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IMPORTANT DATES	
MARCH	
9	10th Grade Student/Parent/Counselor Meeting, Zoom, 7pm
10	AP Art Concentration Show, Palmer Art Gallery, 6-8pm
12	SAT at MHS
15	**11:45 start time for all students**
	**NEW DATE ** Incoming 9th Grade Orientation, Zoom, 6pm
	Transition Meeting for Incoming 9th Graders w IEPs, Zoom, 7pm
16-19	PACE Soundscapes, PACE Theatre, 7pm
29	Informal Q&A for Incoming 9th Grade Parents, PACE Theatre, 6pm
31	Strings Ensemble Concert, McClain Auditorium, 7pm
APRIL	
2	ACT at MHS
6	MHS Band/Vocal/Ensemble Concert, McClain Auditorium, 7pm
11-15	Spring Break - No School
20	Parent Conversation with Principal, 9am & 7pm
22	Third Quarter Ends
26	MHS Spring Concert, McClain Auditorium, 7pm
27-30	PACE Kinesthesia, PACE Theatre, 7pm

[Click here](#) for the MHS Daily Schedule

[Click here](#) for the Bell Schedule

Questions for the PTSA? Email mamkhspts@gmail.com

PTSA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Have you always wanted to be a part of the PTSA but didn't know how to get involved? Here's your big chance! :)

The following roles are in need of being filled:

Communication (shared role)

Treasurer

Diversity

Please [email the Nominating Committee](#)
to learn more about the roles/to volunteer.

10th Grade Parent/Family Meeting Wednesday March 9th at 7pm on Zoom

At this virtual meeting, we'll discuss course selection for junior year which includes new choices as well as advanced options. We will also discuss college testing and how to start a college search process.

This program will be offered in both English and in Spanish at the same time. Registration for the program is required. [Please use this form to register.](#)

We will send out Zoom invitations to the meetings on the afternoon of March 9th to those who have registered.

Please reach out to your child's counselors with any questions.

ACT/SAT Test Prep

If your child is looking to take either the March 12th SAT, the April 2nd ACT, or they're unsure which test to take, the PTSA has partnerships with local organizations to help.

Zoffness College Prep:

If your child knows which test they would like to prepare for, you'll find test prep details [HERE](#). If they are unsure which test to take, Zoffness offers a unique diagnostic process to guide your child's decision based on which test offers the best fit. For diagnostic information, click [HERE](#).

The Center for Continuing Education:

New for spring, The Center for Continuing Ed will also offer a full slate of test

prep courses for teens. The classes will be conducted in the evenings at Mamaroneck High School, in partnership with Evolve Exam Prep. For the full list of courses, including AP, Regents and ACT/SAT click [HERE](#).

** We're grateful to both organizations for their commitment to offering financial assistance to those in need. Please have your child contact their counselor to discuss scholarship options.*

**9th Grade Orientation for Parents and Students
Tuesday, March 15th at 6pm on Zoom
& Tuesday March 29th at 6pm in person**

This year, incoming 9th grade students (no parents) will have the opportunity to tour MHS at 8am on March 15th.

That evening, parents and students are welcome to attend orientation on Zoom at 6pm, with all of the content an in-person orientation would include.

Parents are also welcome to attend an informal Q & A in person on March 29th at 7pm in the PACE theatre.

From the YES Office (Youth Employment Office) at MHS

The YES Office assists students to find a variety of jobs in the local community such as babysitting, tutoring, dog walking, yard work, party help, computer and tech support, commercial and summer jobs, etc. The office also helps local employers find students to perform such jobs.

To post your job please check our NEW website [HERE](#).

To Seniors from the MHS Financial Aid Office

Now that most of your college applications have been submitted, have you considered applying for scholarships to help to pay for your continued education?

Check out the scholarship opportunities on the [MHS Scholarship Database](#). This list is updated often so be sure to check for updates regularly. If you have any questions, [contact Shaina Ferguson](#), Financial Aid Advisor.

