



Tornado Times
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The contents of the Tornado Times are intended to inform Malden High School students and staff as well as the greater Malden High School community. If you would like to add something please submit the contents to Principal Dana F. Brown, dbrown@maldenps.org. Stories, pictures, reminders, club, activity, and class notes are all welcome.

Malden High School Vision Statement

The Malden High School community believes in the potential of all students to learn, to grow, and to become active, conscientious participants in the 21st century global society. We believe that students learn most effectively in a safe, respectful environment that encourages diverse viewpoints, promotes critical thinking and perseverance, and establishes rigorous standards for all. We honor the diverse nature of our community, promote social awareness and community involvement, and strive to meet the needs of all students through innovative methods and continual professional development. We are committed to ensuring that Malden High School graduates are thoughtful, independent, purpose-driven, lifelong learners. We seek to equip all students with the skills and habits necessary to successfully navigate and contribute to our ever-changing world.

Good morning,

The next two weeks:

12763	Monday, May 11, 2015	ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS
234567	Tuesday, May 12, 2015	ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS Freshmen Assembly, Periods 5,6 New Teacher INDUCTION PROGRAM , ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS
123456	Wednesday, May 13, 2015	PARCC testing for freshmen, ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS
456712	Thursday, May 14, 2015	PARCC testing for freshmen, ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS, Spring Drama Showcase Class of 2017 Car Wash, Spring Drama Showcase
345671	Friday, May 15, 2015	Late-entry
xxxxxxxxx	Saturday, May 16, 2015	Math MCAS, Session 1
3172	Monday, May 18, 2015	Math MCAS, Session 2, 4th Quarter attendance closes for seniors, Spring Band Concert
234	Tuesday, May 19, 2015	Final Exams 2,4,1 for seniors, 4th quarter grading folders open for seniors
7516	Wednesday, May 20, 2015	Final Exams 6,7 for seniors, MEMORIAL DAY ASSEMBLY, 1:30 pm Memorial Day, No School
Mixed- 724153	Thursday, May 21, 2015	
671234	Friday, May 22, 2015	
xxxxxxxxx	Monday, May 25, 2015	

Student, staff, and event notes:



...**JUST A BUNCH OF STUFF**: An evening of student-written and student-directed plays! **The show dates and times are**

May 15th and 16 @ 7:00 p.m. and Tickets are \$5 at the door.

This is a full evening of theater showcasing the work of student actors, directors, writers, and designers.

Student written shows include: Family Portrait by Sebastian Patino, Dramatically Correct by Meghan Brown, Freefall sponsored by Doritos by Jilian Molokwu, 8 ways of looking at a Hot Dog by Tenzin Tseyang, and Este Adiós No Es Para Siempre written and performed in Spanish by Kamila Regelado, Brayan Angulo and Richard Melgar. Two others plays will be performed as well: The Red Coat by Jonathan Patrick Shanley and The Dinosaurs have a Request by local playwright Walt McGough. The evening will also include a series of scenes performed by graduating seniors.

The show dates and times are May 15th and 16 @ 7:00 p.m. and Tickets are \$5 at the door.

Hope to see you there.

Sean Walsh

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Congratulations to all 9th grade US History I classes for their successful participation in Generation Civics Day. Each class was represented by 2-3 class members at the State House to share their action civics project with decision makers. The students all met with Mayor Christenson, as well as many other members of the Malden and Greater Boston community, making valuable contacts as they continue to implement their projects.

Special congratulations to all ninth grade history teachers: Damian Aufiero, Michelle Filer, Ellsworth Fersch, Jon Copithorne, and Rebecca Corcoran. Jon Copithorne's Period 4 class received special recognition for being one of the biggest changemaker classes in the entire Greater Boston area for their work around Equal Pay for Equal Work.

Greg Hurley

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Malden High School



Congratulations to the Class of 2018 for a fun-filled and profitable car wash on Saturday. Advisors Abbey Dick and Kate Haskell had a raucous and enthusiastic group of more than 30 freshmen on hand for the day! Thank you to all of the staff and community supporters who came by for a wash!

Year Up will be coming to speak to interested seniors or juniors a week from Monday, on 5/11, at 10:45am in B337.

They have a focus on finance/technology career opportunities.

Here is a link to what they offer:

<http://www.yearup.org/>

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks!

