JH/HS NEWSLETTER

#### Notes from Mr. Morris

- December 12-14, 2023. If you are a student who needs to retake a state test for graduation, you will receive a letter with testing dates/times in the next few weeks.
- There are major changes coming to the 2024-2025 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) that all 2024 graduates who plan to attend college will need to fill out. Typically the FAFSA opens October 1 of each year, but due to some changes the launch date will be at some point in December 2023. Please continue to watch for more information regarding the FAFSA.



# UPCOMING EVENTS

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#### JV/VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL

11/9 Covington (Scrimmage) AWAY

6pm

11/14 Mechanicsburg (Scrimmage)

HOME 6pm

11/18 Miami East (Scrimmage) AWAY

11/20 Wayne (Scrimmage) *AWAY* 

11/28 Bethel AWAY 6pm 11/30 Preble Shawnee AWAY 6pm

### JH GIRLS BASKETBALL

11/25 Ver<mark>sailles *AWAY* 9am 11/27 Preble Shawnee *AWAY* 5:30pm</mark>

## JV/VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL

11/11 St. Henry (Scrimmage) *HOME*10am
11/15 Springboro (Scrimmage) *AWAY* 

11/25 Bluffton (Scrimmage) *HOME* 10:30am

## School Calendar

11/2 Kona Ice Day
11/7 Green Monster Smoothie \$1
11/8 Early Release 1:15pm
11/10 Veterans Day Breakfast
11/14 Tropical Splash Smoothie \$1
11/22 - 11/24 Thanksgiving Vacation NO SCHOOL

11/28 Strawberry Banana Smoothie \$1

\*Please remember that any transportation changes must be in writing. They can be emailed to the secretaries: JH/HS: Melissa\_Davies@Tri-Village.k12.oh.us Elementary: Misty\_Brummett@Tri-Village.k12.oh.us

# HOMEGOWING MEEK BIGS

SOPHOMORES

CLASH
OF
CLASSES



**SENIORS** 

FRESHMAN

RESHMEN 202



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# **FALL SPORTS** WALL









LADY PATRIOTS WOAC HONORS



7th Grade Volleyball

WOAC RUNNER-UP











# FFA RECOGNITIONS AND HONORS

# The FFA Soils teams are Darke County Champs!

The Agricultural Soils team focuses on agronomical lands, emphasizing soil fertility, water quality and evaluating the lands capabilities for crops.

This team won Darke County by 328 points!

Individual Placings:

1st Macy Howell

2nd Americus Hirsch

4th Hunter Ridout

5th Josh Metzcar

6th Alexa Light

7th JJ Vocke

18th Landen Moore

20th Levi Farmer

23rd Makayla Allen

27th Evan Duncan

The Urban Soils team focuses on land used for urbanized living; septic system installations, buildings with basements, foundations, etc. This team won Darke County by almost 200 points!

Individual Placings:

1st Kiersten Wilcox

2nd Darcy Miller

4th Leana Metzcar

7th Lucas Howell

9th Grant Howell

10th Grant Leonard

## The FFA Soils Teams Compete at State Finals

Our teams travelled to Lancaster, OH to compete in the State Finals on 10/14/2023. This is the Top 50 teams in each division from across the state. (400 chapters in Ohio)

The Urban Team placed 11th overall lead by Lucas Howell (14th) and Kiersten Wilcox (36th). First year evaluator Leana Metzcar placed (91st) and Darcy Miller (102nd). There were 164 Urban contestants at the State Finals.

The Ag/Rural Team placed 28th. Macy Howell (49), Josh Metzcar (111), Hunter Ridout (121) and Alexa Light (156). There were 181 Ag/Rural contestants in the State Finals.

We will miss our seniors as Josh Metzcar is a 2 time State Qualifier. Kiersten Willcox and Macy Howell are 3 time State Qualifiers, both playing roles on Top 10 teams! But, we never rebuild, we just reload!

Soils Evaluators to watch in 2024: Urban: Lucas Howell, Leana Metzcar, Grant Howell, Grant Leonard, Darcy Miller

Ag/Rural: Alexa Light, Americus Hirsch, Hunter Ridout, JJ Vocke, Landen Moore

## National FFA Convention Recognition of the Highest Honor

The National FFA Convention is being held in Indianapolis, IN from Wednesday, Nov. 1 to Saturday, November 4th. We have over 20 students in attendance, with Mr. Slone, to represent the Tri-Village MVCTC FFA this year. Students will experience leadership and personal growth workshops hosted by National FFA Officers and Industry leaders; tour the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, attend the World's Toughest Rodeo; participate in business sessions of the National FFA Organization; and cap off the trip with the celebration and recognition of our 4 American Degree Recipients as they accept the HIGHEST achievement bestowed by the National FFA. Regarding this honor, we would like to congratulate Madison Crawford, Kate Gross, Luke Drew, and Ryan Stephan