



Mattoon JROTC September 2021 Newsletter



Recent Events and Accomplishments

Not pictured---MHS cadets also volunteered at the Franklin School fun day, the MHS Covid-19 vaccine clinic, Bagelfest, and the Coles County fair.



Isabel Spear presents \$689 check, earned at fundraising JROTC car wash, wash---08/14/2021



Cadets Connor Pickering and Elyse Jenkins at JROTC car wash



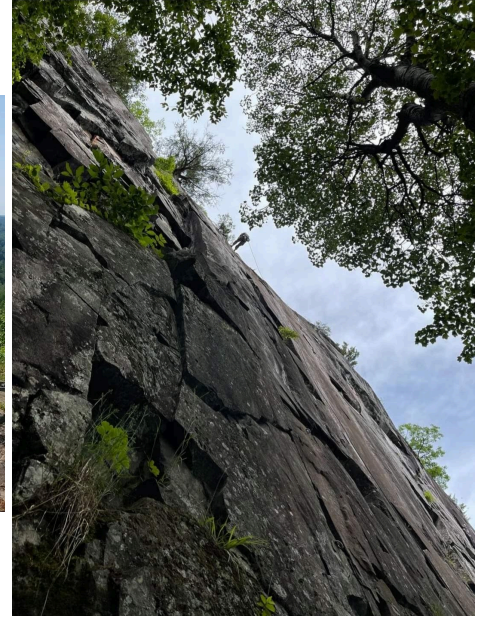
Relay for Life---08/21/2021
Cadets Raygen Drennan, Connor Pickering, Isabel Spear, and Milla Day, Helton present colors at Run For Fallen and Relay for Life ---08/21/2021



Drill Team, Rifle Team, and Color Guard compete at Illinois State Fair on Veterans and Gold Star Families receiving third place. Isabel Spear was presented the Award for Leadership---08/15/2021

Memories of JCLC 2021

Cadets Mathew Beals, Trendan Campbell, Brenna Drumm, Milla Helton, Anthony Lunsford, Conner Pickering, Noah Rardin, Hope Ratliff, AJ Reeley, Mikey Reynolds, Isaac Smith-Wright, Isabel Spear, Mac Spears attended Keweena JCLC in Calmet, Michigan. MHS cadets won third place in both the Drill Competition and the One-Rope Bridge Competition. Isabel Spear received the 5th Platoon Leadership Award.

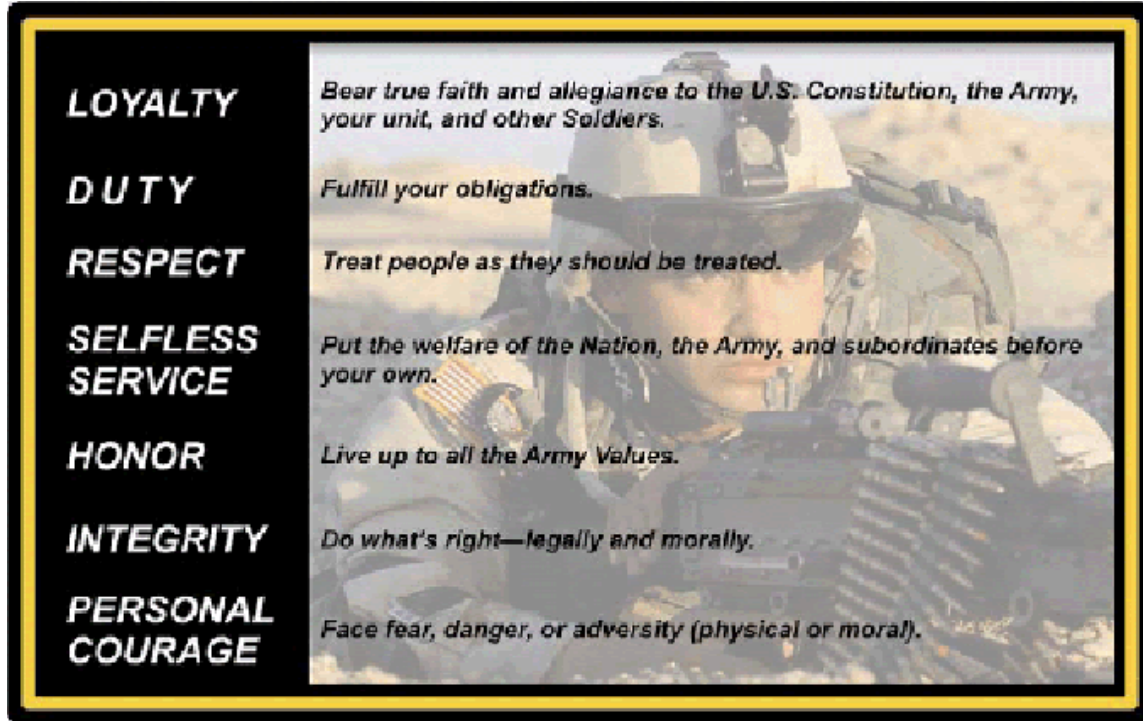


Upcoming Events

- Color Guards, Push-up Detail, and trash pickup at EIU for football games
 - (September 3rd, 10th, and 24th, and October 8th)
- Flag set-up at Peterson Park (after school on September 10th)
 - Then, bus to EIU at 5:30 PM
- 9/11 Memorial Service at Peterson Park (8:59 AM, September 11th)
- Flag take-down (September 12th, after school, at Peterson Park)
- CHI picnic set-up (September 17th, 3-7 PM)
- CHI picnic (September 18th, 8 AM - 5 PM)
- HOMECOMING Parade & Broadway Bolt, (Wednesday, September 22nd)
 - Parade (5:30 PM)
 - Broadway Bolt (3 mile run) (run in OCP uniform!)
- Green and Gold Day Community Service Day (Friday, September 24th)
- Homecoming Dance (Saturday, September 25th)
- Coles County Clash (October 4th)

- Rifle Team practices (Mon-Wed 15:30-18:00)
- Raiders practices (Mon-Wed 15:30-17:30 & Tue-Thur 07:00-08:00)
- Archery practices (Tue-Wed 07:00-08:00 & Thur 15:30-18:00)
- Drill Team practices (Tue-Thur 15:30-16:30)
- Mil Ball Comitee meetings (Tue 16:30-17:15)
- Command and Staff meetings (TBD)

- Parents Meetings (August 30th, 1st Monday of the month---4th Oct, 1st Nov, 6th Dec)



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JROTC CREED

I am an Army Junior ROTC Cadet

I will always conduct myself to bring credit to my family, country, school, and the Corps of Cadets

I am loyal and patriotic

I am the future of the United States of America

I do not lie, cheat, or steal and will always be accountable for my actions and deeds

I will always practice good citizenship and patriotism

I will work hard to improve my mind and strengthen my body

I will seek the mantle of leadership and stand prepared to uphold the Constitution and the American way of life

May God grant me the strength to always live by this creed