

2019 MASD TEACHER OF THE YEAR



Cassandra Pribanich, MAHS physics teacher, was selected by her peers as the 2019 MASD Teacher of the Year. Ms. Pribanich joined Raider Nation in 2009 and began her teaching career as a physics and math teacher. Pribanich earned her masters in Educational Development and Strategies from Wilkes University in 2015. It was no surprise to MAHS students that Ms. Pribanich was chosen for this honor. She is often selected by Students of the Month as their teacher of influence.



RAIDERTIMES

OCT | NOV | DEC | 2019

contact numbers

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 Receptionist: option 1
 Attendance: option 2
 Guidance: option 3
 Nurse: option 4
 Cafeteria: option 5
 Athletics: option 7

Welcome, New Teachers!



Colleen Bagley
Science



Seth Decker
Industrial Tech



Christy Dietz
English



Mike Lupia
Learning Support



Camryn Shank
Social Studies

PSU Band Jam

09-07-19



The Blue Wave Marching Band participated in the Penn State Band Jam on September 7, 2019. The Blue Wave Band first performed a short song and watched the other high schools perform. The Penn State Band performed their marching band show music and finished the event with having all of the high schools play a short song along side them. Afterwards the Blue Wave Band attended the Penn State football game and watched the Penn State Band's performance during halftime.

*Madalyne McGovern, Class of 2020
Communications Intern*



Senior Interns



Back Row: Leilani Fulmer, Victoria Lopez, Megan Burghdorf,
Madalyne McGovern, Destiney Gutshall,
Emily Bivens, Madison Gipe

Middle Row: Caroline Gill, Da'Nautyca Harris, Kaylee Bloom,
Courtney Shaffer, Kayla Gutshall, Alyssa Martz,
Kendall Stiffler, Alexia Jorich, Hailey Hockenberry

Front Row: Max Miller, Cassie Ebersole, Kiera Guckavan,
Noelle Zimmerman, Camryn Russ,
Casey Eckert, Jaden Miller

Not pictured: Nicole Altland and Kate Fitzpatrick

Alexis Habbershon was selected as a Commended Student in the 2020 National Merit Scholarship Program. Commended Students place among the top 50,000 scorers of more than 1.5 million students who entered the competition.



Winter Weather

Announcements concerning school closings, delayed openings or early dismissals are communicated in the following ways: raiderweb.org, through SchoolMessenger based on parent's preferred contact method (call, text, email), Facebook, Twitter and on local radio and television outlets. Please update your emergency contact information in the "Contact Manager" section of your Powerschool Parent Portal so you can receive these important messages.

Use of Cell Phones in School

Personal cell phone use is permitted during the school day. Use in the classroom will be determined by the classroom teacher. Use in other parts of the building will be as follows:

- no use of any kind in bathrooms
- no video or audio recording
- no calls are to be made or received without the permission of staff from the main office

Delayed Start Mondays

ALL Freshmen are required to attend school during the Delayed Start Mondays for the duration of the first marking period. Ninth-grade students will be introduced to a variety of activities that are designed to create a successful transition into the high school community. In order to earn the option to attend or not attend Delayed Start Mondays for the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th marking period, freshmen must meet 3 out of the 5 following criteria:

Perseverance: no unexcused lates (to class or school) or unexcused absences

Respect: no behavioral issues that result in a write up to the Office

Integrity: Being actively involved in the School Community (participate or attend clubs, sports, fine arts, extracurricular, etc)

Discipline: complete all classwork and turn it in on time

Excellence: earn Academic Honor Roll for the Marking Period

The P.R.I.D.E. criteria will be routinely monitored so it is very important that freshmen chose to do their best and make appropriate decisions. If they choose to not attend the activities during the Delayed Start Mondays, it will be considered an unexcused late. Students will be provided a notice at the start of each marking period indicating whether or not they have earned the option to not attend the freshmen activities on Delayed Start Mondays.



Attendance

Habitual tardiness could lead to consequences such as loss of privileges and possible fines. Student absences should be reported by calling the school prior to 9:00 a.m. on the day of the absence. When a student is absent, parents will receive an automated call through the SchoolMessenger system. Upon returning to school following an absence, a note with parent's signature, reason for absence, and date of absence is required. **IF A NOTE IS NOT RECEIVED WITHIN THREE DAYS, THE ABSENCE IS CONSIDERED ILLEGAL.**

Annual Student Update

Each year, parents must update their Powerschool accounts for EVERY CHILD who is attending a MASD school. This enables the District to contact you immediately in the event of an emergency involving your child. Parents are also able to select their contact preferences so they can specify to receive a phone call, text or email for weather related delays and cancellations. **NOTE TO PARENTS:** If you choose to use your child's iPad to log into PowerSchool, you must use YOUR username and password NOT your child's log-in.



