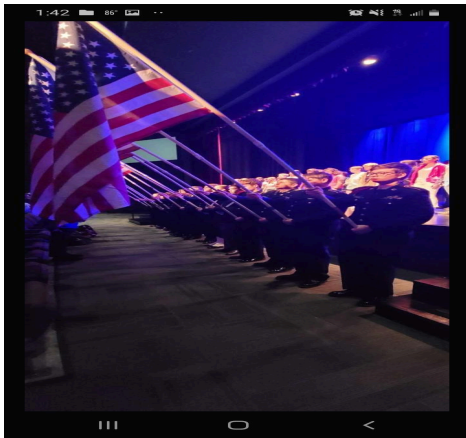


SEPTEMBER JROTC NEWS LETTER

FOOTBALL GAMES

The JROTC presents the colors at the school pep rallies and at the home football games. All home football games start around 1900 and the color guard normally present 15 minutes earlier. Our main cadets for color guard will consist of Cadets McDonald, Canaan Moore, Katie Moore, Burton, and Pulliam. The cadets doing cannon detail are Myers, Cheek, Testerman and Ball. On September 15th JROTC Color Guard will lead the Football Homecoming parade in Anderson, Mo.



9/11

This year marks the 20th anniversary of the tragic event that happened on September 11th, 2001. The McDonald county JROTC Mustang Battalion has assembled a remembrance for 9/11. On September 10th in the PAC for a 9/11 performance by Drama starting at 0945 and again for a second time starting at 1345. On September 11th the school will open to the public for a moment of silence in the big gym and we will have The Expo Center joining us. The JROTC Mustang Battalion will present the colors.

CHRIS MARION DAY

Christopher Marion is the son of Velma and Walter Wood, and the late Roy Marion. Christopher graduated in 2005, followed his dream of serving his country and enlisted in the United States Army in Kansas City. He deployed to Afghanistan where he was killed in action, defending his country's freedom. Christopher Marion will always be remembered and we will continue to pay tribute for his sacrifice. The day that we will be honoring Chris Marion is October 9th at the Jane Cemetery starting at 0730.

PAST GRADUATES

As seen in the image on the right, during the summer Major Griffiths was able to reconnect with Zachary Grunwald and Bryce Westgate. Grunwald is being promoted to Captain. Grunwald is a 4 year JROTC student who received a 3 year ROTC scholarship and he graduated from Missouri State, Springfield and is on his way to Fort Huachuca for his Advanced Course in Military Intelligence. Westgate was also a four year JROTC student and was just promoted to Sergeant and is on his way to his new duty station at Fort Campbell, KY.

