

# Mountain View Middle School

*“Where Everybody is Somebody”*

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I cannot believe we have made it to May and are now on the final stretch of the 2025–2026 school year. Let’s continue to work hard and finish strong!

We would like to congratulate our MVMS Track Team as they head to the Conference Finals at Black Canyon on **Tuesday, May 5** and **Wednesday, May 6**. We are proud of their hard work and wish them the best of luck!

May 5 is a day that holds cultural significance for many. **Cinco de Mayo** commemorates the Mexican army’s victory over France on May 5, 1862. In the United States, it is a day to recognize and appreciate Mexican culture. Celebrations may include music, food, dancing, and learning about Mexican history and traditions. At Blackfoot School District, we encourage students to be respectful and use this as an opportunity to learn about and appreciate different cultures.

May 5 is also recognized as **Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women (MMIW) Awareness Day**. This day brings attention to Indigenous women who are missing or have been lost. Some individuals may wear a red handprint on their face to show support and honor loved ones. We ask students to be respectful of those who choose to participate. Some may wish to share their stories, while others may not.

We encourage you to take a few minutes to talk with your child about these important events. Learning about others helps us build understanding, kindness, and respect.

Please also mark your calendars for our **Mountain View Middle School Awards Ceremony on Thursday, May 14 at 9:30 a.m. in the MVMS Gym**. We look forward to celebrating our students’ accomplishments with you.

## Important Dates:

- **Tuesday, May 5** – Conference Track Meet at Black Canyon
- **Wednesday, May 6** – Conference Track Meet at Black Canyon
- **Thursday, May 7** – Honors 7th Grade Science Field Trip
- **Friday, May 8** – District In-Service Day (No Friday School)
- **Monday, May 11** – 7th Grade BYU-Idaho Campus Tour
- **Tuesday, May 12** – 8th Grade BYU-Idaho Campus Tour
- **Thursday, May 14** – MVMS Awards Ceremony, 9:30 a.m. (MVMS Gym)
- **Friday, May 15** – Friday School, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Thank you for your continued support of Mountain View Middle School. Please reach out if you have any questions or need anything—we are here to help.

Sincerely,

**Mountain View Middle School Administration**