Scholarship applications for the Mamaroneck Larchmont Student Aid Fund are now available. The Student Aid Fund (SAF) awards scholarships for MHS graduates that have financial need to continue their full time postgraduate education. **Deadline for the application is March 31**, but do not wait too long to complete the online application. You can learn more about the Student Aid Fund and find links to the application on their website: www.mlsaf.org

MHS Red Cross Club Blood Drive

March 31, 8am-2pm (Day two with advisory)

Sponsored by the Red Cross

*The drive is open to MHS staff and MHS Seniors **ONLY**.*
Required permission slip and height/weight requirements
are posted on Class of '22 Google Classroom.

The link to sign up is [here](#).

Please scroll to Mamaroneck High School

Seniors who would like to donate should do their best to find a time during a free period if they have one. If they do not have a free period, they can donate during a class period, **BUT** the teacher must be informed and grant permission. **Additionally, for any seniors who would like to donate, a permission slip is required. This permission slip must be turned in to the guidance before the day of the drive**, there will be a bin located in the guidance office for these slips.

Please contact Club President [Spencer Irwin](#) with any questions.

Save the Date - April 23rd!

Larchmont Mamaroneck K-12 Chess Day

Please save Saturday, April 23rd for our first annual Larchmont/Mamaroneck K-12 Chess Day (with a rain date of April 24th).

With support from the PT Council, we will host Learn to Play sessions for MUFSD students and a K-12 Chess Tournament for our community and surrounding communities (with both rated and novice/unrated sections).

The event will be all outside at Central School.
More information and registration links coming soon!

Want to volunteer? Please email [Athena Belsito-Maikish](#).

JOIN THE PTA & GET THE MHS DIRECTORY

When you join the PTSA, for only \$15 per family, your household will have access to the directory for the 2021-2022 school year!

Join the PTSA [here](#) or click on "Join & Donate" from the [AtoZ website](#) menu.
Please make sure to verify your information for the new [MHS directory here](#).

If you need financial assistance, contact [Greg Cuddy](#). If you have any questions please [email the Directory chairs](#).

Did you know that we have a professional photographer at many of our school events?

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 Use this access code to view and purchase photos: 3515E22

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Student Support Committee Upcoming Events

Transition Meeting for Incoming 9th Graders with IEPs**Tuesday, 3/15 at 7:00pm (Zoom)****** PLEASE NOTE DATE & TIME CHANGE ****

Parents of Special Education students will have the opportunity to learn about the Special Education programs at MHS and how we intend to support your children as they transition to high school. Click [here](#) to register and receive the Zoom link.

Parent Connection: All About College**Monday, 3/21 at 7:00pm (Zoom)**

Please join the Student Support Committee for a special session featuring parents of children with 504s and IEPs who have gone through the application process and are currently in college. Come learn from their experiences and ask questions to help you and your children navigate the college selection and admission process. Click [here](#) to register and receive the Zoom link.

If you have questions about support services at MHS, please reach out to our Student Support Committee representatives, [Michele Metsch](#) or [Lisa Collins](#).

Upcoming BOE Meetings

All Board of Education meetings will now be held in McLain Auditorium at Mamaroneck High School. LMC Media Center will continue to air the meetings Live [HERE](#). Face masks and social distancing required.

Board of Education Study Session, 7 pm Tuesday, March 8*McLain Auditorium, Mamaroneck High School****Topic: Authentic Learning**

Televised by LMC Media

[Click Here](#) to view the meeting on LMC Media's website OR watch the meeting on Optimum Channel 76/FiOS Channel 35

Board of Education Meeting, 7 pm Tuesday, March 15*McLain Auditorium, Mamaroneck High School****Topic: Superintendent's Recommended Budget Presented**

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MHS Tiger Bytes is a weekly PTSA email update for parents and school personnel. Tiger Bytes submission requests should be sent to MHSTigerBytes@gmail.com by Wednesday for publication on Sunday. Tiger Bytes publication is at the sole discretion of the PTSA presidents and must adhere to established guidelines.

If you have questions about a posted item and no contact info is listed, send an email to PTSA co-

presidents [Melisa Prevost](#) & [Kerry Sneyd](#)

Your copy should address 3 key questions: Who am I writing for? (Audience) Why should they care? (Benefit) What do I want them to do here? (Call-to-Action)

Create a great offer by adding words like "free" "personalized" "complimentary" or "customized." A sense of urgency often helps readers take an action, so think about inserting phrases like "for a limited time only" or "only 7 remaining!"

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