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Hello MHS!



The crew team is hosting their fifth annual **Moose on the Malden Regatta**. This is the largest event that happens on the Malden River. This year, 12 teams from the New England area are competing in races from 10:00am - 6:00pm on **Sunday, May 17th**. We will be racing on the section of river behind the Comcast building on Commercial street (300 Commercial Street). There are nearby parking lots that will be marked for regatta parking. The students on the team would love to see you if you have a chance to stop by any time between 10:00 and 6:00. The weather will hopefully be sunny for Sunday and there will be concessions and t-shirts sold, so a great outdoor activity for you and your family. This is everyone's favorite race every year.

Malden will race in 14 races between 10 and 4, and then grand finals and petite finals will follow.

We would like everyone to **wear their crew t-shirts on Friday, the 15th** to show support and help advertise for the event that weekend if you have one. If anyone is interested in volunteering and helping out at the regatta, we are looking for anyone that is comfortable riding in a motorboat (not driving) and running the stop watch on their cell phone. Ms. Diaz did it last year and had a great time! Please let us know if you have a few hours any time between 9am and 7pm... You'll get a great tan!!

Thank you and we hope to see you **Sunday the 17th**,

Shauna Campbell

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Malden High School

Science Department

Asst. Crew Coach

Tornado Travelers Advisor

<http://tornadotravelers.wikispaces.com>

Leslie Razzino Scholarship-at the request of the Razzino family we will not be hosting the annual Laps for Leslie Walk. In lieu of a walk there is a donation jar in the athletic office. Anyone who donates gets a

bracelet. Donations can also be sent directly to the MTFCU, in care of the Razzino Scholarship.

On behalf of the Razzino family thank you for your continued support.

As you may or may not know, the Varsity Boys Soccer team won the Greater Boston League Championship this year and had an excellent post-season. As a memento for their excellent achievement, we are looking to reward them with some sort of honor by way of an athletic sweatshirt or jacket and are trying to raise the funds to afford them.

With that in mind, we are selling "I Support" stickers. They are 3"x3" emblem that you can place anywhere. They are only \$3.00 and that can go a long way as we look to outfit 20-plus players.

If you would like to assist us in raising these funds and at the same time show off your support for MHS athletics, please consider buying one of our stickers and showing it off! Contact me and I'll be sure to have a player see you so you can get yours!

As always, I and the team thank you and appreciate your support ...
Coach Jeremiah Smith and the Varsity Boys Soccer Team



IT'S OUR DAY!



The Multicultural Club would like to remind you that the 4th annual Multicultural Celebration will be held on **Friday, May 22nd from 5:30-7:30pm** at MHS. This year, our main focus will be the cultural dinner in which we can taste dishes that represent the diverse cultures within our community. We would like as much participation from our community as possible, so if you're interested in preparing and sharing one (or two..max!) cultural dishes, please fill out the attached registration form and return it to me (in the folder hanging outside of MHS J282 or via email) by May 8. I should add that there is a **\$200 cash prize for the 1st place** and a **\$100 cash prize for 2nd place** winners for the "Best Dish(es)" that night. The registration form is attached.

We are excited to keep this tradition going, but we would like your help in making it a success! If you have any questions or are interested in helping us prepare for the event, please send me an email! Other than that, have a great day!

~The Multicultural Club

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MULTICULTURAL FOOD CONTEST REGISTRATION

Are you interested in cooking a dish to present at Malden High School’s Multicultural Celebration (May 22) and be eligible for one of two cash prizes for best dish?

If so, please fill out this form and submit it to Ms. Marquez (J282) by May 8.

NAME: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

CONNECTION TO MALDEN HIGH: _____

CONNECTION TO MALDEN (if not MHS): _____

INSTRUCTIONS

- Please make enough for 100 people to eat one small serving.
- Please arrive to the MHS Café A from 4-30-5pm on Fri., May 22 to set up the dish.
- If you wish to be considered for either of the two cash prizes, you MUST be present in person at 7:30pm when the awards are announced.

1. What is the name of the dish will you prepare?
2. What country or culture does it represent?
3. Is your dish a savory or sweet dish?
4. Is your dish HOT or COLD? (We will provide dishes to keep hot food at the proper temperature.)

