

Week of January 18 - January 22, 2021

Welcome Back!

We are so excited to have you back at school this week.

A special shout out to Nurse Paquette and Nurse Olive for the amazing job they did organizing the COVID testing last week. Their dedication to our health and safety is what makes returning to school possible!

Monday, January 18

No School - Martin Luther King Day

Tuesday, January 19

Gold Day 1 XBSS Retreat applications sent to Juniors.

Wednesday, January 20

Blue Day 1

Thursday, January 21

Blue Day 2

Rosary - Please join us!

Friday, January 22

Gold Day 2

Rosary - lease join us!

As a reminder, today would be a good time for students to make sure that their MC masks are clean and ready to be worn when they arrive at school. The MC masks are part of the school uniform.

We would also like to remind our young men that they must be clean shaven before coming back to school.

Senior Portraits

The next scheduled dates for senior portraits are Thursday 1/21(Blue Cohort) and Friday 1/22 (Gold Cohort). Seniors who are in the Red Cohort may sign up for either day, any time between 2:15 pm and 4:30 pm. We will arrange for additional dates if necessary.

Please sign up with the link below if you have not yet taken your senior portraits. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10CoD49ADAC2AA4F8C61-senior

Malden Catholic Parent Council

All families are welcome to join the MC Parent Council Facebook page. This page is administered by MC staff and the Parent Council Representatives. This page will be your "go to" page for accurate and timely MC information. Have a question? This is the place to get your answers.

Summer Job Opportunity

Camp Sachem-Saugus YMCA Day Camp Counselors are needed for this upcoming summer. Please click the link below for more information about the application and interview process, job requirements, and contact information.

https://workforcenow.adp.com/mascsr/default/mdf/recruitment/recruitment.html?cid=8d 3fdec5-eaba-4df1-8b27-8b41a1b64b2d&ccId=19000101_000001&jobId=382202&source =CC2&lang=en_US

The Angelus, a new Campus Ministry initiative at Malden Catholic!

Did you ever hear bells ringing at your church in the morning, at noon, or in the evening and wonder why?

In a time before smartphones and fitness-tracking watches, the ringing of church bells served as a call to stop what you were doing and pray the Angelus, a prayer that offers an opportunity to meditate for a few moments midday on Mary's discipleship and her radical obedience to God's will.

The Angelus is a beautiful tradition of our Catholic faith. This daily prayer is simple - a few lines of Scripture, one Hail Mary, and a concluding prayer.

Campus Ministry will share Angelus videos this week on our Malden Catholic Instagram daily story. Each video will be highlighting a different Malden Catholic student reciting the Angelus. We are looking to feature a new student each day. If you're interested in creating a video, please reach out to Ms. Foley at foleyd@maldencatholic.org She will share with you the instructions on how to create and submit your own video.

"Buy-a-Bed" Campaign Starts This Week!

Mission of Deeds is a non-profit charitable organization in Reading that gives beds, furniture, and household items, free of charge, to people in need in over 90 Boston-North communities. For many years Malden Catholic has collaborated with Mission of Deeds as a service site for our student volunteers and in support of their annual Buy-a-Bed campaign. In 2019, Mission of Deeds was able to make almost 1500 beds and cribs available to families in need. Malden Catholic helped! Once again we would like to call upon MC student support for this year's Buy-a-Bed Drive.

Members of our Theology Department will coordinate the collection. Starting Tuesday, January 19, we invite students to make a Buy-a-Bed donation in any amount in their Theology class. Theology teachers will accept daily donations. \$100 goes a long way toward buying a bed! Let's see which Theology class can do the most! Last year we raised over \$4400! Collections will continue through Catholic Schools Week, February 5th. Thanks for your support! Competition among the classes is always fierce!

Essay Contest

Malden Catholic Cafe Presents Welcome Back New Year's Celebration! January 19-22

We want to welcome you all back and kick off the new year with some fun! We will be giving away a great prize to a Lucky Lancer! The staff will be raffling off a Fujifilm Instax Instant Camera and Film. This prize package is valued at \$120.00!

Beginning on Tuesday the 19th until Friday the 22nd, any student who purchases a lunch will receive a free raffle ticket. The more lunches you buy the more tickets you receive for a chance to win the Camera!



Thursday & Friday
Enjoy a free Cookie or Ice Cream with the purchase of a lunch!

We are excited to welcome you all back!

As always, breakfast will be available in the morning for anyone interested.

Also, we have been away for a long time. Please check lunch accounts for negative balances before school starts back up \cong

Can't wait to see everyone! Malden Catholic Café Staff

Malden Catholic Athletics Spectator Guidelines

No spectators are permitted at any MC Home events 1/18-1/25.

One spectator per athlete may attend Boys and Girls Basketball games after 1/25 with lanyard.

Due to facility restrictions, no spectators will be permitted at any Hockey or Swim meets during this current phase and we will adjust if restrictions change.

Basketball

- MASKS ARE REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES.
- No Spectators at Practices
 - If you are picking-up a student athlete, please remain in your vehicle while waiting for his/her dismissal from practice.
- ONE Guest/Spectator Per Player Per Game for basketball after 1/25.
 - Each player will receive ONE Guest/Spectator pass (lanyard) for the season.
 - There will be NO REPLACEMENT for a lost or damaged lanyard.
 - Only a spectator wearing the lanyard will be allowed to enter the athletic facility.
 - This policy applies to all boys Catholic Conference games home and away for Basketball and Hockey. All girls' athletic contests will be the same for home events, however each school for away events may have their own restrictions and requirements. Due to the nature of the facility, no spectators will be permitted at our virtual swim meets at this time.
- Each Guest/Spectator will be required to complete our MC Athletic Spectator Daily Check-in using either the QR code provided on the day of the event or by signing in at the event.
- Each Guest/Spectator will be allowed entry into the facility <u>no more than 10 minutes</u> prior to game time.
- Each Guest/Spectator will be required to maintain 6 ft of social distancing while in the stands.
- Upon completion of the event, each guest/spectator will return to his or her vehicle and wait for his or her player's dismissal. For double headers, no one is permitted to stay for a following game and must exit, this includes sub-varsity athletes.
 - No loitering anywhere within our athletic facilities.
 - No pre or post game meals are permitted.

- SAFETY GUIDELINES We want our athletes, coaches, and their families to remain safe and our goal is to be able to provide an environment that will allow us to complete all our seasons successfully. To do this, we ask that all those attending maintain safety guidelines with masks & social distancing. Understand that each school may have additional restrictions in place and those will be shared as we learn of them.
- LIMITATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE please be aware that these limitations are subject to change. We will communicate any changes to the spectator limitations via our coaches, website and through and our parent/community email notification system.
- STREAMING We plan on streaming all our home basketball and hockey games this
 winter. Subscriptions are required for either of those. The NFHS Network is currently
 configuring our cameras and will carry all our basketball games at all levels. My
 Hockey Live will broadcast our varsity Boys and Girls Hockey games and the Malden
 Forum (as well as many rinks) offer streaming of games through Live Barn. For
 swimming we are exploring several additional potential opportunities to live stream or
 tape delay.

Subscription information: My Hockey Live at https://www.myhockeylive.com/ and NFHS Network at https://www.nfhsnetwork.com/ and Live Barn at https://livebarn.com/



MC SPECTATOR CHECK-IN



HOW TO SCAN: OPEN, AIM + TAP



Open the camera on your phone



Aim it at the Flowcode



Tap the banner that appears

Subscriptions are about the cost of what normally admission cost would be and are good for any school that utilizes either service or if they are using another service, will share those links from those schools as provided.