

MHS E-Newsletter September 8, 2024

School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting - The first SAC meeting of the school year is Monday, September 9th at 6:00pm in the MHS main office, 2nd floor conference room. (Please park in the staff parking lot, the entrance is on 35th Street West and park in the visitors' spots along 9th Ave West, or close to the main office entrance. Someone will be at the blue door next to the main entrance to greet you and show you where to go). All parents/guardians are welcome to come. These meetings are a great way to stay informed on school activities, meet administrators and ask questions.

Homecoming 2024 - Student Government is already planning Homecoming 2024 activities. The Homecoming game is Oct. 18th. At this game, we will have the grade level princes and princesses walk as well as the senior court. The king and queen will be crowned at that time.

The dance is October 19th. Tickets will go on sale Oct. 11 and continue until the end of the day Oct 18 for \$25. Tickets will not be sold in class. They may be purchased before and after school and during all three lunches.

School Pictures This Week - Picture Days for 9th, 10th and 11th graders are September 10th and 11th. Students will have photos taken during their English classes.

College Fairs

The MHS College Fair is September 23rd during the school day. Juniors and Seniors will attend with their classes. We have about 45 colleges/universities/technical schools who will be here to share information with students and answer any questions they have. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to discover colleges!

That evening, the district is hosting a Post Secondary Education Night at MTC from 5:30pm-7:30pm. This college fair is open to all students and their parents/guardians. They will have representatives from dozens of colleges, as well as information sessions on Bright Futures and more.

Progress Reports - Q1 Progress Reports will be available in the FOCUS Parent Portal on 9/13. [Click here](#) for instructions on how to view your child's Progress Report or Report Card from the Parent Portal.

College 101 From Florida Shines - Florida Shines is offering free College 101 webinars. Thinking about going to college but don't know where to start? Register for these online events. [Click here](#) for details, dates and links to register.

Testing - FAST retakes for 11th and 12th graders will be on 9/10/24. Algebra EOC retakes for students who need to test will be on 9/11/24. Email Mr. Gage if you have any questions, gagec@manateeschools.net

Important Dates

September 9th - School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting - 6pm

September 11th - Blood Drive at MHS

September 23rd - MHS College Fair

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parents/guardians