

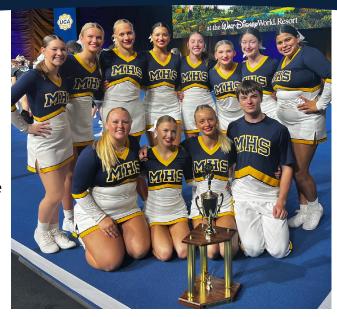
**Mooresville Schools** 

# Pioneers Have Winning Ways

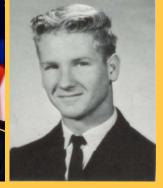
Several Pioneers had a great weekend showing off their athletic skills and bringing home the hardware.

At the IHSAA girls state swimming and diving finals, sophomore Lylah Theriac placed third in the 100 meter backstroke while freshman diver Tatum Humphrey placed 11th in the one meter.

On the same weekend, the MHS Competition Cheer team placed eighth at the National High School Cheerleading Championship in Orlando.







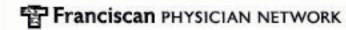
### **Honoring a Hero**

As part of Mooresville's 200th Anniversary Celebration, the community will welcome Medal of Honor recipient and MHS alumnus Sammy Lee Davis to town on Wednesday, Feb. 21.

Davis graduated from MHS in 1966 and enlisted in the Army after high school. He served in Vietnam and earned the Medal of Honor for his heroic actions during a mortar attack. His Continued on p. 3

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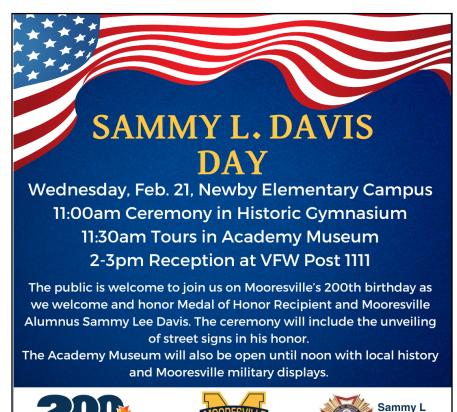
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## Mooresville Artists Honored at Purdue

Congratulations go to several MHS artists for their great work at Purdue University's biannual High School Art Competition. This competitive national art show had a juried entry.

Mooresville's Addi VanWanzeele, Ava Sponsler, Lucas Shireley, Zaiah Crites, and Tori Zook each had works of art chosen for display, with Tori Zook winning first place for Juniors for her photograph titled "Tired."





#### Hero

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Vietnam heroism and his Medal of Honor ceremony footage were used in the movie *Forrest Gump*.

Davis will be in Mooresville for the unveiling of new "Sammy L. Davis Medal of Honor Way" street signs along Monroe St.

Davis will speak and unveil a sign as part of a public ceremony at the historic gymnasium on the Newby campus at 11a.m. Members of the public are welcome to visit the Academy Musem and Mooresville Veterans Memorial on the campus after the ceremony. The public is also invited to VFW Post 1111 for a reception at 2p.m.



# A Pot of (Blue and) Gold . . .

Parents and staff member caught a beautiful sight over Mooresville Schools campuses on Thursday with a double rainbow appearing over the community. Mooresville Pioneers are truly a pot of (blue and) gold at the end of the rainbow!







#### **News Briefs**

**Enrollment Opening Soon:** Families bringing preschool, kindergarten, or out-of-district students to Mooresville Schools should mark their calendar for March 1. On that day, enrollment for all three programs will begin.

The **Little Pioneers Preschool Open House** will be Thursday, March 14, from 5:30-6:30p.m. at Neil Armstrong Elementary. Learn more on our <u>Little Pioneers Preschool webpage</u>.

Mooresville's **Kindergarten Fair** will be Thursday, May 2, from 5:30-7p.m. at Neil Armstrong Elementary. learn more on our <u>Preparing for Kindergarten</u> webpage. Many families choose Mooresville Schools from **Out of District**. Families of students wishing to enroll should visit our <u>Enrollment</u> webpage.



## **Pioneer Pete Youth Sports Day:** MHS is gearing up to host the first ever Pioneer Pete

Youth Sports Day, scheduled for President's Day,

Monday, Feb. 19, from 9a.m. to 2p.m. This event, designed for elementary students in grades 3-6, aims to introduce youngsters to a variety of

sports while fostering camaraderie and active lifestyles. Early registration is encouraged as spots are limited. Learn more on the MHS Athletics website.

**Community Information**: Nonprofit organizations in the Mooresville school district area which have activities for students may share fliers in the *Pioneer Blast*. Current fliers include:

Komets Soccer Spring Registration Ages 3-12
Girl Scouts It Takes Two Event Feb. 21
Mooresville Baseball and Softball 2024 Registration

## **Upcoming Events**

Feb. 15 - Neil Armstrong Skate Night 6p.m.

**Feb. 19 - District**President's Day - No School

**Feb. 20 - MHS/PHMS** Orchestra Italian Fest cafeteria 5:30p.m.

**Feb. 21- Newby**Sammy L. Davis Day 11a.m.

**Feb. 23- Waverly** Talent Show 6p.m.

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