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Good morning,

Good morning everyone and welcome to another full week of teaching and learning. Some specific items of note for us: today we'll meet by houses after school. Check with your house principal for location. On Wednesday we'll open Progress Report folders at 8 am. On Thursday we've invited ninth graders and their parents to an evening with our ninth grade guidance team. On Friday we'll vote in homerooms for the position of Student Representative to the School Committee. The candidates are:

- ✓ Winnie Chen
- ✓ Maggie Chiavelli
- ✓ James Mazarakis
- ✓ Catherine Rodriguez
- ✓ Tristar To
- ✓ Janet Wangoe

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.

School notes of interest:

Please feel free to fill in open slots for the H206 computer lab next week. Be sure to write your name next you each lunch block you intend to use. Go to the following link to access the sign-out:

<https://techsignup.wikispaces.com/home>

Have a great week,

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This week:

Monday, September 23, 2013	47123	Early Release, House Meetings
Tuesday, September 24, 2013	234567	Quarter 1 Progress Report Folders Open, 8 am
Wednesday, September 25, 2013	123456	2:45-4:00 Supervision and Evaluation workshop, B327
Thursday, September 26, 2013	712345	Football at Home versus Malden Catholic
Friday, September 27, 2013	671234	

Join me for one or all of the presentations on the Supervision and Evaluation model; SMART Goals, lessons learned, key strategies for success, TeachPoint and more. September 26th, October 16th, November 20th, December 18th, 2:45-4:00 pm. Learn how these sessions can be used as part fo your evaluation as well!

- **THE MELTING POT CLUB:** Do you like to help others? Do you want to explore new culture? Join the Melting Pot Club! There will be a general meeting in Thursday September 26 immediately afterschool in Ms. Marjoma's room. Be there and get involved in your community! ~Ms. Marjoma
- **ATTENTION NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY!!!** Our very first meeting will happen next week, Thursday September 27 at 2:30 in Mr. Marques' room H403. And remember, you don't have to be on time. YOU CAN BE EARLY...
- **ASIAN CULTURE CLUB:** The Asian Culture Club is hosting their first food workshop of the year on Tuesday, October 8th! For \$5, you could learn how to make sushi rolls and eat as many as you can make! Space is limited so hurry up and buy your ticket from an Asian Culture Club member or Ms. Ho in B434. Hope to see you all there! ~ Phuong Ho
- **SENIORS AND JUNIOR CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION:** There are only two days left to sign up and take part in this round of having your senior portrait taken for the 2014 yearbook! if you need to sign up see Mr. Valente in B231 as soon as possible. The photographer will be at MHS next week. Also, get the Maldonian REPLAY IT app for your smartphone or computer if you want to submit pictures of you and your friends to the yearbook. Lastly, the Teacher Superlatives and Senior Surveys are due NEXT TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 24th. If you have it done, drop it by B231 anytime or hand it in

next Tuesday during all four lunches! Do it, and be a part of the Class of 2014!
~Mr. Valente

- There will be an **ESL CLUB MEETING** on Tuesday 9/24 in Ms. Day's room J360. ~Ms. Day
- **ATTENTION JUNIORS & SENIORS:** If you are interested in attending the Hispanic College Fair at Regis College on Tuesday October 1st from 9:00am-12 please see Mrs. Lipinski in the Holland House office before Friday, September 27th. You must get a permission slip from Mrs. Lipinski and sign-up. Space is limited so don't wait! ~ Ms. Lipinski
- Any students who are pursuing the **Questbridge Scholarship** should see their counselor this week, The application is due Friday 9/27 and you **MUST** have a 3.4 GPA to apply this prestigious scholarship.~ Ms. Craven
- The Malden Tornado Club is now accepting essays for: **THE PETER DONOGHUE MEMORIAL GOLDEN EAGLE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD** in the amount of \$1000. This award is offered to graduating senior athletes. Please stop by the Athletic Office and pick up Scholarship Award Rules. ~Ms. Marquardo
- **ATTENTION JUNIORS:** The first 7 juniors that sell 17 or more pastries to receive an itunes or Dockside gift card. All juniors are encouraged to sell. ~Ms. Valente
- **The Class of 2015 cookie dough and pastry fundraiser** has been extended to Thursday September 26. Support the juniors! Sell to your neighbors, aunts, uncles, grandparents! Get involved! Raise some dough for the junior class! ~ Ms. Valente
- **ATTENTION ALL SENIORS: Are you interested in a free SAT prep class here at MHS?** Let's Get Ready SAT prep classes are starting Thursday, September 26 through December 3rd. You must register online by September 20th. Please visit our guidance blog or your homeroom flyer, or guidance counselor for more details on how to register. Don't miss out on a FREE SAT prep class ~ Mrs. Lipinski

Looking ahead to Get AHEAD day, Wednesday, October 16, 2013

On Wednesday, October 16th the rotation is 3, 4, and 2. We have a full and robust slate of activities scheduled for that day:

1. It is a national testing day for the PSAT and we provide all of our sophomores and juniors the PSAT at no cost. Sophomore and junior students take the test in their homerooms. Ron Janowicz and Manjula Karamcheti can answer any questions you may have. Juniors taking the test can qualify for several national scholarships

including the National Merit Scholarship. PSAT results are also used as a predictor of success in Advanced Placement courses.

- 2. The seniors participate in a college and career day with dozens of colleges, universities, and post graduate programs scheduled to participate. The event is held in both cafeterias.**

- 3. Our freshmen participate in college/university visits. The goal of the visit is to introduce our freshmen to a college or university and to generate questions and interests regarding their future plan.**

All staff are involved in some way in carrying out the activities of the day.

