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2019 BLUE & GOLD GALLERY OPENS



Some of the fantastic artworks displayed at the Blue & Gold Gallery

It Takes a LOT to Surprise Ms. Slattery!

Holland House Principal Marilyn Slattery has been around Malden HS for many years and most definitely “has seen it all.” But even SHE was surprised at the Blue & Gold Gallery opening when a student presented her with a replica of a painting she had long admired from afar. *All Photos by Steve Freker/Malden Public Schools*



Malden native led team in 1st ever photos of a black hole

By Steve Freker
For the Malden Public Schools

The leader of a team of over 200 researchers who linked radio telescopes around the world to capture the first-ever photo of a black hole in space (above right) is a Malden native. Shep Doeleman, who heads up the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics led the team which created one single linked telescope that spanned the globe and created the image. According to researchers, the black hole shown is about six billion times the mass of our sun and is in a galaxy called M87 that



First-ever photo ever taken of a black hole in space. *Courtesy Photo*



Team leader Shep Doeleman of Harvard and MIT is a Malden native. *Courtesy/Harvard-Smithsonian*

is about 53 million light years from Earth. One light year is 5.9 trillion miles, or 9.5 trillion kilometers.

Who will wear the crown from the MHS Class of 2019?



Find out this Friday night April 26 in the Jenkins Auditorium! Admission \$7

Mr. M.H.S.

**2019 Blue & Gold Gallery is now open;
On Display @ 380 Main Street 'til May 22**



Superintendent Oteri and MHS Principal Mr. Mastrangelo were two of the many in attendance to help kick off the 2019 Blue & Gold Gallery.
Steve Freker Photo/For the Malden Public Schools



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.

WELCOME BACK! We hope everyone had a great vacation; There is a lot ahead of us as we begin the 'home stretch'

To All Malden High School Educators, Staff, & Administrators:

Welcome back! I am hoping that everyone had a restful vacation week. It always feels like March is two months long. As we arrived back to school on Monday we, officially started the home stretch of the 2018-2019

school year. As a point of reference, Prom tickets go on sale next week...we are close to the end. When the sun shines longer and the air feels warmer it can become apparent that our students require (and want) a little more motivation to work

until the end of the school year. I have always found that the best way to keep your students focused is to keep yourself focused. We are anticipating everyone will begin the road to the finish line with the same sense of excitement that we did in August. Although we are close to the end, we are far from finished. There is a lot of work to get done between now and June 14.

I am excited to share the work that we have been doing with the BARR Foundation. Please remember that our Faculty Meeting will take place on Tuesday, April 23 at 2:25 p.m. We will meet with the entire staff in the Jenkins Auditorium and then break into smaller discussion groups. Again, you should plan on a finish time of 3:25 p.m. Thank you for the commitment you show everyday in giving our students the time, effort, and respect that they deserve. Our students are lucky to have you!



Mr. Mastrangelo

MHS Welcomes state Sen. Lewis

Local legislator visits classes, talks to staff on Project Equity Ed funding issues

