/A)	OPPONENT	LOCATION
Sep. 3	5:30/7pm	AMCMS	Huntsville HS
Sep. 9	5:30/7pm	Brenham	Brenham HS
Sep. 16	5:30/7pm	Davila	Huntsville HS
Sep. 23	5:30/7pm	Navasota	Huntsville HS
Sep. 30	5/6:30pm	WMS	WMS
Oct. 7	5:30/7pm	CSMS	Huntsville HS
Oct. 14	BYE Week	No Game	
Oct. 21	5/6:30pm	SFA	SFA
Oct. 28	Playoff Week	TBD	TBD



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MPMS 7th Grade Football

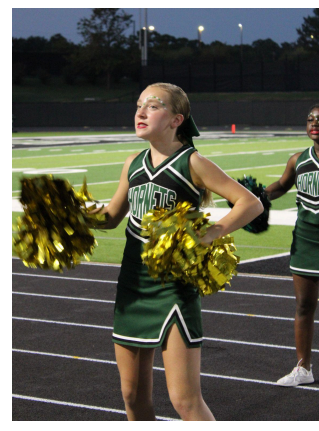
DATE	TIME (B/A)	OPPONENT	LOCATION
Sep. 2	5/6:30pm	AMCMS	AMCMS
Sep. 8	5:30/7pm	Brenham	Huntsville HS
Sep. 15	5/6:30pm	Davila	Davila
Sep. 22	6/7:30pm	Navasota	Navasota HS
Sep. 29	5:30/7pm	WMS	Huntsville HS
Oct. 6	5/6:30pm	CSMS	CSMS
Oct. 13	BYE Week	No Game	
Oct. 20	5:30/7pm	SFA	Huntsville HS
Oct. 27	Playoff Week	TBD	TBD



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MPMS Cheerleaders: Photos from the MPMS Stinger Yearbook Staff 9-3-25.





**Teacher fans in the stands
supporting our cheerleaders and 8th
grade football teams!**

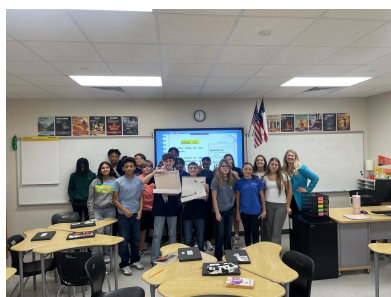
One team. One dream. One vision.



**Young Hornet fan cheered
with our MPMS
Cheerleaders! What a
great tradition!**



Donuts with the Dean!:



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Students were challenged to
help complete a form and our



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Students in 4th period classes
competed to get campus forms
turned in.



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first winners have been announced!
Ms. Ames 4th period was the first group to be 100% complete!

Ms. Petkovsek's 4th period winners!

turned in.
Ms. Hoke's 4th period winners!

Thank you, Huntsville HEB for serving our teachers lunch this past Wednesday. We really appreciated it and it was delicious!



Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA): This organization held its first meeting on Friday, September 5, in the Girls Gym at 7:25 am. They meet for fellowship, Bible study, and prayer for our campus. Coach Jones has led FCA for several years and around 100 students attended. They will meet every other Friday and the next meeting will be September 19, 2025.



Photojournalism: Innovation, problem solving, teamwork, and creativity thrive during enrichment time in Photojournalism on Friday during 3rd period.

