

Check the school website www.schools.bvsvd.org/monarchhigh/
Summer office hours will be 8:00am-4:00pm M-Th

SUMMER PREPARATION:

REGISTRATION/CHECK IN

Packets will NOT BE SENT BY MAIL this year. Instead, they will be available to **download and print** on the MHS website or as prepared packets for pick up in the school office after July 1st. Take time to go over materials in your packets prior to check-in. Email mohiparent1@gmail.com with any questions.

- 9th gr. Check-In: Wednesday, **August 4th 8-11:30 a.m.** (may deliver to office if unable to attend)
 - Fill out all paperwork and write your checks ahead of time
 - Counselors will be **adjusting class schedules** during these days if serious concerns arise.
 - **Yearbook photos are taken at check-in** - this photo is also used for student ID/Activity pass. If you are unable to take pictures at this time, bring your fees receipt showing purchase of the activities pass to any home sports events to get in without paying admission. Photo make ups are August 27th, 7:30am-2:00pm @ MHS

SPORTS/ACTIVITIES:

- Many activities, such as sports, begin practicing prior to the first day of school. Check on the school website or with your child's coach for practice schedules.
- The first official practice : Fall Sports is **August 16th** (men's golf is earlier)
- Athletic packets must be filled out once a year. Packets for 2010-11 are available in the athletic office or online after August 1st. **Forms, fees and physicals must be turned back in before the first day of practice**, preferably at Check-In August 4th or 5th or from August 9th-16th.
 - **Students must have physicals before tryouts, so schedule school physicals now.**

IMPORTANT DATES:

NEW STUDENT AND PARENT ORIENTATION/SOCIAL: Thursday August 12th, 7-8:30pm MHS. Parents and students new to the school are encourage to attend! Principal Anderson, MoHi 360 Parent and Student Leaders, Monarch PTSO (Parent, Teacher, Student Organization) and Freshman Seminar Coordinators will greet and prep you, answer questions, and lead tours. (Watch for postcard this summer).

FRESHMAN FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL: Tuesday, August 17th from 7:30 am - 3:00 pm. Freshman only attend school and meet with MoHi 360 Student Leaders. Buses run as regularly scheduled. Pizza lunch will be available for purchase. Please do not bring supplies on the first day. Students won't know what supplies are needed until the first several days of school. Your teen will receive information about this day from their 360 Student Leader through a phone call several days before school starts.

CLUB MO – Friday, August 20th, 8-11pm @ MHS (nominal cost) - First School dance sponsored by the Student Council. Students will need a photo ID for admission.

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT: Tuesday, August 31st, 6:00-8:30pm. This is for Parents, but students may come. Meet in the main gym at 6:00 for a short introduction and then go on brief classroom visits following your teen's class schedule. Bells will ring every 10 minutes to dismiss you for your next class. This is your opportunity to get familiar your child's schedule and meet his or her teachers. Important insights about class expectations and grading rubric are available here. This is not a time to conference with teachers.

PTSO KICK-OFF: Thursday, September 9, 6:30-8pm. Come hear about the exciting NEW Parent, Teacher, Student Organization supporting Monarch HS vision of a connected community working for the best learning environment for each student at Monarch. www.monarchptso.org/

COUNSELORS' FRESHMAN PARENT NIGHT: Wed, September 16, 7:00pm. This is for Parents, but students are welcome. Meet with Counselors and receive an overview of curriculum pathways, BVSD requirements for high school and post-secondary planning. Presentation held in the auditorium.

HOMECOMING WEEKEND Football Game Thursday, **September 23rd at 7:00pm** Followed by the Homecoming Dance Saturday, **September 25th from 8-11pm @ MHS.**

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES: Dates in October TBD. Most conferences are held in the gyms. Teachers are assigned tables and grouped by content areas (Math, LA, etc). Maps and schedules are provided when you arrive. You do not need to visit teachers in any particular order and are asked to keep conferences to 5 minutes per teacher. If you feel that you need more time, please contact that teacher to make arrangements outside of conference time.

Counselors and the last name alphabets they serve:

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