



The Maverick Minute

Parent Edition – 4/10/21

Principal's Note

McClure Families,

I hope that everyone had an amazing Spring Break, and that students are recharged to return to school tomorrow! We are now beginning the final stretch of the school year. Over the next several weeks, teachers will finish the preparations for Milestones Testing. Testing will begin on the 25th of this month in the 8th grade and will continue through May 20th. Each day, the schedule will be a little different for all grades because of testing. So, keep an eye on the [Testing Calendar](#) to make sure your student is at school on time each morning they are testing. We recommend that all students participate in the Milestones Assessments as we will use this data to determine what needs to be worked on next year.

Speaking of next year, now is the time that we are planning and scheduling classes for the 2022-23 school year. 7th Grade parents, we offer several high school classes at McClure during 8th grade: Algebra, Algebra/Geometry, HS Physical Science, HS Business, HS Spanish, and Leadership & Law. Students must meet the requirements to be placed in or apply to take these courses. If your student qualifies, you will receive a separate communication this week for next steps. There are always tight deadlines for these scheduling windows, so be sure to open that communication right away when it arrives! I am excited to see all the students back at McClure tomorrow. Have a great last night of your Spring Break!

Sincerely,
Cory Stanley

Operational

School Musical – We are off to see the Wizard- won't you join us? Wizard of Oz tickets are on sale NOW! Performances are Thursday, April 21 at 7:00, Friday, April 22 at 7:00, and Saturday, April 23 at 1:00 and 7:00 in the McClure Theater. Seats are general admission and cost \$7.00. You can purchase tickets at [My Payments Plus](#) (or look for the "Make Online Payments" button on our website) now through Friday, April 15. Remaining tickets will be sold at the door, but we are anticipating selling out all four shows. So, make sure you order early! Tickets will be delivered to students the week of performances. Follow the yellow brick road to Oz for some great entertainment!

Mission:

*One Team, One Goal,
Student Success*

Vision:

*A school of excellence
where all students
succeed*

McClure Motto:

DARE to Be a Maverick!

2020-21 Theme:

Back in the Saddle!

Maverick - noun /'mav(ə)rik/

*A trendsetter who is not
afraid to walk a new
path. A Maverick leads
others by encouraging
excellence, enthusiasm,
and ingenuity.*



Best Buddies Club was cooking
it up before break!

DARE to Be a Maverick!

Operational (Cont.)

Yearbooks – The [Yearbook Order Center](#) is still open, but only for a few more weeks! Reserve your 2022 yearbook before it is too late, all orders must be received by April 30th. We anticipate selling out so don't delay. Books are available for \$40. Don't miss out on the memories of this incredible year!

Community Events

Lady Hoyas Summer Basketball – Start planning for summer now. See [This Flyer](#) on the Lady Hoyas Summer Basketball Camp!

West Cobb Wrestling Camp – See [This Flyer](#) for another great summer camp opportunity!

KMHS Junior Mustang Cheerleading – Tryouts will be held April 12th – April 14th for all rising 5th – 8th graders who are interested in Sideline Cheer for the KMHS Junior Mustangs! Complete your Tryout Packet [HERE](#). Learn more about KMHS Junior Mustang Cheer by following us on Facebook and Instagram @KMHS_Jr_Cheerleadig. Questions? Email kmhsjrcheerleading@gmail.com. Go Mustangs!

Allatoona Football – Are you ready for some football? The Allatoona Middle School Football Season is right around the corner! Registration is open for all 6th, 7th and 8th grade players for the 2022 football season! Register at <http://www.allatoonabucsfootball.com> or email questions to allatoonajrbucsfootball@yahoo.com.

Jr. Hoya Cheerleading – Tryouts are coming soon! Information is now available at the [Jr. Hoyas Cheer Website](#).

Allatoona Hotshotz Dance Team – See [This Flyer](#) for information about audition for this amazing group!

PTSA

Olympic Shirt Sales – PTSA will be selling Olympics t-shirts in each grade-level hallway before school on April 13th, 14th, 15th, and 19th. The t-shirts cost \$10, and we accept cash or check (made payable to McClure PTSA). For the 8th graders, we'll also be selling dance tickets for \$10 and the 8th grade t-shirt for \$20. If you'd like to purchase both a dance ticket and a t-shirt, we have a bundle offer for \$25. If you prefer to pay by credit card, Olympics t-shirts and all 8th grade items are available for purchase on the [PTSA Online Store](#). Please note: If you purchased a PTSA bundle, the Olympics t-shirt was included in that price. The 8th grade PTSA bundle also included a dance ticket and an 8th grade t-shirt.

Duty Free Lunch – Once a month our PTSA coordinates a duty-free lunch for our teachers. This is a great way for you to come into school to lend a hand, and at the same time see your student and their friends! Use [This Link](#) to sign up to volunteer.

Foundation

Three Ways to Give – The McClure Foundation continually supports our school with innovation in our instruction. Please join if you have not already. Whether it is a direct donation, a horseshoe in the McClure lobby, or a student birthday message on our marquee, every little bit goes to support our students and their learning. See the [Foundation Website](#) for details. Thank you!