FEATURED PATHWAY

SCIENCE & HEALTH

The Science & Health (SH) Pathway is designed to cultivate students' interests in the life, physical and behavioral sciences. Students are provided experiences in therapeutic services, diagnostic services, health services, and biochemistry research development. The SH Pathway includes Health Science (HS), Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources (AFN), Science, Technology and Math (STM).



Johnny Jumper, Amanda Lee, Isha Shah, Leilani Fulmer, Jordyn Dupes, Dane Ebersole and Skelly

SCIENCE & HEALTH OPPORTUNITIES

Live Surgery, Whitaker Center
Nurse's Aid Training, HACC
PULSE Program, Penn State Hershey Medical Center
Partnership for Career Development, Business of Wellness
UPMC Programs:
Student/Parent Health Care Career Night
Destination Imaging
Experience the Lab
Extreme Nursing

INTERNSHIP PLACEMENTS

Pinnacle Health
Drayer PT
The Hetrick Center
Spring Creek Rehabilitation
OT/Speech Therapy

DUAL ENROLLMENT

Medical Terminology
Biology
Environmental Science
Astronomy

COURSE ELECTIVES

Health Science
Anatomy and Physiology
Athletic Training
Forensics
Chemistry
Botany/Zoology

ONLINE COURSES

Pharmacology for Medical Careers

CAREER PATHWAYS DAY

NOVEMBER 21 - A DAY-LONG CAREER EXPERIENCE FOR ALL MAHS STUDENTS

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Freshmen will participate in the STEM Summit which is hosted by Junior Achievement of South Central PA. Students rotate between hands-on activities in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math.



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Penn State Harrisburg and HACC will host a Post-Secondary Education Summit for the sophomores. A panel of representatives from area colleges will give advice pertaining to college searching, SAT and ACT testing, as well as the college application and interview process. Students will also rotate between four sessions for further training in the post-secondary process including NCAA, ROTC and student panels.

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Juniors will participate in the annual Shadow Day. Each student is assigned a mentor in the local community who is working in the career interest of the student.

SHADOW DAY HOSTS NEEDED

If you would be interested in hosting a student at your place of employment on November 21, please contact Career Coordinator, Michele Myers at mmyers@raiderweb.org by **Friday, October 18, 2019.**

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Seniors will participate in multiple activities at the High School which will provide them with training in job interviewing. Local business partners will conduct mock interviews using seniors who are prepared to show both proper and improper interview attire and demeanor.

OCTOBER

14
NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Staff Development
Columbus Day
1st Make-up Day

16
PSAT for Juniors

19
2019 Homecoming
Homecoming Dance, 7:00p

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Picture Retake Day

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End of 1st Marking Period

31
ASVAB Exam for Sophomores

NOVEMBER

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NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Staff Development

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Freshmen STEM Summit
Sophomore Post-Secondary Summit
Junior Shadow Day
Senior Interview Workshop
Financial Aid Night, 7pm in LGI

23-24
MAHS Fall Play

27-DEC 2
NO SCHOOL
Thanksgiving Recess
Nov. 27 - 2nd Make-up Day

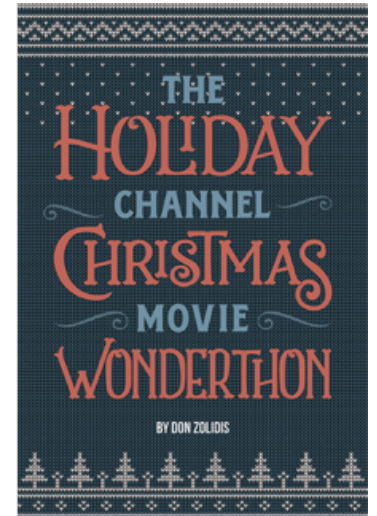


DECEMBER

02
NO SCHOOL
Thanksgiving Recess

18
MAHS Holiday
Concert, 7p

23-JAN 2
NO SCHOOL
Winter Recess



7:30a	FBLA PANCAKE BREAKFAST
12:00p	HOMECOMING PARADE
2:00p	FOOTBALL GAME Raiders vs. East Pennsboro Homecoming Court

ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT PANCAKE BREAKFAST

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2019
7:30-10:00a

INCLUDES
pancakes, sausage, eggs, coffee, juice

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FEATURING
a sports memorabilia silent auction

TICKETS
Adults: \$10; Ages 8 & under: \$5
Tickets are available at the MAHS office
or by email at mmyers@raiderweb.org.