

# TORNADO TIMES

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### ...And They Filled the Room with JOY!: Malden High School Madrigals

The Malden High School Madrigal Singers, led by Director Mr. Cole, gave a tremendous performance on Sunday, December 3 at the Malden Public Library. Over 100 were in attendance, including Mayor Gary Christenson and all enjoyed the very talented and passionate Malden High School vocal troupe.

#### 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 vigorous standards for all. We honor the diverse nature of our Malden community, promote social awareness and community involvement and strive to meet the needs of all students through innovative methods and continued



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.



AWWW! Here's a couple of sweethearts, Malden High School's Captain's Council member Thais Almeida makes Betsy's day when she presents her with a stuffed little bear while marching in the Annual Malden Parade of Holiday Traditions recently. The MHS students passed out candy and stuffed animals to many children along the route.

#### Malden High Athletics are first-time participants in the Annual Malden Parade of Holiday Traditions this year!

Malden High School was well-represented in the recent Annual Parade of Holiday Traditions. The MHS Band was joined for the first time by about 40 Malden High student-athletes who carried a banner and passed out goodies for the children. The Captains Council and Ms. Scibelli organized the well-received group of MHS students & Staff!



There's still time to make a difference this holiday season for our students who could use a helping hand! MALDEN HIGH GIFT CARD FUNDRAISER

Many of our students could use a helping hand this Holiday Season and once again Ms. Sullivan is coordinating her Gift Card Holiday Fundraiser. Please bring your Donations of Gift Cards in ANY AMOUNT to Ms.Sullivan in the Main Office and she and her "elves" will see they get to the right place!

#### Bunker Hill C.C. Accuplacer Test will be administered Wed., Dec. 13

Above 50 students are scheduled to take the Accuplacer test on Wednesday, December 13. The results of this test will be used to determine placement for a spring Bunker Hill Dual Enrollment course. The test is untimed but usually takes students a couple of hours to complete. Testing will begin at 8:45am (Period 1). This is the last BHCC placement test scheduled until late spring. Ms. O'Connor has emailed a list of students taking this. Contact her <u>aoconnor@maldenps.org</u> with with any questions of more information

## **ALL-SCHOLASTIC PICK!**

WAY TO GO MANNY QUESADA NYLEN... OUR ILLUSTRIOU S SOCCER GOALIE!

Congrats to MHS Senior Manny Quesada Nylen who was selected to the Boston Globe 2017 All-Scholastic **Boys Soccer** Team for his fantastic season for Malden High Soccer. Manny had 8 shutouts in the net!



#### LOUD AND PROUD!! MALDEN HIGH CHORAL ARTS WILL Be PERFORMING AT THE STATE HOUSE TUESDAY, DEC. 12

GOOD LUCK to Mr. Cole and the 58 students who will be traveling to Boston and performing their Annual Concert on the steps of the Mass. State House! Our students will perform at 1:00 p.m. Malden state legislators an our Mayor Gary Christenson will be in attendance

# Notes & Calendar

**Monday, December 11**— Today is Early Release with Dismissal at 1:45 p.m.

-Captain's Council Meeting @ 1:50 p.m. Cafeteria A

**Tuesday, December 12**— Malden High Choral Arts will be performing their Annual Concert on the steps of the State House in Boston Peer Tutoring in the Library overseen by Malden Teen Enrichment Center 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, December 13— Multicultural Club is holding a Bake Sale outside the Main Office from 2:15 to 3:15 p.m.

Thursday, December 14 – MHS Business Club is hosting a Movie Night in Room B329 featuring "Spiderman Homecoming"

-Peer Tutoring in the Library overseen by Malden Teen Enrichment Center 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

-Malden High School Athletics is hosting a "Future Tornados Sports Night" in the Finn Gym @ 6:30 p.m. All Teams will be represented by a coach and player as we greet Future Tornados from Malden's grades 5-8 and their parents

**Friday, December 15** — The MHS Mock Trial Team is headed to the Moakley Courthouse to participate in a mock trial simulation by the National Institute of Trial Advocacy

