

I used to be on the football team, and now I'm a manager because of my injury, but it still feels like **FAMILY** because we have a lot of communication. I'm sad I can no longer play with them, but I'm still on the sidelines helping and supporting them as much as I can.

**Jesus Cardoso**  
Ashleigh Carlton  
Jett Carson  
Angela Cashaw  
Adrien Castillo  
Isaac Castillo  
Alexis Castillo Gamez

In football I got knocked out with a concussion and was in the hospital for a few days. The first thing I woke up to was my **TEAM** there to support me.

Angelina Cazar  
Isatou Cham  
**Jack Chilton**  
Andrew Chin  
Danny Chinchilla Natareno  
Sara Chmielewski  
Soo Chun

The 3-D printer, we were missing a pulley for **ENGINEERING**, and we were able to print it, so we were able to do something that wasn't previously possible. So having a printer opened up the door for many possibilities.

Kelsey Clark  
Avery Clausen  
Alyssa Clay  
Yasmine Cole  
Audrey Colley Evans  
**Stephen Colwell**  
Marlon Isaac Contreras Lagos

We are **PASSIONATE** about our sports and clubs. I like how we come together as a school to represent our colors. We have more traditions than other schools. Not many schools take traditions seriously, but we bring them back each year and embrace them.

**Alexandra Cook-Rothwell**  
Andrew Corona  
Megan Corpus  
Tanya Correa  
Paula Cortez  
Lauren Cram  
Lacie Crawford

The Marquettes are the best part of the **PEP RALLIES**. They keep the crowd on their feet, and everyone likes watching them. No one really cares about the sports teams announcements or the cheerleaders, but when the Marquettes come out, people pay attention.

**Sage Crawford**  
Draven Crowley  
Kalie Currin  
Dominic Daniels  
Robert Davila  
Logan Davis  
Rodrigo De La Cruz

The sense of **COMMUNITY** everyone knows each other. Everyone's attitude is actually rather friendly, people show who they are. In my dance class we are like a small family. We have fun while we learn. This has changed my perspective that high school was all big and scary, but it really isn't.

Jesus De Leon  
Nicholas Defelice  
Elizabeth Delara  
**Esmirna Diaz**  
Luis Diaz  
Cristian Diaz Patino  
Andrea Dietz

Everyone here is pretty chill. They get along. There's not many cliques. There isn't really an established preppy clique. Everyone ends up being more **ACCEPTED**.

Matthew Dietz  
Berenice Diosdado  
Keagen Dotter  
**Austin Douglas**  
David Dow  
Morgan Drane  
Addison Duhon

I thought art would be good for me because I want to be a game designer. **ART 2 3-D** is the only elective that I don't blow off since we do something new every day, and it's a topic that is interesting to me. This class helps me put depth into everything that I do.

Brock Dulaney  
Maria Duque  
**Carl Eberhart**  
Megan Edestrand  
Herman Elis  
Korbi Ellmaier  
Claire Embry



## HIGH FLYER Drone takes broadcasting, aviation to new heights

Since he was 10-years-old, junior Sam Turner has had his head in the clouds. His passion for mechanics and aviation earned him the spot as the only drone operator for MHS1 who bought the drone for aerial shots.

"When I was a kid I would play with remote control toys like remote control cars and stuff," Sam said. "I've always wanted to be a pilot and do stuff with aviation, so when I got the opportunity to fly the drone I jumped on it because it would be cool, and I would be the only one that got to do it."

The only football game that he recorded with the drone was the Crosstown Showdown. Stadium officials said the student-operated drone with an attached GoPro camera could not fly over the stands or field during the game even with a teacher present.

"That's all we could get because they limited what we could do," Sam said. "There are certain FAA regulations where you can't fly over a certain number of people. North had a drone and flew it over the stands, but the people at Ron Poe were like 'no you can't,' so we had to fly it outside of the stadium."

Flying the drone above large groups of people was stressful. "At first people freaked out because the drone was really loud, but they just ignored it eventually," Sam said. "It was fun, and I got a really cool shot, but it was scary at the same time 'cause I really don't want to drop the drone and kill somebody."

The drone had a monitor view on the remote, but it still connected to a satellite, which made it more difficult to fly indoors.

"I flew it around the pep rally one time," Sam said. "That was scary because it was inside so it couldn't calibrate correctly so it was really hard to fly."

So far, Sam has only crashed the drone once. "I went forward in the hallway and spun it around," Sam said. "I didn't know which way was forward and which way was backwards and it crashed into a railing. It's directional. The front of it has green lights and the back of it has red lights. It hit one of the propellers so I just took it apart and fixed it."

To practice flying the drone, he flew it around different places and recorded marching band practices.

"I flew it around my house once and it was pretty scary. It went over my stairs and I almost crashed it," Sam said. "I went out to the band parking lot and practiced flying it a lot. The band liked me recording their marching practices because I was able to show them what they did wrong so they could be better before competitions."

Sam hopes to work more with the drone next year. "I haven't really done that much with the drone yet," Sam said. "It's a compliment they chose me to be the only one out of 2,000 people in the school to be able to fly it. It will be me until I graduate, but I'll have to teach somebody to fly it for once I leave."

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