

The Tornado Times is put out at the beginning of each school week. The format has changed this year to allow for easier reading and printing.

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.

Principal's message:

Welcome back to the 2014-2015 school year. We are looking forward to working with students, staff, parents, and our community partners to make this a rewarding year. We got off to a good start with our work last week around creating a culture of mental wellness for students and staff. That work will continue.

The majority of students and new staff found their way through the first two days of the schedule. Today is a "normal" rotation day and that should help us find some rhythm.

Last week at Malden High School we welcomed **Kevin Kilbride** as the new Jenkins House Principal. He replaces **Diane Klibansky** who retired after a distinguished career as a House Principal at Malden High School. We wish Diane rest and relaxation in her retirement. Diane is joined by **Kathy Devito** and **Carol Mastromauro** in retirement and they all have our well wishes for health and happiness. Long-term paraprofessionals **Dottie Knickle** and **Sandy Bittel** also receive our cheers and blessings for their retirement years ahead.

A couple of staff members have taken leaves of absences to go do other things; we are excited for them but will surely miss their contributions. **Jamie Green** is off to a private school in Atlanta, **Hava Daniels** is venturing to Brazil to teach, **Phuong Ho** will try Chicago for a while and **Shereen Escovitz** has been accepted into a Department of Elementary and Secondary Education Fellowship role and will look at new and innovative ways to reach our students with limited or interrupted formal education.

John Natelli left the band/instrumental position to be a stay-at-home dad. **Joan Fiore-Papadopoulos and Donna Leuzzi** made a recent decision to retire; we combined part-time Italian positions and hired **Adrienne D'Agostino** as our full-time Italian teacher.

Wendy Bendle and **Ann Pember** had healthy babies in July and **Nate Lamar** and his wife are the proud parents of an adopted baby boy. Wendy and Ann will be starting the school year at home with their new babies. They will be joined by **Jess Bisson** who had twins this summer. **Meaghann Galdos** is also on leave and staying at home this school year with her new baby. **Lindsay Somerville, Duncan MacLauray and Jennae Cohen** replace **Ms. Bendle, Ms. Pember and Ms. Bisson** respectively.

We hired several folks to help us fill the void left by departing staff. In science we hired **Amy Cianci** and **Jessica Sullivan**. Both did their student teaching here this year and Amy stayed on at the end of her semester to cover Meaghann Galdos' leave. In the social sciences department we hired **Michelle Filer, Rebecca Corcoran,** and **Ellsworth Fersch**. All have strong ties to Malden High School. Michelle and Ellsworth did their student teaching here and Rebecca worked with several faculty members at MHS and throughout the district in her work with the Model U.N. program.

In the Mathematics department we also get the benefit of hiring staff with experience at Malden High School. Both **Lauren Kutler** and **Kayla Scheitlin** did their student teaching here at Malden High School and are excited to join us full-time. We also added **Ola Kordowska** who was with us last year as a paraprofessional and long-term math substitute.

Our new instrumental/band teacher is **Erin O'Brien-Mazza**. Erin gained much of her experience in New York but has ties to the Malden community. All roads do lead here at some point!

The teacher-leader lineup looks a little different this year. **Katy Bizier** in Science, **Greg Hurley** in the Social Sciences, **Cara Joyce** in Mathematics, and **Sean Walsh** in ELA will now help us as we continue to do the work on the common core, the transition to PARCC, and in our continued focus on the ELL and Special Education populations.

With all of these changes and maneuverings our important ninth grade academies will look a little different next year;

In the Boyle House, **Jeremiah Smith, Dana Bowers,** and **Jon Copithorne** will welcome new staffer Lauren Kutler.

The Brunelli academy will welcome back veterans **Chris Giordano, Maggie Giberson** and **Debra Kumar.** They will be joined by Ellsworth Fersch.

The Holland Academy got the biggest makeover; **Damian Aufiero** is the lone returner but **Miranda Libkin** is sliding over to join him. New teachers Kayla Scheitlin and Jessica Sullivan are also on board.

In the Jenkins House veterans **Evan Mauser, Diem Phan,** and **Matt Evans** welcome Michelle Filer. As of this writing our academy team leaders have not been finalized.

Our 9th grade academy leaders are **Debra Kumar, Jeremiah Smith, Diem Phan** and **Damien Aufiero.**

We also welcome student-teachers and interns to Malden High School. That complete list will come out next week.

Calendar for the next two weeks:

Rotation	Lunch	Day and Date	Notes
712345	3	Tuesday, September 02, 2014	
671234	2	Wednesday, September 03, 2014	Picture Day, Grades 9-10
567123	1	Thursday, September 04, 2014	Picture Day, Grades 11-12
456712	7	Friday, September 05, 2014	
56142	4	Monday, September 08, 2014	Content Meetings, 2-3 pm
345671	6	Tuesday, September 09, 2014	
234567	5	Wednesday, September 10, 2014	New teacher INDUCTION PROGRAM, 2:45 pm
123456	4	Thursday, September 11, 2014	
712345	3	Friday, September 12, 2014	Drop/Add period closes ACT Date at Malden High School, doors open at 7:30 am
xxxxxxxx	XXXXXXX	Saturday, September 13, 2014	

ID picture schedule by homerooms (Yellow-Wednesday, Green-Thursday; staff can go at any time. Please step to the front of the line.