#### THIS WEEK'S CLASS ROTATIONS:

Mon. 12/11	3-4-5-6-7 (Early Release)
Tues. 12/12	1-2-3-4-5-6
Wed. 12/13	7-1-2-3-4-5
Thurs.12/14	6-7-1-2-3-4
Fri. 12/15	5-6-7-1-2-3
Wed. 12/13 Thurs.12/14	7-1-2-3-4-5 6-7-1-2-3-4

# Malden High School Band Class members took a memorable visit to Museum of Fine Arts in Boston and learned some history



MS. O'BRIEN-**MAZZA'S BAND CLASS** enjoyed a field trip visit to the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston recently and checked out a number of exhibits and learned some music history, especially when they saw an extensive display of antique musical instruments!





Malden High School Band Class students really enjoyed the antique instrument display

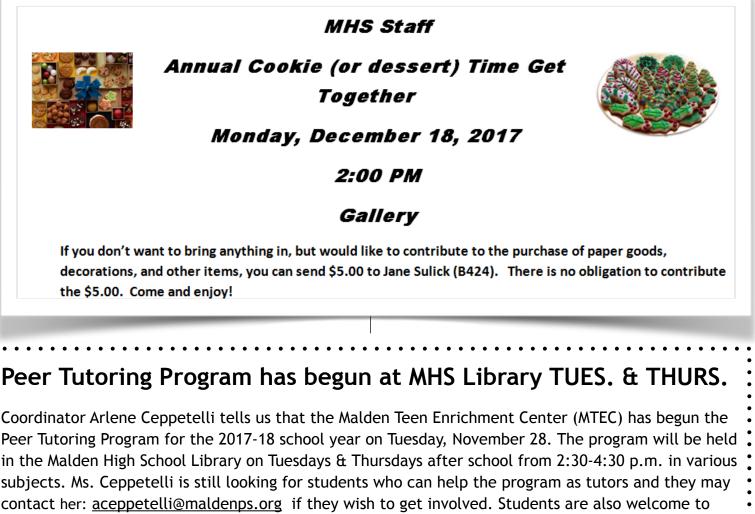
### **MHS Golden Tornado Winter Sports Begin This Week!**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12 — Varsity Coed Swimming v. Swampscott, MHS Pool, 430 pm JV & Varsity Girls Basketball @ Snowden Intl, JV at 415 p.m., Varsity 530 p.m

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13— Freshman Boys Basketball v. Triton Regional, 400 pm; JV Boys BB v. Triton, 530 pm; Varsity Basketball vs. Triton, 700 pm WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13— Varsity Wrestling v. Salem and Peabody in tri-meet @ Salem HS, 500 pm

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14— Varsity Boys & Girls Track v. Marblehead @ Somerville HS, 400 pm; Varsity Coed Swimming v. Salem, @ Salem State, 715 pm

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15— Freshman (400), JV (530) & Varsity (700) Boys Basketball v. Lynn English, Finn Gym



come to the library those times if they just want a place to study or do homework. Any teachers who would like Ms.Ceppetelli to explain the Peer Tutoring Program to a student or class may contact her as

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Do you have some good news to share about students, teachers, administrators and other staff members? A great field trip, extracurricular activity, club or sports team? There is LOTS of Good News @ Malden High School! Let's share it with EVERYONE! Mr. Lombardi encourages everyone to email Steve Freker @ <u>sfreker@maldenps.org</u> with any news you like to share: stories, snippets, photos, announcement of meetings, events coming... and ones held. It'TORNADO TIMES appears every Monday in your Inbox and is then shared on the District website <u>maldenps.org</u> More and More contributions are coming in each week! Send yours please!

# MALDEN HIGH SCHOOL PARTICIPATES in CITY'S ANNUAL PARADE of HOLIDAY TRADITIONS



Malden High School student-athletes joined with the Captains Council to march in the parade, accompanied by NEDLAM, left, himself!



Mayor Christenson greeted the Malden High parade marchers and noted it was a great representation



Don't miss the Gingergread Cookie Workshop in Mr. Luongo's Room @ 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 14... Bring your Holiday Spirit... AND your Appetites, of Course!