



"Navigating the Future"

Marina High School Newsletter

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The Parent & Student Portal is an easy, convenient way to monitor a student's grades and assignments. By signing up you will have 24 hour access to what is happening in the student's classes. For more information, please go to the following website:

<https://mpusd.illuminatehc.com/register>

Principal's News

Greetings Mariners!

The Marina High School Spring 2019 semester has started! Our teachers and staff feel well rested and our classes are off to a great start. As scholars returned to campus on January 9th, they brought a positive and welcoming momentum with them.

Our winter sports teams are in full swing, with both men and womens soccer and basketball. Our scholars appreciate when their families and friends attend games to encourage them, so we hope to see you at games and tournaments.

To update on the construction of our new gymnasium- the construction crew was hard at work during the holiday break. Our foundational concrete has been poured, our school community looks forward to continue to see it take shape.

As you know our MPC partnership is strong, and continues to strengthen. We have MPC courses being offered again this semester on site. If you have a son or daughter who would like to enroll in one of the courses, send them to

our academic counselors as soon as possible: Aine Daly and Angela Surginor.

This semester we will be hosting an open house, we have a spring break and a few other important dates. They are listed below for your convenience. We hope to see you at all of our on campus events, which are opportunities for our scholars to present the wonderful achievements they have created and developed in their time here at Marina High School.

Spring Break: March 18 - March 29

Open House: April 11

Graduation Day: June 7

Our Marina High School staff and I hope you had a wonderful and restful holiday season. We thank you for your continued commitment to supporting our scholars at home and in the community. A strong partnership between school and family can set the foundation for academic and personal growth.

GO MARINERS!

Best,
Rebecca Tyson
MaHS Principal

Upcoming Events

- Jan 15-21 Spirit Week
- Jan 15 - US Army tabling @ lunch
- Jan 15 - Faculty Meeting @ 3pm
- Jan 16 - Solo PLC
- Jan 16 - JV/VAR BB home game VS King City @ 5:30 & 7pm respectively in CSUMB
- Jan 17-31 Smarter Balanced ELA Interim 2 (9,10 & 11)
- Jan 17 - Boys Soccer away game VS Anzar @ 3:30
- Jan 18 - Winter Ball Rally @ lunch
- Jan 18 - Girls Soccer home game VS Anzar @ 3:30
- Jan 18 - BB JV/VAR away game VS Watsonville High @ 4:30 & 7pm respectively,
- Jan 18 - Winter Season Team pictures after school
- Jan 21 - Boys Soccer home game against CEIBA @2pm
- Jan 22 - Girls Soccer away game against Oakwood @ 3:30
- Jan 23 - PBL/PLC
- Jan 23 - Boys Soccer home game against Oakwood @ 3:30
- Jan 23 - BB home game VS Greenfield in Salinas Boys & Girls Club @ 5:30 & 7pm respectively.
- Jan 24- Club and Class Adviser Meeting @lunch location is TBD
- Jan 24 - National Honor Society Induction in the Cove @ 6pm
- Jan 24 - BB JV/VAR away game in Oakwood @ 5:30 & 7pm respectively
- Jan 25 - Girls B. away game against Pacific Point @ 4pm
- Jan 28 - Girls Soccer away game against Santa Catalina @ 3pm
- Jan 28 - Booster Club meeting in the Library @ 6pm
- Jan 29 - Boys Soccer home game against San Francisco @ 3:30pm
- Jan 29 - BB JV/VAR against Gonzales @ 5:30 & 7pm

Student Activities

Students returned on Jan 9th. The first big ASB event is the Winter Ball, scheduled for Jan 19th in the Marina High Cove. The week prior will be the Rally Week from Monday the 14th thru Friday, the 18th. Each day will have specific attire to show one's school spirit, as follows:
Monday - Pajama Day
Tuesday - Fire and Ice
Wednesday - Black and White
Thursday - the Fab 2000's
Friday - Mariner Spirit Day that culminates in the lunchtime Rally, to include the National Anthem, our own Cadet Corps presenting the flags, and various games with prizes for the assembled scholars. Once Winter Ball is complete, the ASB turns toward Feb 8th, which will be the Sadie Hawkins Dance, with details to be announced later.

Athletics

Winter season is at the halfway point and all teams are really competing every game! Boys and Girls Basketball play tomorrow 1/16, at CSUMB starting at 4:00pm-7:00pm.