Wednesday, September 3, 2014

GRADE 9 - 2017	REPORT TIME
B334	8:00 A.M.
B336	8:00 A.M.
B338	8:00 A.M.
H412	8:25 A.M.
H415	8:25 A.M.
B234	8:25 A.M.
B236	8:50 A.M.
B238	8:50 A.M.
B228	8:50 A.M.
B328	9:20 A.M.
J372	9:20 A.M.
J378	9:20 A.M.
J380	9:55 A. M.
J382	9:55 A. M.
J384	9:55 A. M.
BR478	10:20 A.M.
BR480	10:20 A.M.
BR482	10:20 A.M.
BR484	10:45 A.M.
BR486	10:45 A.M.
	10:45 A.M.
GRADE 10 - 2016	REPORT TIME
H307	11:15 A.M.
H308	11:15 A.M.
H309	11:15 A.M.
H407	12 NOON
B329	12 NOON

Thursday, September 4, 2014

GRADE 11 - 2015	REPORT TIME
J360	8:00 A.M.
J362	8:00 A.M.
J364	8:00 A.M.
J366	8:25 A.M.
B220	8:25 A.M.
B229	8:25 A.M.
B231	8:50 A.M.
B240	8:50 A.M.
J280	8:50 A.M.
J282	9:20 A.M.
J284	9:20 A.M.
J286	9:20 A.M.
BR463	9:55 A. M.
BR487	9:55 A. M.
BR488	9:55 A. M.
BR490	10:20 A.M.
GRADE 12 - 2014	REPORT TIME
H314	10:20 A.M.
H315	10:20 A.M.
H316	10:45 A.M.
H317	10:45 A.M.
B226	10:45 A.M.
B230	11:15 A.M.

B330	12 NOON	H413	11:15 A.M.
B332	12:20 P.M.	H408	11:15 A.M.
H406	12:20 P.M.	J264	12 NOON
J386	12:20 P.M.	J266	12 NOON
J387	12:40 P.M.	J268	12 NOON
J388	12:40 P.M.	J363	12:20 P.M.
J390	12:40 P.M.	BR460	12:20 P.M.
BR464	1:10 P.M.	BR462	12:20 P.M.
BR466	1:10 P.M.	J368	12:40 P.M.
BR468	1:40 P.M.	H416	12:40 P.M.
BR472	1:40 P.M.		

Helpful hints to staff; get these in your calendar now.

**Parent-teacher conferences evening number 1,
Monday, November 3, 5:00-7:30 pm**

**Parent-teacher conferences evening number 2,
Thursday, January 29, 5:00-7:00 pm**

In both cases the conferences precede a professional development day, Tuesday, November 4th and Friday, January 30.

At this current time, there only a few ink cartridges available to give out. The technology department is waiting for a major shipment of ink cartridges. Once they arrive, they will be disbursed to all the schools and orders will be filled.

Please be patient, as we do not know the exact date the shipment is arriving and then it will take a couple of days to disburse the shipment to all of the schools.

Please email Lucia Musilli with your ink request. She is keeping a list and as soon as she receives the new ink cartridges, she will disburse them.

Reminder, at the current time, all technology related problems should be reported to Barbara Scibelli.

Have a good day!

Beth Horwitz, Natalia Brennan, and Lucia Musilli (your BTS Team at MHS)

2014 Advanced Placement Scholar Data

Data includes members of the Class of 2014
and current members of the Classes of
2015, 2016

Malden High School (221305) Total Scholars: 84; Average Score: 3.55

	AP Scholar	AP Scholar with Honor	AP Scholar with Distinction	National AP Scholar
Number of Scholars	50	10	24	5
Average Score	2.99	3.51	4.10	4.44

- **AP Scholar:**
Granted to students who receive scores of 3 or higher on three or more AP Exams

- **AP Scholar with Honor:**
Granted to students who receive an average score of at least 3.25 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams

- **AP Scholar with Distinction:**
Granted to students who receive an average score of at least 3.5 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams

- **National AP Scholar:**
Granted to students in the United States who receive an average score of at least 4 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 4 or higher on eight or more of these exams

Open student bathrooms

Boyle Building

First floor bathrooms adjacent to cafeteria

Second floor boys and girls bathrooms

Third floor boys and girls bathrooms

Jenkins/Brunelli Building

Third floor girls room

Fourth floor boys room

Holland Building

Boys and girls locker room bathrooms

Boys and girls bathrooms adjacent to Gym

Second floor student bathrooms are PACE bathrooms for PACE students only

- **Boyle Building-fourth floor, boys and girls-CLOSED**
- **Holland Building, third and fourth floors, boys and girls-CLOSED**
- **Jenkins/Brunelli Building,**
 - **Basement floors boys and girls-CLOSED**
 - **2nd floors boys and girls-CLOSED**
 - **third floor boys-CLOSED**
 - **fourth floor girls-CLOSED**