

Dear Parents./Guardians:

Important happenings at the MHS: (Week of 5/17/2021):

- **We have more students coming back!!!**
 - On Monday we will have more students in our building than we have had since March 13, 2021.
 - The staff are excited to see more faces in person.
 - I have attached a [brief slideshow](#) for all parents and students, especially those who have not been in the building since last year. It outlines our safety protocols. I ask that everyone take a moment and view the slides. Simply click on present in the top right corner once the link takes you to the page.

- **The Prom is coming!**
 - Our prom is this Thursday. I [shared information](#) with high school parents last week about our protocols. I also met with students attending to inform them. Please take a moment to review the [information](#). Contact the school if you have any questions.
 - MHS students attending the prom must have a Covid-19 test on Monday. Here is [a copy of the form](#) that must be printed and presented to our Nurse. All items with an (*) must be entered. This includes insurance information; however, you will not be charged.
 - All students should have the online Covid-19 questionnaire completed for school on Thursday; this will also allow them to attend the prom.
 - Here is a copy of the [Covid-19 questionnaire](#) that will need to be printed, completed, and provided to our Nurse prior to getting on the bus for any student attending the prom that is not a MHS student.

- **Graduations are coming!**
 - We will have our 8th and 12th grade graduations on Friday, June 18, 2021. The 8th grade will be at 2:00 pm and the 12th at 6:00 pm. Both will be held in our MHS gymnasium.
 - We promise two tickets per student. At this time, I cannot promise any more; I wish I could. As we get closer, if this changes, I will notify everyone.
 - I am sorry, I cannot take requests for extra tickets.

- **Please see the attached flyer regarding youth programs at the South Amboy YMCA**

PTO NEWS:

- **#SAPhotoHunt**
 - Finally (for now!) the PTO will be presenting a South Amboy Photo Hunt from May 10-24. Families can enter to win a \$50 gift certificate to a local restaurant by taking pictures at the ten specified locations — and earn extra entries by completing a South Amboy trivia challenge! Check out the flyer for more information and head over to the SA Photo Hunt Facebook Group to join the fun! facebook.com/groups/SAPhotoHunt.

- Be sure to follow the PTO's Facebook page for the most up-to-date info on upcoming activities: facebook.com/southamboyppto.

- **This week:**
 - **Monday**
 - Purple Day
 - Prom Covid-19 testing (**bring hard copy of completed form**)
 - Students in person will go during the school day
 - Virtual students and guests from outside our school test between 1:30pm to 2:30pm.
 - **Tuesday**
 - Gold Day
 - **Wednesday**
 - Purple Day
 - **Thursday**
 - Gold Day
 - Prom
 - MHS student must have online Covid-19 form completed in the morning
 - Guests must bring hard copy of completed form to Nurse
 - Students board buses at 6:25 pm
 - Buses leave at 6:30pm
 - Please do not gather for photos on school grounds
 - **Friday**
 - Gold Day

- **Looking ahead:**
 - a. **May 26** - AP exam, Language and Composition
 - b. **May 27** - Senior car photos in rear parking lot from 1:30pm to 2:00pm
 - c. **May 27** - Student Council Car Wash at BOE parking lot from 4-6pm
 - d. **May 31** - Memorial Day - school closed

- e. **June 2** - Honor Societies have their Induction Ceremony at 3pm. This will be live streamed and embedded on our school website.
- f. **June 3** - AP exam, Government and Politics
- g. **June 3** - Benchmarks/Finals begin
- h. **June 11** - Eighth Grade Formal
- i. **June 15** - Marking period four ends
- j. **June 16-18** - Short sessions
- k. **June 18** - Tentative Eighth and Twelfth Grade Graduation Ceremonies

If you have any questions, please reach out to the school so we can assist you.

Thank you,
Dr. McCabe