

MMS Times

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"That all Our Youth may have a Broader and Richer Personal Life."

The History of MMS (Part 2 of 4)
By: Allen Garitson

"Religion and Education are the Safeguards of Our Nation"



This is a continuation of the previous issue. Each issue will be dedicated to a piece of the history of MMS. The first issue focused on the beginning, which was the previous high school. This issue focuses on when MMS was the freshman building.

Middletown Board of Education and Lemon Township Board of Education merged to form one school district. The consolidation of Middletown and Monroe City Schools took place during the 1955-1956 school year. From 1969-1981 all freshman students from Middletown and Monroe attended the Freshman Building. At the end of the 1980-1981 school year, Middletown and Monroe divided districts and students went to their respective schools. The building then became Vail Middle School housing seventh and eighth grade students from the Middletown School District.



The seventh and eighth graders played a friendly volleyball game on Friday, December 22, 2017. The eighth graders were the victors!

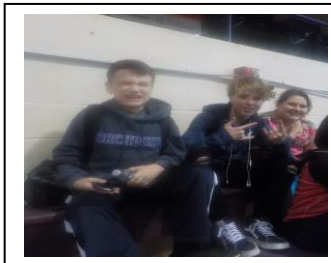


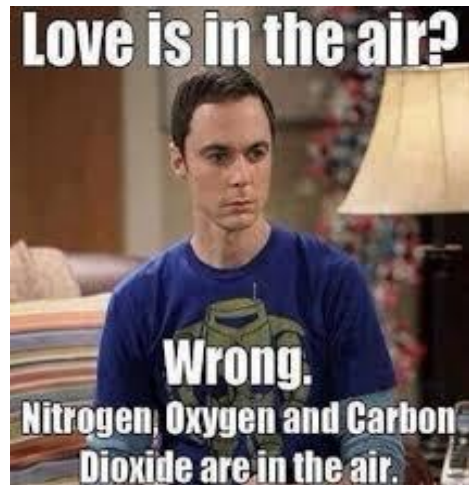
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10 Ways to Make Someone Smile:)
By Makenna Tindal

1. Send nice notes to people :)
2. Hold the door open for someone :)
3. Tell someone how he or she inspired you :)
4. Share a memory with someone you don't talk to anymore :)
5. Talk to someone new :)
6. Ask for someone's opinion :)
7. Ask someone if they need help :)
8. Tell a random person hello :)
9. Compliment someone :)
10. Just be nice:)



*Top 10 Video Games of All Time
According to Google*

1. *The Legend of Zelda*
2. *Super Smash Bros Brawl*
3. *Minecraft*
4. *Skyrim*
5. *Grand Theft Auto San Andreas*
6. *Super Mario 64*
7. *Red Dead Redemption*
8. *Grand Theft Auto 5*
9. *Super Mario Bros*
10. *Halo 3*

**INTERVIEWS ABOUT
MMS/VAIL/VERITY**

BY: Emily Goers, and Anna Marie Yanez

Here at MMS, memories are made every day. In this article, we asked former students about some of their memories. This what they had to say:

One of the people we interviewed was Kylie Brooker. We asked her eleven questions about Vail, here is her response:

Q: What year(s) were you at Vail/MMS?

A: **2007-2009**

Q: What grades did you go to Vail/MMS?

A: **6, 7, 8**

Q: Did you enjoy your time at Vail/MMS?

A: **Mostly**

Q: What extracurricular classes did you take?

A: **Basketball, student council, Purple Pride**

Q: Who was your favorite teacher?

A: **Mrs. Rose**

Q: How was the food when you went there?

A: **Terrible**

Q: What is your most memorable moment at Vail/MMS?

A: **The talent show and the musical**

Q: Any tips for students in middle school?

A: **Make the most of your time in this building.**

Q: Do you miss going to Vail/MMS?

A: **No**

Q: Has anything changed since the time you were there?

A: **They took out 6th grade.**

Q: How do you feel about it being torn down?

A: **I don't think it should be. It's a piece of history to this city.**

**GOOD HABITS
FORMED AT YOUTH
MAKE ALL
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Another person we had interviewed was Cody. We asked him the same questions and here are his responses.

Q: What year(s) were you at Vail?

A: 2004, 2005

Q: What grades did you attend Vail?

A: Seventh and eighth grade

Q: Did you enjoy your time at Vail?

A: Somewhat

Q: What extracurricular activities did you participate in?

A: Football, wrestling, track

Q: Who was your favorite teacher?

A: I didn't have one.

Q: How was the food when you went there?

A: I enjoyed the school pizza.

Q: What is your most memorable moment at Vail?

A: When I first walked into the building, I couldn't get believe how big it was!

Q: Any tips for students in middle school?

A: Stay focused and work hard it will make a difference!

Q: Do you miss going to Vail?

A: No.

Q: Has anything changed since the time you were at Vail?

A: It became a joint school between Vail and Verity. I think that was a smart move.

Q: How do you feel about the building being torn down?

A: Sad but I understand why. It is time.



December
Students of the
Month

Favorite Smells

By Samantha



hot chocolate
leather
forests in autumn
freshly peeled clementines
odor of coffee
freshly cut grass
lemon tree flowers
the warm tumbling scent of clean
clothes
roasted nuts
the smell of coconut and monoi
the smell of marshmallow
smell of violet
cherry
popcorn
bacon
log fires
freshly washed clothes
a real Christmas tree
fresh flowers
cakes baking in the oven

Did You Know?

HATE has 4 letters, but so does LOVE

ENEMIES has 7 letters, but so does

FRIENDS...

LYING has 5 letters, but so does

TRUTH...

HURT has 4 letters, but so does
















HEAL...

***Transform every negative energy into an
aura of positivity...***

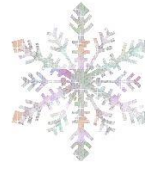
***It's your perception that makes the
difference in the way you feel.***

Top 15 Healthiest Foods

By Barry Bekemeier

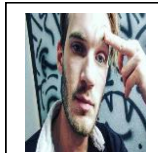
1. Almonds 
2. Brazil Nuts 
3. Lentils 
4. Oatmeal 
5. Wheat germ 
6. Broccoli 
7. Apples 
8. Kale 
9. Blueberries 
10. Avocados 
11. Leafy green veggies 
12. Sweet potatoes 
13. Oily fish 
14. Chicken 
15. Eggs 

Did you think to do these 10 things over winter break?



By Makenna Tindal

1. Did you bake delicious cookies?
2. Volunteer (or just help someone out)?
3. Hang out with your friends?
4. Spend quality time with your family?
5. Drink hot cocoa?
6. Get cozy and watch a movie?
7. Have a lazy day?
8. Make homemade candy?
9. Go shopping?
10. Lastly, did you make it the best winter break ever?:)



Pew Die Pie



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Smash



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Do You Know These YouTubers?



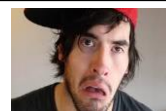
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Fernanfloo

Do everything you can to earn PBIS points and to earn great prizes!



Not all fingers are the same in length but when they are bent, they all stand equal. Life becomes easy when we bend and adjust to our situations.