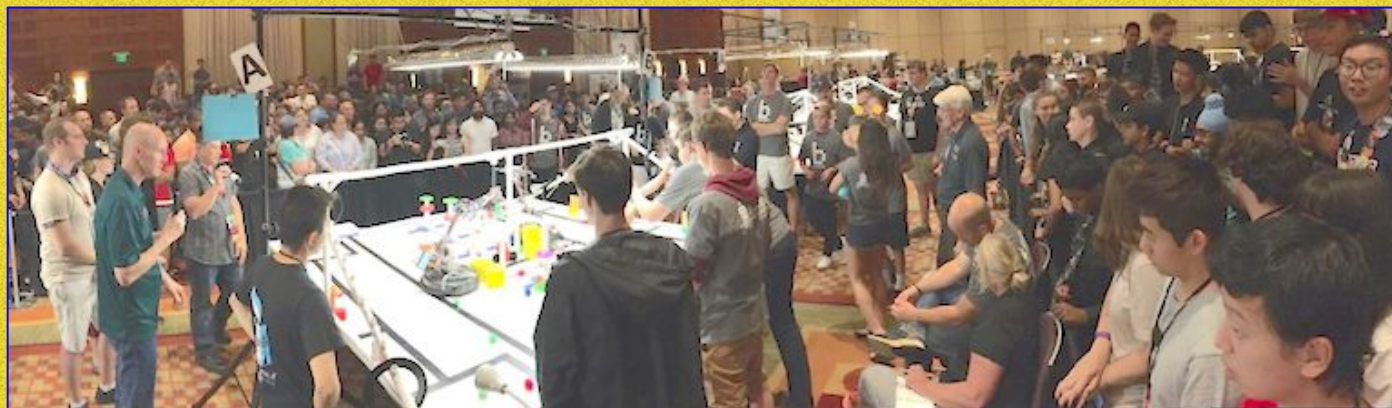


MHS Principal Mastrangelo offers some insight during a student led discussion vaping in schools during a visit by Senator Jason Lewis, below



Malden state Sen. Jason Lewis, D-5th Middlesex, at left, one of the most influential state legislators on Beacon Hill, sat in on presentation on dangers of vaping in school in Ms. Filer's (Back row, second from left) Generation Citizen class. Also on hand were Malden Mayor Christenson, second from right, Superintendent Oteri, at right and MHS Principal Mr. Mastrangelo, back row, third from left. All Photos by Steve Freker/Malden Public Schools

MHS Robotics Team competes in New England Regional Botball Tournament this Saturday



Good luck to the Malden HS Robotics Team/ plus advisors Mr. Bazz & Mr. Morrison, who are competing at UMass-Lowell on April 27!

Botball®

All-Tech Electric donates Malden HS info sign to city of Malden



Earlier this school year, John Spadafora, proprietor of longtime Malden business All-Tech Electric, Inc., Malden High School graduate Class of 1983 and lifelong Malden resident generously donated a new digital display sign to the City. The new sign located on the front lawn of Malden High School replaces a nearly decade old sign in the same

location which was in constant need of repair and due to its age parts were hard to get. The new sign offers digital display, color graphics, and animations. The sign highlight school events, student achievements and serves to notify the community about emergency situations as well as city events such as the Holiday Parade and Veterans Day celebrations. "I'm grateful to John Spadafora and All-Tech for their generosity in providing this resource to the City," said Mayor Gary Christenson. "John never hesitates to step up and assist the community whenever needed." **All-Tech Electric is an electrical and low voltage contractor serving Boston and the surrounding communities since 1994. For more information about All Tech Electric, please visit www.alltechelectric.com.**



PLAY PRODUCTION CLASS GEARS UP FOR FINAL PRESENTATION— The Malden High School Play Production class & troupe, shown above performing their original play, Common Space at the Massachusetts state competition, is now rehearsing for their final presentation of the school year, which is coming in May. *Courtesy Photo*

HOLOCAUST SURVIVOR SPEAKS @ MHS on 4/30

On Tuesday, April 30, another Holocaust survivor, Janet Applefield will be speaking to MHS students taking Modern World History from 12:45-2:15 p.m.

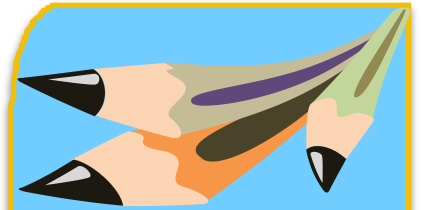
In a few years we will no longer have living witnesses to this tragic historic event. Janet and other previous MHS speakers have profound stories of survival, resiliency, and hope. We thank MHS staff for your continuing support.

— Ms. Veritas/Social Studies Team Leader

UPCOMING @ MALDEN HS:

In the 'HOME STRETCH' now!:

Counting today, there are 31 DAYS left of school... Last Day comes this year on Friday, June 14, since there was only 1 Snow Day used this year.



THIS WEEK'S Notes & Calendar

TUESDAY, APRIL 23— Malden High School staff meeting in Jenkins Auditorium from 225 to 335 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24 — Attendance Appeals for Third Quarter in Brunelli and Boyle Hpuse Offices immediately after school. ***** A "Speaking Workshop" is being held from 230-300 p.m. the MHS Library, It will be held again on April 24. Questions? lgaha20@maldenps.org

THURSDAY, APRIL 25— Attendance Appeals for Third Quarter in Holland and Jenkins Hpuse Offices immediately after school.