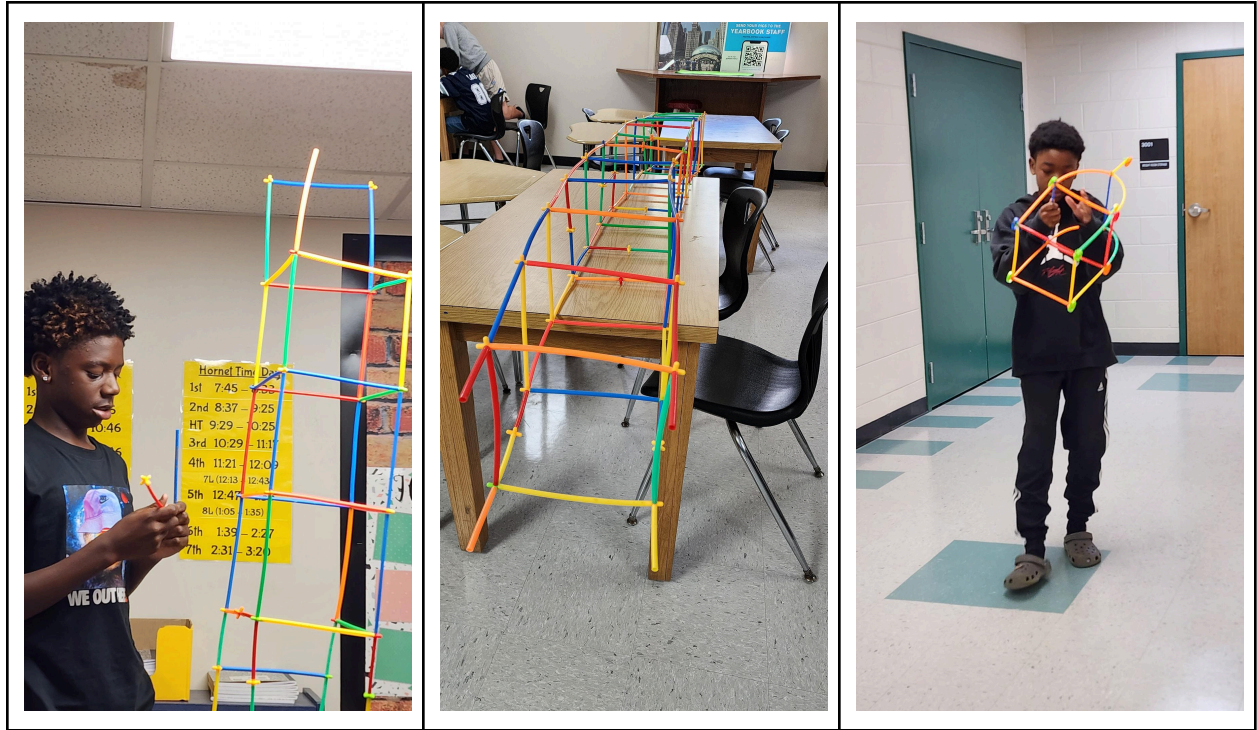
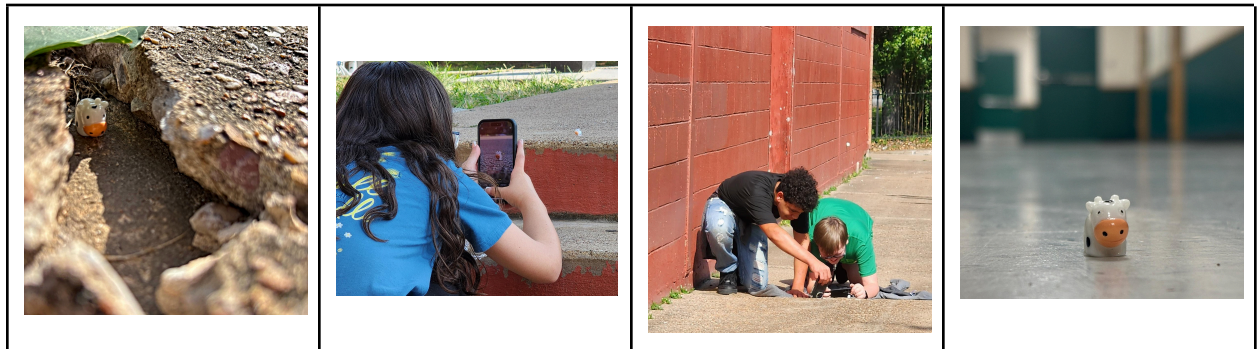


Photo Club held its first meeting on Friday, September 5, 2025. Using mini cow figures, they practiced macro photography around the campus.



8th Girls Athletics: MPMS 8th Grade Lady Hornets hit the weight room for conditioning and strength training.



Congratulations
to our FFA
officers!

25-26 FFA OFFICERS

PRESIDENT- KEELI MOEBES

**VICE PRESIDENT- BRYSON
BUHLER**

SECRETARY- MARLIE MARTINEZ

REPORTER- ABIGAIL MCKAY

**TREASURER- HUNTER
HAMPTON**

SENTINEL- TIMOTHY DIXON

**HISTORIAN- YANIELY
BONILLA**



The MPMS Stinger Yearbook Staff would like to thank everyone who has purchased the 2025-2026 MPMS Yearbook! You only have until September 12th for the early bird price of \$40. Order online at www.jostens.com or in room 3004-Petkovsek.