5. Does your dish require any special equipment? What will you serve it in (or do you need us to provide a serving platter)?
6. Additional Notes/Concerns (e.g.: contains peanuts? meat in the dish? pork? etc):

WGBH and Annenburg have finished editing classroom footage for *Reading & Writing in the Disciplines* and the website is now live. The talent and diversity of our students is well displayed. Go Malden High School!

Thank you for the opportunity to showcase a small sample of the excellent work happening in every MHS classroom each day.

Martin Berryman & Ann Pember

<http://www.learner.org/courses/readwrite/video-detail/close-reading-primary-source.html>

<http://www.learner.org/courses/readwrite/video-detail/supporting-claims-evidence-and-reasoning.html>

Advanced Placement Schedule 2015

Test Date	Morning (8 AM)	Afternoon (12 PM)
Monday, May 11	AP Biology AP Music Theory	AP Physics C: Mechanics IMPORTANT ALERT AFTERNOON (2 p.m.) Special Exam time. AP Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism is the only exam given at 2 p.m.
Tuesday, May 12	AP United States Government and Politics	AP French Language and Culture, AP Spanish Literature and Culture
Wednesday, May 13	AP English Language and Composition	AP Statistics
Thursday, May 14	AP Comparative Government and Politics	AP Italian Language and Culture
Friday, May 15	AP World History AP Human Geography, AP Microeconomics	AP Macroeconomics AP Latin

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671234	Friday, May 22, 2015	Final Exams 6,7 for seniors, MEMORIAL DAY ASSEMBLY, 1:30 pm
xxxxxxxxx	Monday, May 25, 2015	Memorial Day, NO SCHOOL
357126	Tuesday, May 26, 2015	Final Exams 3,5 for seniors

Final Exam Schedule for Seniors 2015

Senior Final Exams Policy: Any senior who has a course average of 87 or better for the first three quarters, and maintains an 87 average in that course in the 4th quarter up to the time of the Senior Exams has the option of not taking the Final Exam for that course.

Senior Obligations: All seniors must fulfill all obligations prior to graduation: return all textbooks, return all sports/team uniforms and equipment, return all library books, and pay all outstanding balances; food services, Advanced Placement exams (even if you chose not to take exam) or money owed for missing books or athletic gear etc.

Spring MCAS

MCAS Math

Tuesday, May 19

10th graders report to school at 7:30 am for Day 1 of Math Testing; the rotation is 2, 3, 4

9th graders, 11th and 12th graders report to school at 10:45 for optional lunch or 11:15 for homeroom.

10:45-11:15	Optional Lunch
11:15-11:30	Homeroom
11:30-12:30	Period 2
12:30-1:25	Period 3
1:25-2:15	Period 4

Wednesday, May 20

10th graders report to school at 7:30 am for Day 2 of Math Testing; the rotation is 7, 5, 1, 6

9th graders, 11th and 12th graders report to school at 9:40 (similar to a late-entry day)

9:40-9:49	Homeroom for grade 9, 11, 12
9:49 - 10:45	Period 7
10:45-12:45	Period 5, Lunch block
12:45-1:30	Period 1
1:30-2:15	Period 6

MCAS Science 2015

Monday, June 8

9th graders report to school at 7:30 am for testing 2,3,4

10th graders, 11th and 12th graders report to school at 10:45 am for optional lunch or 11:15 for homeroom. The rotation is 2, 3, 4.

10:45-11:15	Optional Lunch
11:15-11:30	Homeroom for everyone except Grade 9.

11:30-12:30	Period 2
12:30-1:25	Period 3
1:25-2:15	Period 4

Tuesday, June 9

9th graders report to school at 7:30 am for testing; The rotation is 5, 6, 7.

10th graders, 11th and 12th graders report to school at 10:45 am for optional lunch or 11:15 for homeroom.

10:45-11:15	Optional Lunch
11:15-11:30	Homeroom for everyone except Grade 9.
11:30-12:30	Period 5
12:30-1:25	Period 6
1:25-2:15	Period 7

Final Exam Schedule for Grades 9-11 2015

Friday, June 19, 2015	Finals 6,7, 4th Quarter Grading folders open
Monday, June 22, 2015	Finals 4,5,1
Tuesday, June 23, 2015	Finals 2,3
Wednesday, June 24, 2015	Last day to turn in work, Final make-ups