FRIDAY, APRIL 26— Annual "Mr. MHS" Contest will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the Jenkins Auditorium. Admission \$7.00

Malden Public Schools Calendar for 2018-2019

MALDEN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2018-2019 SCHOOL CALENDAR

AUGUST 2018 (2 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
27*	28*	29	30	X

8/27* First Day for Teachers
8/28* Prof Dev Day - All Grds
8/29 First Day of School for Grades PreK, 1-12
8/29-9/4 Kindergarten Orientation/Screening
8/31 No School

SEPTEMBER 2018 (19 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
X	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

9/3 Labor Day
9/5 First Day of School for Kindergarten

OCTOBER 2018 (22 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
X	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

10/5 Early Dismissal PreK-12
10/8 Columbus Day
10/15 Late Entry Day MHS

NOVEMBER 2018 (18 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
				1
5	6*	7	8	9
X	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	X	X
26	27	28	29	30

11/5 Late Day Entry MHS
11/6* Prof Dev Day-All Grds
11/12 Veterans Day
11/21 11:00 Dismissal
11/22-23 Thanksgiving

DECEMBER 2018 (15 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
X	X	X	X	X
X				

12/10 Late Entry MHS
12/21 11:00 Dismissal
12/24-1/1 Winter Vacation

JANUARY 2019 (21 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
	X	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
X	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

1/2 School Resumes
1/11 Early Dismissal PreK-12
1/7 Late Entry MHS
1/21 Martin Luther King Day

FEBRUARY 2019 (14 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15*
X	X	X	X	X
25	26	27	28	

2/4 Late Entry MHS
2/15* Prof Dev Day-All Grds
2/18-22 February Vacation

MARCH 2019 (21 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

3/4 Late Entry MHS
3/8 Early Dismissal PreK-12

APRIL 2019 (17 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
X	X	X	X	X
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

4/1 Late Entry MHS
4/5 Early Dismissal PreK-12
4/15-19 Spring Vacation

MAY 2019 (22 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
X	28	29	30	31

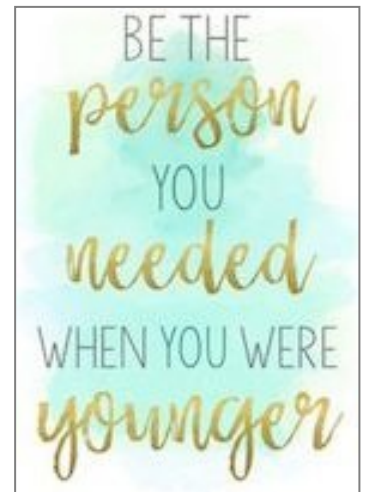
5/3 Early Dismissal PreK-12
5/6 Late Entry MHS
5/27 Memorial Day

JUNE 2019 (9 Days)				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	

6/13 Last day w/o snow days - 11:00 Dismissal
6/20 Last day w/five snow days - 11:00 Dismissal

First Day for Teachers – Monday, August 27, 2018

Please note that five (5) additional days are built into the calendar in case of inclement weather



STILL TIME TO ORDER!!
Don't miss out ordering a copy of the *Maldonian*
You must Pre-Order a Yearbook so that one will be printed and ready for you in June



The Malden High School Alumni Association, Inc's purpose is to establish a non-profit organization to enhance and preserve the image, prestige, and traditions of the Malden High School; to reconnect with the graduates of Malden High School; to create awareness of the history of the high school, the activities, location and achievements of its graduates; to protect, preserve and display the school's artifacts, papers and photographs; to develop programs, publications, newsletters, public speakers bureau, and any and every type of communication network and outreach activity
www.maldenhighalumni.com



ATTENTION: Ms. Ceppetelli informs us **PEER TUTORING** is held at the MHS Library this Tues/Thurs. this week from 2:30-4:30 p.m.

**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 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 www.maldenps.org

DID YOU KNOW?

That when Malden High School Baseball played a **DOUBLEHEADER** this past Friday in the Sixth Annual Chris Serino Baseball Tournament... it was **FIRST** twin bill Golden Tornado baseball had played.... **EVER!** It ended up being an exciting day at Malden took a 10-6 win over Greater Lawrence in Game One and then went down 11-2 before rallying almost all the way back, before falling, 11-10 to East Boston in the championship final.



