



# THE NEDLAM NEWS

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**HATS OFF TO THE MHS CLASS of 2018 !!**

## 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.

# Our Malden High School Class of 2018 is thankful for their time here; Know that we, too, are thankful for being part of their lives

To All Malden High School Staff, Students and Administrators:

Hello everyone,

First, I would like to say to all who participated in the planning, coordination and then the final presentation of Sunday's Malden High School Class of 2018 graduation ceremony, thank you. Your ceaseless dedication, energy and commitment to our students is so commendable. It enhances all of our lives, no less those of the 442 newly-minted Malden High graduates and their families. In addition to being grateful for all of the those who helped make Graduation Week such a great experience here, I also thank the members of the Class of 2018 for their contributions to Malden High School. Thank you for being our future and thank you for the years of effort that have gotten you to where you are right now. Also, thank you for your commitment and dedication to becoming all that you will be in the future. Speaking for myself and all of the staff here at MHS, It has been an honor and a privilege to walk beside you in your journey to where you are today. As Dick Costolo, former CEO of Twitter once said at a University of Michigan commencement, "Not only can you not plan the impact you're going to have, you often won't recognize it when you're having it." For all staff and graduates, that means you!



Mr. Mastrangelo

Mr. Mastrangelo - Principal



## Senior Sendoff

Malden High School Principal Mr. Mastrangelo addresses graduating students and the thousands in attendance at commencement exercise for the senior Class of 2018 on Sunday.



Sometimes it's the journey  
that teaches you a lot about  
your destination.

Drake

# The 'See Food' Seafood Day!! Malden HS Marine Biology Classes' 'Marine Eating Day'



‘TOMMY the TURTLE’ TAKES ALL IN... SWIMMINGLY! — The class mascot of Ms. Campbell and Ms. Votaw’s Marine Biology classroom looks on during the annual “Marine Eating Day”.



MS. CAMPBELL (Below, center) and MS. VOTAW’s MARINE BIOLOGY COOKED UP STORM — Students cooked and sampled many kinds of seafood and recipes as part of annual class.

**You name it... they cooked it... lobster, shrimp, mussels, clams & much more!**





# **TOURNEY TIME!**

## **MHS Tornado Volleyball falls to Latin Academy of Boston, 3-0, in first State Tourney Game in Malden athletic history**



**They made it the postseason for the first time ever, but Latin Academy prevailed Monday, 3-0, in the North Sectional First Round for For Head Coach Jurkowski and the Malden High Boys Volleyball team. But it was the best record ever (14-6), First league title and the first time the team to the States!** Monday Photos





President Matt Farias

## WHO'S GOT NEXT? Class of 2019 Officers

President	Matt Farias
Vice President	Helen Eshetu
Treasurer	Santiago Portillo
Secretary	Salma Bezzat
Historian	Cristobal Marey
Social Media	Sebastian Romani
Volunteers	Birukti Tsige
Activities	Olivia Forestier & Shataeya Smith
Artistic Directors	Michelle Nie & Felix Li

***KE KONTAN JOU DRAPO!***  
(HAPPY HAITIAN FLAG DAY) —These two Malden High School students proudly display some native dress celebrating the recent Haitian Flag Day.

## THIS WEEK'S Notes & Calendar



**MONDAY, JUNE 4**— Malden High School Boys Volleyball plays in first-ever MIAA Division 1 State Tournament game at Latin Academy of Boston, 600 pm

**TUESDAY, JUNE 5** — Malden High School Boys Lacrosse Team plays in first State Tournament game in school history, on the road at Acton-Boxboro at 600 pm

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6**— 74th Anniversary of WWII D-Day on June 6, 1844. Also, MCAS Testing, 800 am-1245 pm. Late Entry for those not taking MCAS Exam at 1245 pm

**THURSDAY, JUNE 7** — MCAS Science Testing from 800 am to 1145 pm. Late Entry for all those not taking MCAS Exam at 1145 pm

**DAY ROTATION THIS WEEK**— **Monday:** 5-6-7-1-2-3  
**Tuesday:** 4-5-6-7-1-2 **Wednesday:** (SCIENCE TESTING... 3-4-5 **Thursday:** (SCIENCE TESTING MCAS...6-7-2)  
**Friday:** 1-2-3-4-5-6

# Commencement 2018



**PERFECT ATTENDANCE for  
HER ENTIRE 12 YEARS!!**

Malden senior Tiffany Tortora at right, with Supt. John Oteri and MHS Principal Christopher Mastrangelo, right, receives an official city of Malden citation from Malden Mayor Gary Christenson, second from left, on the occasion of her **PERFECT ATTENDANCE** for 12 years of education in the Malden Public Schools!



# National Honor Society hosts Movie Night Fundraiser to help Cambodian children in poverty

*Part of this story excerpted from a Blue and Gold article by Jett-Le Tran Lee*

The Malden High School National Honor Society hosted a Movie Night fundraiser at the school Thursday night, May 31 with proceeds going to help children suffering from poverty in Cambodia. The film, *Coco*, was shown. Malden High School graduating seniors, Jasmine Gray and Alicia Tan, organized the event.

