



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:

Mon, 12/5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day Computer-Based Tutoring – 7:15 AM – 8:15 AM Canned Food Drive Continues (Ends 12/13/16) SGA – 2:30 PM Girls' Basketball Game at Northwood – 3:30 PM Character Development – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Debate Club – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Junior Reporters' Club – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Math & RELA Tutoring – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Scrapbooking/Cardmaking – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Home & School Meeting – 6:00 PM (Rm. 114)
Tue, 12/6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Computer-Based Tutoring – 7:15 AM – 8:15 AM NJHS Meeting – 2:30 PM (Lunchroom) Art Club – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Character Development – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Cooking Club – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Junior Reporters' Club – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Lego Robotics – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Math & RELA Tutoring – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Scrapbooking/Cardmaking – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM
Wed, 12/7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day Computer-Based Tutoring – 7:15 AM – 8:15 AM Girls' Basketball Game at PACS – 3:30 PM Character Development – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Chess – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Environmental Club – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Girls' Basketball Practice – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Math & RELA Tutoring – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM
Thu, 12/8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Computer-Based Tutoring – 7:15 AM – 8:15 AM Community Meetings Art Club – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Character Development – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Cooking Club – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Junior Authors' Club – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Math & RELA Tutoring – 4:00 PM – 6:30 PM Scrapbooking/Cardmaking – 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM
Fri, 12/9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day Computer-Based Tutoring – 7:15 AM – 8:15 AM Community Meetings Gr. 7-8 "Glow in the Dark" Dance – Bldg. 41 (6:00 PM-9:00 PM)
Other Important Reminders: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12/13 – Canned Food Drive Ends 12/14 – New Teacher Induction; Q2 Interims Due by 5:00 PM 12/14-12-21 – Holiday Bazaar 12/16 – Re-Enrollment Forms Due; Noon Dismissal 	



High School:

Mon, 12/5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day Morning Tutoring – 6:30 AM – 7:30 AM FREE Adult ESL Class – 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM Home & School Meeting – 6:00 PM
Tue, 12/6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Morning Tutoring – 6:30 AM – 7:30 AM FREE Finance Lesson for Adults – 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Wed, 12/7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> B Day National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day Morning Tutoring – 6:30 AM – 7:30 AM FREE Adult ESL Class – 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM
Thu, 12/8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Day Morning Tutoring – 6:30 AM – 7:30 AM U.S. Naval Sea Cadets
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Bravo Zulu!



Recognizing success and points of pride around MACHS

Fourth Annual Bingo Fundraiser Raises over \$6,000

Over 225 attendees filled their stomachs, grabbed their daubers, and supported our school on Friday during our **4th Annual Bingo Fundraiser**. Organized by **Mrs. McDevitt** and her loyal committee members, 13 games were played, more than 30 raffle baskets were won, and over \$500 was awarded to one lucky 50:50 winner! All of the fun and games was to benefit our school, and we are proud to announce a profit of over \$6,000! We extend our gratitude to our numerous benefactors, as well as to those who promoted, attended, and supported our annual fundraising event. The money raised will be used to enhance the learning programs in both the middle and high schools. Below are some pictures from the event:



Save the Date: Family Night at the Sixers

Last year, over 100 cadets, parents, and staff joined us for our **Annual Family Night at the Sixers** event. This year, we invite all to see the Philadelphia 76ers battle the Dallas Mavericks on **Friday, March 17, 2017 at 7:05 PM**. Tickets will cost \$30 per ticket, or four tickets for \$110. Basketball players for the middle school or high school can earn discounted admission (\$15) for selling 4 tickets.

Flyers will be distributed soon, but you can contact **Ms. Fanega** or **Mrs. Forbes** for tickets. Additional tickets won't be ordered this year, so don't miss out! Finally, one special cadet from each school will be able to go onto the court to see the starting players and provide referees the game ball. More information on how the winner will be selected will be provided at a later date.



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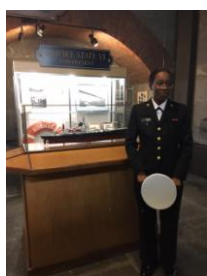
Lighting the Way

Maritime industry news that guides our students towards understanding

High School Cadets Visit Alumna at SUNY Maritime

Ahdiyah Robey (c/o 2016) was a stellar cadet and student government representative in the middle school, and continued onto our high school just as involved in our U.S. Naval Sea Cadets program and other outstanding school functions. Therefore it was with great pride that **Mr. Washington** and **Ms. Bogan** accompanied numerous high school cadets last month on a field trip to **State University of New York (SUNY) Maritime College**. Not only did cadets learn about Ahdiyah's path from Maritime to here, but they also learned about her plans once she graduates from college. Part of their trip also included touring the **Maritime Industry Museum**.

We are extremely proud of Ahdiyah's progress over the years, and have no doubt that she'll continue to "light the way" for others at Maritime Academy Charter School. Below are some pictures from the day that were captured by Ms. Bogan:



A Few Final Remarks and a Preview for Next Week

We are in our first full week of December and quickly approaching the end of 2016. Don't miss out on these many upcoming events:

- On **Monday, December 5th**, there will be **Home and School Meetings** for both the middle school and the high school. Each of the meetings will begin at **6:00 PM** at their respective buildings. We hope to see you there to hear your ideas and feedback regarding school events and activities.
- Also beginning on **Monday, 12/5/16** are **FREE Adult ESL Classes**. We acknowledge that as a charter school in an urban school district, many of our parents do not speak English as their primary language. In an effort to bridge the communication gap, we are offering these free classes as just one way of extending our community of learners. It is not too late to register, and dinner is provided. For more information, you may contact either **Mr. Walsh** (walsh.s@maritimecharter.org) or **Mr. Lytz** (lytz.b@maritimecharter.org).
- **Community Meetings** will take place in the middle school this **Thursday (12/8/16)** and **Friday (12/9/16)**. During this time, cadets who have earned first or second honors, in addition to our usual Cadets of the Month.
- Finally, **Friday, December 9th** will also be the **7th and 8th grade Winter Dance**. This year's theme will be **"Glow in the Dark."** Please remember to submit your signed RSVP slip and \$5 to your advisory teachers before Friday. Otherwise, it will be \$6 at the door. The dress code must follow our typical Dress Down Day rules. Any questions can be directed towards Ms. Fanega (fanega.d@maritimecharter.org).

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