Join us on Friday evening at 6:30 pm for the dedication of the playing field at Macdonald Stadium to Ed Melanson- the dedication will take place prior to the Malden High School-Malden Catholic Football Game

EDDIE MELANSON FIELD

**DEDICATED SEPTEMBER 27, 2013
TO EDWARD J. MELANSON
TEACHER, COACH, FRIEND and FATHER**

**MALDEN HIGH OUTSTANDING STUDENT ATHLETE
COACH OF FOOTBALL - 1941-1963
COACH OF ALL BOYS VARSITY SPORTS - 1941-1945
DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS - 1963-1973
A FOUNDER OF THE GOLDEN TORNADO CLUB - 1952
MALDEN GOLDEN TORNADO HALL OF FAME MEMBER
VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY HALL OF FAME MEMBER
MASSACHUSETTS HIGH SCHOOL COACHES HALL OF FAME MEMBER**

**A LIFETIME DEDICATED TO THE STUDENT ATHLETES OF MALDEN HIGH SCHOOL,
WHO HE HELPED BECOME PROUD WEARERS OF THE BLUE AND GOLD**

Malden High School Expectations

Academic:

Malden High students are expected to:

- read critically for understanding.
- listen critically for understanding.
- write for a variety of purposes.
- communicate clearly through speaking.
- apply critical thinking skills for reasoning and problem-solving.
- utilize technology to conduct research, to support critical thinking, and to present information.
- work collaboratively with peers and Malden High School staff.
- develop personal interests and goals within a course of study.
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Personal Growth:

Malden High students are expected to:

- exhibit responsible, respectful, and appropriate personal behavior.
- demonstrate teamwork and cooperation in their school and in their extended community.
- make informed, healthful decisions in and out of school.

Civic Responsibility:

Malden High students are expected to:

- demonstrate respect for others in their school and in their extended community.
- value and respect school and community property.
- exercise the rights and responsibilities of citizenship in a democracy.

YOU CAN HELP

THE MALDEN HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
HELP MHS STUDENTS IN NEED!

IT'S EASY! IT'S DELICIOUS!

PISA PIZZA, 133 PEARL STREET IN MALDEN, HAS GENEROUSLY
OFFERED TO HELP US RAISE MONEY FOR THIS GOOD CAUSE FOR
ONE WHOLE WEEK

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, THROUGH
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5
ALL DAY, EVERY DAY.**

WHEN YOU VISIT PISA PIZZA TO EAT IN
OR ORDER TAKE-OUT,
ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS
MENTION THE MALDEN HIGH SCHOOL
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

AT THE END OF THE WEEK, PISA PIZZA WILL TALLY UP THE TOTAL
INVOICES FROM PEOPLE WHO MENTIONED THE MHS ALUMNI
ASSOCIATION AND GIVE US 10 PER CENT OF THAT AMOUNT!

*A SPECIAL 50/50 RAFFLE WILL BE HELD AT PISA PIZZA ON
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, BETWEEN 5:00 AND 9:00*

THE MONEY WE RAISE WILL GO DIRECTLY TO MHS STUDENTS IN
NEED.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR AND ENJOY A GREAT MEAL OR TWO OR
THREE FOR A VERY GOOD CAUSE

Online Trainings and Resources For All Staff

Mandated Online Trainings

- ☒ **Civil Rights / Sexual Harrassment / Laws and Regulations - See **PowerPoint** in Related Links Below - once completed please go to **Confirmation of Online Trainings****
- ☒ [Bullying Prevention Policy](#)
- ☒ [PPT Presentation Restraint Training](#)

Important Documents to Review

- ☒ [Confidentiality 603 CMR 23 Document](#)
- ☒ [Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act](#)
- ☒ [Mandated Reporting](#)
- ☒ [McKinney-Vento Homeless Act](#)
- ☒ [Physical Restraint 603 CMR 46](#)

Handbooks

- ☒ [Civil Rights Handbook](#)

State Ethics Commission - Conflict of Interest Law

- ☒ [Conflict of Interest Law Online Training Program](#)
- ☒ [State Ethics Conflict of Interest Law for Municipal Employees](#)

Confirmation of Completion

- ☒ [Confirmation of Online Trainings](#)

- [Malden Public Schools Bullying Prevention and Intervention Policy and Plan \(PDF - 219 KB\)](#)
- [Mandatory Online Training for All Staff \(PDF - 1.32 MB\)](#)
- [McKinney-Vento:Ways That Educators Can Help \(DOC - 37 KB\)](#)
- [Civil Rights - Federal and State Laws and Regulations \(PDF - 1.32 MB\) PowerPoint Online Training \(Mandatory Annually\)](#)

School- Business Partnership

Our Entrepreneurship program at Malden High School was "adopted" last March, 2013 by a company located in downtown Boston. Hollister Staffing located at 75 State Street in Boston joined the NFTE (Network for Teaching Entrepreneurship) program that helps sponsor, mentor, and coach the NFTE classrooms in New England and around the world.

Hollister's involvement in our classroom has helped support our one-day trip to New York City for the students' buying event where they have a real-life experience of buying as a small business owner. We generally have just local (Malden) buying events but will have an additional buying event in downtown Boston sponsored by Hollister this year.

Hollister also mentors our students on an ongoing basis throughout the school year. They come into the classroom to share their expert knowledge in the fields of finance, marketing, and so many areas that affect a business. As well, Hollister's staff coaches each student on the business plan they are working on to compete with other communities in May, 2014.

We are very fortunate to be part of this wonderful program and have the students involved in this great opportunity.

Deb Buckley teaches the Entrepreneurship class at Malden High School.