Tan was the one who decided on picking the movie *Coco*. She said that she “[originally] watched it in theaters and it was awesome.” She said that “when [she] was planning the event, the movie had just come out in theaters and won a bunch of awards.” Even though they do not have much experience with hosting a movie night fundraiser, they have had experience in hosting fundraisers in the past.

Gray said that the fundraiser was for the “Cambodian children fund which is children in poverty who are currently living in very bad conditions.” She said that “this gives them an opportunity for education, clean water, and housing.” Gray also mentions that “this was a really good family movie for people of all ages and a good community event.”

Tan said that they wanted to thank “all the principals for allowing the event and putting up posters for it.” Tan also said that people might want to come to the event because “it is for a good cause and it is inexpensive and a great way for the community to bond with each other.”



Jasmine Gray, left and Alicia Tan, right, organized a Movie Night fundraiser Thursday night as their final project for the National Honor Society

**PLEASE CONTRIBUTE TO  
'THE NEDLAM  
NEWS'! LET'S SHARE  
THE GOOD NEWS ABOUT  
MHS!**

Do you have some good news to share about students, teachers, administrators and other staff members? An extracurricular activity, club or sports team? There is LOTS of Good News @ Malden High School! Let's share it with EVERYONE! Mr. Mastrangelo encourages everyone to email Steve Freker @ [sfreker@maldenps.org](mailto:sfreker@maldenps.org) with any news you like to share: stories, snippets, photos, announcement of meetings, events coming... and ones held. **THE NEDLAM NEWS** appears every Monday in your Inbox and is then shared on the District website [maldenps.org](http://maldenps.org)

# Commencement 2018



From top left, Eric Toh, Rowan Marcus and a raucous Class President, at right, Manny Queseda Nylen All graduation photos Courtesy City of Malden by Paul Hammersley/city of Malden Flickr





**ATTENTION: Malden High School June Day Rotation adjusted to balance out class hours**  
*Please take a look at the following calendar for the NEW June Day Rotation to be followed immediately*

MALDEN HIGH SCHOOL

DAY ROTATION

2017-2018

June 2018						
	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Day 6	2
3 Graduation 2 pm	4 Day 5	5 Day 4	6 Day 3	7 Day 2	8 Day 1	9
10	11 Day 7	12 Day 6	13 Day 5	14 Day 4	15 Finals 1-2	16
17	18 Finals 3-4	19 Finals 5-6	20 Finals 7-Make-up	21 Last Day	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

**Mr. Veritas for the State of the School Committee writes:**

I want to thank everyone who took the survey (Monday). As of now, we have 101 responses from staff. Thank you for taking the extra time to be specific in your feedback as well. I think it was very informative. This survey was not meant to address every concern nor is the work of the school as a whole represented in those 6 questions. The categories were formed by repeated feedback from members of the State of the School Committee as well as concerns of other staff. This was simply a first step and a temperature-taking of some of the more basic concerns that were arising. Thank you all for helping us gather this important information.

**Malden High School staff members have opportunity for ADL training in Vermont July 24-26**

We have a great opportunity for two of our staff members to attend a 3 day training this summer with the ADL. It is July 24, 25, 26 in Vermont. Great opportunity to spend three days this summer working with the ADL in preparation for the 2018-2019 school year. Please respond if you are interested. I am looking for interested parties by the end of the day (Tuesday) if possible. Thank you.

—Mr. Mastrangelo

# *Commencement 2018*



*All Graduation Photos courtesy of  
City of Malden/Paul Hammersey*



From top, clockwise, Fern Berard soaks up the happiness; Kevin Gilligan greeted and “diploma-ed” by Mr. Mastrangelo; an elated graduated; and then Mr. Levine playing “doorman” to thousands of spectators. *Courtesy/City of Malden Flickr*

# MALDEN HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR INTERNSHIP EXHIBITION 2018

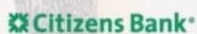


## WOMEN'S ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT SERIES

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 2018  
9 AM - 1:30 PM

Anthony's of Malden  
105 Canal St. Malden, MA 02148

The Women's Economic Empowerment Series provides free educational sessions focusing on wage negotiation, money management, retirement, and investment strategies for women of all ages, ethnicities, economic backgrounds, and levels of fiscal knowledge.



Our Community Partners for this workshop include; State Representative Steven Ultrino, Mayor Gary Christenson, YWCA Malden, Zonta Club of Malden, and American Association for Arab Women of Malden

Lunch will be served and registration begins at 8:30 AM  
To register & for information visit [weesmalden.eventbrite.com](http://weesmalden.eventbrite.com)

## Many Malden High seniors get great hands-on experience with variety of professionals

The Malden High School Senior Internship Exhibit, organized by Malden High School faculty member Beth Horowitz, is a yearly event that officially ends the seniors' internship requirements. Student interns are required to complete a project detailing their internship duties, responsibilities and what they learned from the experience. Students also have to write a paper describing their experiences. Seniors interned in a variety of places including area businesses, in K-8 Schools and City Hall offices.

"It is clear from these projects that our students learned a great deal and accomplished much during their internships," said Mayor Christenson, who attended the annual event. "I couldn't be more proud of our students."

