

# DRAGON TALES

The latest news and updates from Mangham Jr. High



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- 9-4 LABOR DAY NO SCHOOL
- 9-5 MJH @ MADISON (5:30)
- 9-12 MJH VS RAYVILLE (5:30)
- 9-19 MJH VS CROWVILLE (5:30)
- 9-21 AGILE MIND MATH NIGHT
- 9-22 END OF 6 WEEKS
- 9-26 MJH @ CALDWELL (5:30)
- 9-28 MJH VS DCS (5:30)
- 9-29 PARENT CONFERENCES  
NO STUDENTS

We had a great turnout for our MJH Back To School Night. Thank you to everyone who attended. We enjoyed getting to meet some of the parents of our students. We hope you gained a little insight into the expectations of your child this school year.

## Teacher Insider

Edited by:  
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**MELISSA COENEN**

Our Teacher Insider today is about Mrs. Coenen. She is married to her husband Brad Coenen and was blessed with 4 children - 3 of which attend Mangham schools! Her four children include Merritt, Remi, Thad, and Bella that range from a college student at the University of Louisiana Monroe to a second grader at Mangham Elementary. She has been teaching for 8 years and this would be her ninth year teaching middle school ELA. Mrs. Coenen received a bachelor's degree and master's degree through Grand Canyon University and Louisiana State University. Mrs. Coenen's hobbies include traveling, swimming, and gardening; as well as fishing, hunting, and trips to the beach! She would like you to know that she is no stranger to the Mangham community even though it is her first year teaching at Mangham. She has been a part of the community for over twenty years. She is excited to finally be teaching the people of her community after so many years of teaching at other schools. That's this week's insider on Mrs. Coenen. Don't forget to come back next progress report to find out more about the Mangham staff!

Agile Mind Math Night.. They want us to do math work?

No way! We do want to share our math success with you though. Our Math LEAP test scores improved tremendously last year. Students who scored Mastery and Advanced increased by 12%!!! Want to know HOW that happened? Come to Agile Math Night!

## Reminders

- Cell Phones:** Phones should be placed in the hanging pouches at the beginning of the school day. They are returned every day at 3:00.
- Dress Code:** There are no holes allowed in jeans unless there are lettings underneath. Skin should not be showing. Leggings are not to be worn unless under a dress or jeans with holes. No compression shorts. Shorts, dresses, and skirts must NOT be shorter than 2' above the knee.

# CLUB NEWS

**BETA:** BETA is excited to start at new school year. Be on the lookout for BETA invitations to come home soon.  
Sponsor: Mrs. Harrison

**4-H:** Applications are available now for students interested in joining. If students would like to join 4-H, there is a \$20 fee. Money and applications are due **September 30, 2023**.

Sponsor: Mrs. Duckworth

**Book:** We will have a book club this year that will also meet on club days. Students interested in joining book club will receive information soon with details and requirements.

8/24  
9/5  
9/12  
9/19  
9/26  
9/28  
10/3

**What: Academic Pep Rally**  
**When: October 3rd**  
**Where: MJH Gym**  
**How: Let the Learning Rise Higher!**

At MJH we have an academic pep rally to celebrate the accomplishments of our students at the end of each six weeks. Participation in games depends on the following: Honor Roll, Banner Roll, Honorable Mention, Accelerated Reader Points, DOJO class points, IXL Growth for ELA & Math.

Parents are welcome to come!

# SPORTS NEWS

Come out and support our MJH Dragons this season! We would love to see full stands supporting our football players and cheerleaders.



## Football

### Mangham Junior High School 2023 Football Schedule

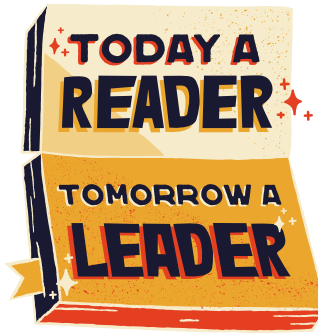
MLK Jamboree@Wossman HS	(A) 5:30
Madison Parish	(A) 5:30
Rayville	(H) 5:30
Crowville	(H) 5:30
Caldwell	(A) 5:30
DCS	(H) 5:30
Oak Grove	(H) 5:30

## Cheer News

Congratulations to the 2023-2024 MJH Cheerleaders!

- Addie Barmore
- Addisyn Duckworth
- Bailey Sebren
- Emmalyn Hardie
- Kami Spencer
- Kasi Spencer
- Kayleigh Johnson
- Kaylynn Natt
- Kinsley Fleming
- Laney Calhoun
- Maddie Henderson
- Mia Cazares
- Taylor Glass

Captain: Kami Spencer  
Captain: Kayleigh Johnson



LEAD - Students spend 30 minutes of their ELA time with a faculty member building their literacy. Our goal is for each student at MJH to be a fluent, on-grade level reader. This LEAD time will not only improve their reading abilities, but will help them be their best across all content areas! Please encourage your child to take it seriously and always be their best.

