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MCA is 8th in the State for ACT Scores!



The ACT is a standardized test recognized and used by most colleges in the United States for use in determining college admission selections. It covers mathematics, science, reading, and English, and also has an optional writing test. The test is required by the State of North Carolina for all high school juniors attending public schools.

On the most recent ACT, overall, Millennium Charter Academy <u>ranks 8th in the state</u> in the overall category on the most recent ACT. Only six charter schools and one district school system in all of North Carolina rank above us. In the reading portion of the test specifically, MCA <u>ranks 5th in the state</u>! In this section, we follow only three charter schools and one district school system.

ACT Overall Rankings

- 1. Raleigh Charter. 28.2
- 2. Woods Charter. 26.2
- 3. Research Triangle High School 25.9
- 4. Chapel Hill-Carrboro Schools 24.5
- 5. Pine Lake Preparatory 23.9
- 6. Grey Stone Day. 23.6
- 7. Lake Norman Charter. 23.3
- 8. Millennium Charter Academy. 22.9

Service Council Meets Goal at Blood Drive

The high school service council met its goal of 34 pints of blood at the annual October blood drive. The service council recruits and checks in donors, provides snacks, and helps with set up and clean up. Service council members are Evan Key, Max Oakley, Nataly McCrary, Evelyn Villasenor, Zach Wardle, Hemil Hira, Caleb Adams, and Miles Weatherman. The service council is sponsored by Mrs. Christie Speer.

Reading Score Rankings:

- 1. Raleigh Charter. 29.3
- 2. Woods Charter. 27.8
- 3. Research Triangle High School 26.9
- 4. Chapel Hill-Carrboro Schools. 25.5
- 5. Millennium Charter Academy 25.0



Seniors Braydon Legere, Zach Wardle, Caleb Adams, Hemil Hira, and Lanie Woodcock pose as they visit the drive to donate for the first time.

MPACT's Hot Dog Booth is Big Success!

The annual Autumn Leaves Festival hot dog booth, sponsored by MPACT, cleared \$7,840 in sales and received \$300 in donations! *That's over \$8,000 for our school!* MPACT will use every dime to put back into the school to make the educational experience for our students even better. Thank you to our MPACT board, parents, faculty, and staff that helped work the booth making this possible.





MCA Athletics Celebrates Senior Night for Fall Sports

For each of our three sports seasons, we annually celebrate the seniors who participate in MCA athletics. Senior night for our fall sports season was held recently with eleven seniors recognized. These outstanding young men and women have participated in athletics for their entire high school careers. Seniors **Jack Bevard, Matthew Lee, Caleb Adams, Braydon Legere, Emily Brooks**, and **Alayna Smith** have attended MCA since kindergarten. Please join us in congratulating our fall sports seniors!



Soccer team members celebrated at Senior Night are, left to right, JT Tucker (actually a junior but posing with his friends), Jack Bevard, Matthew Lee, Miles Weatherman, Zach Wardle, Caleb Adams, Seth Haithcock, Braydon Legere, Chase Watkins, Emily Brooks, and Alayna Smith.

At right, volleyball team member **Caroline Reid** was the only senior on the volleyball team. Here, flanked by her parents, Dale and Tonya Reid, Coach Angie Cullen presents Caroline with a team ball.



Historic Win for Middle School Volleyball Team

Congratulations to our middle school volleyball team for winning the Central Carolina Conference Volleyball Championship! Our Lady Lions defeated Phoenix Academy 2-0 with an incredible performance by both teams to claim the title. The championship capped off the most successful season in the program's history. The Lady Lions went undefeated in conference games, and ended the season with a conference record of 12-0 and a season record of 17-1. Back row: Isabella Allen, Anna Edwards, Carly Edwards, Kadyn Sostaita; Middle row: Coach Maria Kern, Camryn Seagraves, Brianna Horne, Natalie Cockerham, Ava Thomason, Karlee Bryant; Front: team captains Clara Minix and Addisen Key; not pictured: Stella Blue Nester