



The MACHS Anchor



Providing information about the school and maritime industry to faculty, family, and friends

Set Sail with these Lists of Events:

Middle School:

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| Mon, 10/27 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Chess Practice 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM |
| Tue, 10/28 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day Girls Basketball Game at School Lane - 3:30 PM After School Tutoring SeaPerch |
| Wed, 10/29 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Community Meetings for Grades 3, 4, 5, & 7 Girls Basketball Practice - 4:00 PM - 5:15 PM |
| Thu, 10/30 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day Community Meetings for Grades 6 & 8 Quarterly Exams Begin After School Tutoring Chess Practice 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Girls Basketball Practice - 4:00 PM - 5:15 PM SeaPerch |
| Fri, 10/31 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Dress Down Day - \$2 Box Tops for Education Due Quarterly Exams NJHS Applications Due Sailing - 3:00 PM |
| Other Important Reminders: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Election Day is on Tuesday, November 4th. Because the middle school is not a polling location, classes will be in session. Quarterly Exams Continue Next Week 1st Quarter Ends on November 6th | |



High School:

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| Mon, 10/27 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day SeaPerch SGA Meeting Varsity Volleyball Game at Northeast HS - 1515 Home & School Association Meeting - 1800 |
| Tue, 10/28 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day Seamanship & Navigation Class visit Capt. Cointot's Tug at the Navy Yard - 1230 Latin Dance Club Study Hall |
| Wed, 10/29 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day ASVAB Test - 0800 Varsity Volleyball Game - 1515 Spanish II Credit Recovery Begins |
| Thu, 10/30 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day Port Richmond Veterans Park Clean up CPR Certification Classes Soccer Club Study Hall |
| Fri, 10/31 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Box Tops for Education Due |
| Other Important Reminders: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Election Day is on Tuesday, November 4th. There will be no school for students only. 1st Quarter Ends on November 6th | |



Bravo Zulu!

Recognizing success and points of pride around MACHS



High School Students Prepare for Their Future

The college fair on Thursday night, jointly sponsored by Maritime Academy Charter High School and Philadelphia Academy Charter School, was a great success. Many MACHS students and their parents attended and received information from over 30 college and trade school representatives. MACHS students received many compliments from recruiters for their thoughtful questions and polite behavior. We extend our gratitude to our Director of Student Services, Ms. Colleen Arnold (HS), for this amazing opportunity for our cadets.



Pictures from the College Fair.

MACHS Acquires 21st Century CLC Grant

We are proud to announce that Maritime Academy Charter School recently obtained a 21st Century Community Learning Center Grant. Many may have been dismayed to see the amount of school programs minimized due to ongoing budget cuts throughout Philadelphia. This funding will again allow our schools to offer a variety of enrichment programs to strengthen the skills of our students. Stay tuned for further information regarding upcoming clubs, sports, and activities for both the middle and high schools!

A Fundraiser of Sailors



In the wartime photograph above, two sailors unpack "ditty bags" containing a variety of comforts like knitted socks, books, games, candy, and gum. We are asking MACHS cadets to purchase items to fill ditty bags that will be distributed to sailors away from home this holiday season. A donation of \$1 may be made to purchase an item. Please bring your item or \$1 to homeroom during the week of November 17th. The winning homeroom in each grade will receive a dress down day, and their homeroom teacher will win a WAWA gift card! This is also open to all middle and high school students and staff. For more information, contact Mrs. Orosz at oroszk@maritimecharter.org.

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Lighting the Way

Maritime industry news that guides our students towards understanding

The Navy Yard a Location for Business and Leisure

Some of us may hear "Navy Yard," and think of its thriving success from long ago. While it is considered one of the oldest shipyards in the United States, it still continues to provide prolific opportunities for businesses, industries, and even researchers. Most recently, NXTsports has decided to move their operations from Bala Cynwyd to the 1,200-acre location. As a company whose focus is on sports education programs and events for the youth, NXTsports not only provides potential experiences for students, but it also brings additional employment opportunities to Philadelphia.

Another business that will be opening this week at The Navy Yard's campus is Lo Spiedo. This restaurant has already drawn the attention of many who work at the shipyard, and its opening follows a series of other leisure activities like food truck tours, yoga classes, and it's inaugural 5k that took place this past summer.

With all of these wonderful happenings, The Navy Yard could be a location for all to visit. Whether it be for business for leisure, this maritime location has a depth of influence on our city and our school. If you would like more information regarding their events, please visit <http://navyyard.org/>.



A Few Final Remarks and a Preview for Next Week

For this last week in October, we would like to take the time to conclude with some celebratory items that were submitted by readers. Earlier editions may not have provided us the space to include such items, but we simply couldn't end the month without these notable recognitions!

1. Maritime Academy Charter High School's September Cadet of the Month was **Cameryn Rivera (HS)**. For those who do not know who she is, here are some kind words from her teachers:
 - "No student cares more about her work than Cameryn. This was well deserved. Congratulations Cameryn!" -Mr. Adamchak
 - "Cameryn is locked on in class and is a great shipmate to her classmates!" -Chief Hentnick
 - "Cameryn is a great student. She is prepared for class each day and really gives an outstanding effort." -Mr. Hewitt
 - "Cameryn is always on time with assignments and turns in quality work. She never hesitates to get involved in the class, causing her participation to encourage others." -Mr. Lint
 - "Cameryn is focused, hardworking, and has a positive attitude! Let's not forget her amazing skills on the Marimba." -Ms. Saville
 - "Cameryn is naturally gifted in Mathematics! It is a pleasure to have her in class and on my volleyball team!" -Ms. Stillwell
2. **Mr. Lint** may be known for his dedicated work as our middle and high school teacher, but did you know that he also continues his passion beyond the classroom? Mr. Lint organized a group of individuals to create an exhibit that is currently on display at Gallery 13W. For more information regarding the multi-media display, please e-mail him at lint.j@maritimecharter.org.
3. Finally, **Mr. Doyle's (MS)** chess members participated in their first competition a couple of weekends ago. They have shown dominant success over the past few years under Coach Doyle's leadership, and we have no doubt that they'll continue to excel!



Do you have news to share? Send your pictures, stories, and ideas to newsletter@maritimecharter.org.