Counseling News

Students please remember to keep all your grades C or higher in all classes. Just as a reminder, your MPC course is permanent on your college transcript no matter what college/university you attend. Make sure you are getting all assignments done and turned in on time. Also, keep communication going with all your MaHS and MPC teachers(s)/professor(s).

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- Jan 30 - ILT meeting @ 7:4am - 2:45pm
- Jan 30 - Girls Soccer home game against York School @ 3:30pm
- Jan 30 - Early College Planning Committee in room 23 @ 4:30 - 6:30pm
- Jan 30 - Girls B. away game against Anzar @ 5pm
- Jan 31 - Health Career field trip to Natividad Hospital in Salinas
- Jan 31 - Boys Soccer away game against York School @ 3:30pm
- Jan 31- Academic Recognition Night in the Cove @ 5pm
- Jan 31 BB JV/VAR away game against King City @ 5:30 & 7pm respectively
- February - Black History Month
- Feb 1st - Girls B. away game against CEIBA @ 5:30pm
- Feb 4th - B. Soccer home game against Trinity @ 3:30pm
- Feb 4th - Girls B. away game against Trinity @ 4pm
- Feb 5th -Classified Meeting @ 10am in room 23
- Feb 5th - Faculty meeting @ 3pm location TBD
- Feb 5th - Girls S. home game against Stevenson @ 3:30pm
- Feb 5th - PTSA meeting in the Library @ 5:30pm
- Feb 5 - BB home game VS Watsonville High location TBD
- Feb 6 - Boys S. away game against Stevenson @ 4pm
- Feb 6 - Girls B. away game against Oakwood @ 7pm
- Feb 7 - Cheer Banquet in the Cove @ 6pm
- Feb 7 - BB JV/VAR away game against Greenfield @ 5:30 & 7pm respectively
- Feb 7 - Girls S. away game against Gonzales @ 5:30pm
- Feb 8 - Boys S. home game against Pacific Grove High @ 3:30pm
- Feb 8 - Girls B. away game against Holy Cross @ 5pm
- Feb 8 - Valentines Day Dance in Civic Center Playground @ 7-10pm

Marina Teen Center

Rise and Shine it's Teen Center Time - Got a few moments before school and nowhere to go? Then come to the Marina Teen Center, located at 304 Hillcrest Ave. The Center is open from 6:00 - 8:00 am for breakfast and time to finish up homework or plan out your busy day. This program is open for Marina Teen Center members only. If you would like to become a member or have any questions about events happening at Marina Teen Center call (831) 884-9542 or just stop by.

Would you like to make a difference? The City of Marina Recreation & Cultural Services Department is always looking for volunteers to help keep programs like the Breakfast Club going. Information/Donations, please contact Cathy Meachum (831) 884-9542 or cmeachum@cityofmarina.org.

There are many benefits in being a Marina Teen Center member this year. The Teen Center is a great place for teens to come and participate in the daily activities. The Center is furnished with video game systems, pool tables, computers, outdoor basketball and sand volleyball courts and much more. Yearly membership fee for Marina residents is \$50.00 and \$75.00 for non-residents.

The MST minibus will continue to provide transportation services to and from Preston Park, Schoonover and Frederick Park areas. Enjoy these services at a very low cost of \$.75 cents each way for students. MST will pick you up at any designated MST stop and take you non-stop to and from the Marina Teen Center. To ensure that you catch the bus, please be at your stop 5 minutes before the scheduled pick-up time. Also, anyone in Marina can use MST OnCall, services are provided in most areas of Marina and run Monday thru Friday 7:00 am to 6:00 pm and weekends 8:00 am to 6:00 pm.

Marina Teen Center Happenings in January 2019

On Friday January 18 Teen Center will have a Taco Bar at 3:30pm and will offer a field trip for members to the MaHS vs Watsonville boys basketball game 6-9:30 pm, on Saturday January 19, it's MaHS Sophomore Movie and Karaoke Night, on Saturday January 26 will have a Field Trip to Monterey Whale Fest 2:00-5:00 pm and MaHS Winter Sports Night at the Teen Center - fun, games and catered by Panda Express time is 7:00-10:00 pm. Come join us at the Teen Center for these MaHS event!

- Feb 12 - PTSA meeting in Starbuck in Marina @ 5:30pm
- Feb 13 - Solo PLC @ 2:30 - 3:30pm
- Feb 13 - Staff Soccer game against Students @ 5:30
- Feb 13 - ELAC in the Library @ 6pm
- Feb 14 - Health Career Field Trip to the Tech Museum of Innovation in San Jose @ 8am - 7pm