

MCS IS Family Highlight





Mrs. Hupp and family recently relocated to Pollock Pines California.

"We felt that the Lord was calling us to minister at a church in a small town in the Sierra Nevada mountains."

"We are on an amazing adventure. We get to serve the Lord and the local church in a beautiful place! In our free time we are hiking and exploring God's wonderful creation."

Rebekah, Phoebe, and Caleb are all attending school full time. They are making friends and adjusting, but we miss our family at MCS. They are learning how to be lights for Jesus in their community and school.

"I certainly miss all my students at MCS. I am hoping your school year is going well and you continue to love learning science!"



THE HUPP FAMILY

Pollock Pines,
California



Congratulations!

Joel Golias

National Merit Scholarship
Semifinalist



Last fall, Joel took the PSAT/NMSQT. This test is used as an initial screen for more than 1.6 million entrants to the 2018 National Merit Scholarship Program. Because of his Selection Index score, Joel was notified in September 2017 that he had been designated as a National Merit Semifinalist—one of about 16,000 in the United States. In order to advance to Finalist status, Joel had to complete an application, take another SAT, and fulfill some other requirements. He will be notified by mid-February if he has been chosen as a Finalist.



Joel keeps extremely busy playing soccer, drumming for Berean's youth group worship team, singing and playing percussion in Image, serving as the treasurer for National Honor Society, and being a captain on the Academic Challenge team at MCS. He plans on continuing to be a tutor at KidZone (Prospect School) and in the spring he will play baseball.

As far as the future is concerned, Joel would like to study Mechanical Engineering at Ohio State. He is also considering the Universities of Cincinnati and Akron. His desire is to use his talents and abilities to serve wherever the Lord leads him.



The Trumpowers

Congratulations Carolina for making it to the State Cross Country Meet!

The Trumpowers are dedicated to running and swimming. This past summer they were busy with Junior Olympics and GMAC's (Greater Mansfield Aquatic Conference). Here are a few of their highlights.

Carolina, Brienne, Grantham and Mirielle competed in the AAU National Junior Olympics this past summer. Carolina came in sixth in the 1500 and 14th in the 800. She also received bronze at the USA Triathlon Youth National Championships. Brienne also came in sixth in the 1500. She won three GMAC events and holds five Clearfork Pool records. Grantham took sixth place in the 800 and second in the 1500! He went 35-0 during the GMAC swim season and set three Clearfork records. Mirielle finished as the national runner up in the 800 and won the 1500 with one of the fastest 8-under girls time! She won five events at GMAC and broke a couple longstanding records at Clearfork.

Evan finished his first MCS Jr. High season as conference champ in cross country, swimming, and track and field. He holds the MCS Jr. High record for cross country, for track in the 800, 1600 and 4x400 relay and for swimming in 50 breast. Evan also holds five Clear Fork pool records and has been a finalist for the Ohio Jr. Olympics swimming



Thank you for signing up for the Dollars and Sense program with Modern Woodmen of America. As of November, we were able to use the initial monies for cards for servicemen who are overseas. During the October Friday class, the kids signed the 60 cards that were purchased. We also bought games for indoor recess... UNO, Apples to Apples, Trouble, Sorry, Guess Who?, Jenga and Dominoes and more. Now Independent Studies has their own games! During the November Friday class, the kids packed Operation Christmas Child boxes. Some of the money was used to buy extras for the boxes and the \$9 for processing and shipping.