TORNADO SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULES

*Please come support our
students in the new season!*

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

4:00pm Baseball: Freshmen vs. Lynn English @ Pine Banks Park

4:00pm Lacrosse: Girls Varsity @ Saugus

5:30pm Lacrosse: Girls JV @ Saugus

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

4:00pm Baseball: Boys Varsity Game vs. Lynn Classical @ Pine Banks Park

4:00pm Baseball: Boys JV Game vs. Lynn Classical @ Pine Banks Park

4:00pm Softball: Girls Freshman Game vs. Revere @ Anderson Field, Malden

4:00pm Softball: Girls Varsity@ Lynn Classical

4:00pm Softball: Girls JV @. Lynn Classical

4:00pm Tennis: Girls Varsity@ Lynn Classical

4:00pm Tennis: Boys Varsity Match vs. Lynn Classical @ Amerige Park, Malden

4:30pm Volleyball: Boys Varsity vs. Essex Technical @ Finn Gym, Malden

THURSDAY, APRIL 25

4:00pm Lacrosse: Boys Varsity vs. Winthrop High School @ MacDonald Stadium, Malden

4:00pm Outdoor Track: Boys & Girls Varsity Meet vs. Medford @ Salem High School

5:00pm Volleyball: Boys Varsity @ Arlington

5:30pm Lacrosse: Boys JV vs. Winthrop High School @ MacDonald Stadium, Malden

FRIDAY, APRIL 26

3:45pm Baseball: Boys Subvarsity vs. Excel @ Pine Banks Park

4:00pm Baseball: Boys Varsity @ Medford

4:00pm Lacrosse: Girls Varsity@ Salem

4:00pm Softball: Girls Varsity vs. Medford @ Callahan Park - Malden

4:00pm Softball: Girls JV vs. Medford @ Amerige Park, Malden

4:00pm Tennis: Girls Varsity vs. Medford Public Schools @ Amerige Park, Malden

4:00pm Tennis: Boys Varsity @ Medford

4:30pm Volleyball: Boys Varsity vs. Presentation of Mary Academy, Finn Gym, Malden High School

SATURDAY, APRIL 27

10:00am Softball: Girls Freshman @ Everett

10:00am Softball: Girls Varsity vs. Somerville

10:00am Softball: Girls JV Game vs. Somerville Amerige Park, Malden

**Spring Sports have
Sprung! Please
support ALL of our
Tornado spring teams!**



Volleyball & Boys Lacrosse kick off their 2019 seasons

The Tornado boys lacrosse and boys volleyball teams have kicked off their seasons and are looking for wins. At right, Colin Wilcox looks for an opening. At left, an aggressive return on a serve.

Courtesy/MHS Athletics



Visiting with a former Tornado!



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The Malden High School girls lacrosse team and head coach Leggett recently visited with former MHS standout Leila Griege as Regis College played Emerson in women's lacrosse. Good luck, Leila! *Courtesy/MHS Girls Lacrosse*

Malden High student Vanessa Ardai shines on ice

Congratulations to Malden High School freshman Vanessa Ardai, (*third from left*) who took 3rd place in her freeskate event at the New England High School skating finals. Vanessa then joined skaters from Medford and Melrose in the team maneuver event, where the girls placed 5th. The Metro North team took home 4th place overall for the season. Great job skaters!! If you know any skaters interested in joining next year's high school team, reach out to Ms. Gibbons egibbons@maldenps.org.

Courtesy Photo/Ms. Gibbons



FEMINISM CLUB NEEDS YOUR HELP



We are sponsoring a donation drive for Respond Inc., a shelter that provides services for women fleeing domestic violence.

“Where can I find the bins?”

- The nurse’s office
- The main office
- House offices
- Ms. Veritas’ room (BR460)

“What can I donate?”

- Toiletries (including shampoo)*
- Feminine hygiene products*
- Baby care items(size 3&4 diapers)*
- Laundry detergent
- NEW twin-size bedding and linens
- Paper goods (including paper towels* and napkins)
- Gift cards to pharmacies and grocery stores are also welcome.

*Indicates high need



NEW or USED SPORTS EQUIPMENT WANTED! Do You Want to Help ?

If you have any sports equipment laying around collecting dust, why not donate it? All the month of April a box will be in the Main Office where you can drop any equipment you want to donate.



Seeking soccer balls, basketballs, cleats, tennis rackets..anything you may need to play a sport. *ALL items will go to kids who cannot afford to buy their own equipment*