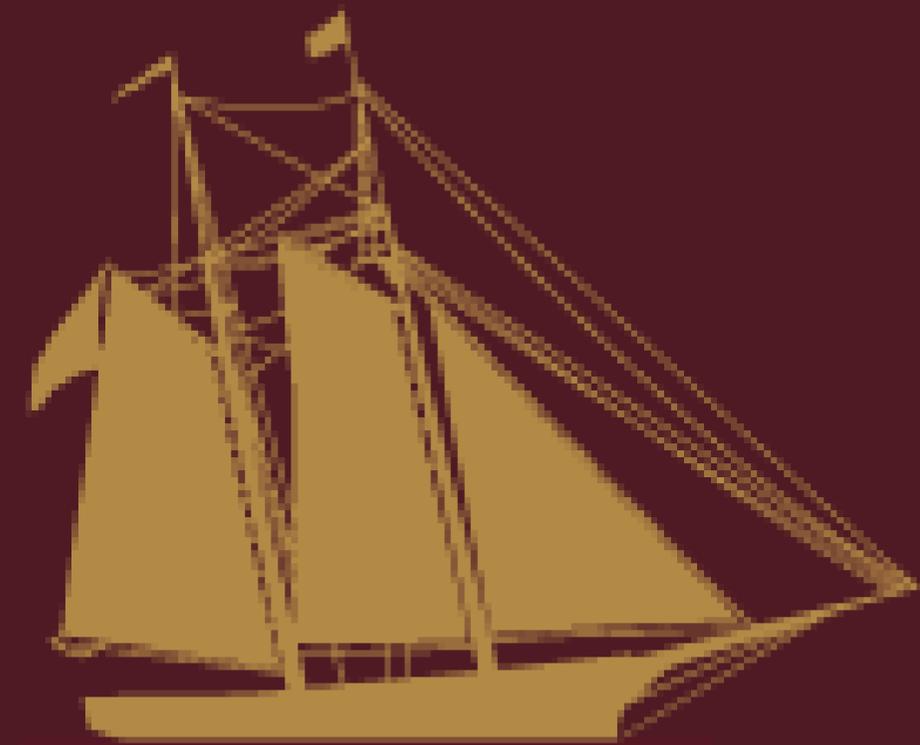


Buccaneer Bulletin

March 20, 2023



Upcoming Events:

Visit milfordschooldistrict.org/calendar for detailed information and more!

Mar. 21



Rock Your Socks - World Down Syndrome Day



Nat'l Honor Society Induction (MCA)

Mar. 22



SAT Day - 11th Grade
Asynchronous Learning for Grades 9, 10, 12

Mar. 23



Kindergarten Screening & Registration

Mar. 29



Kent County Transition Fair: Road to Resilience

Apr. 3



Strategic Plan Steering Committee Meeting

Apr. 4



Kindergarten Screening & Registration



Special Education Parent Clinic Series: Transition Imposition



Mispillion Science Fair

Apr. 5



Paraprofessional Appreciation Day



Building Bridges



End of Marking Period 3

Apr. 6



No School for Students: *Staff Professional Development*

Apr. 7-14

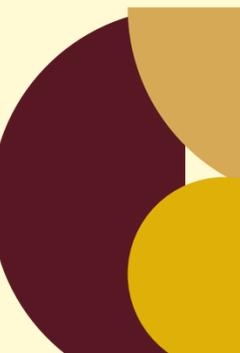


Spring Break - *No School for Students*

Apr. 17



Board of Education Meeting



2023-2024 Academic Calendar

August 2023

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
		1	2	3	4	5		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19		
Stndt	Tchr	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Aug	3	6	27	28	29	30	31	

15-16 - New Teacher Orientation
22-24 - PD
29 - Transition Day K, 1, 6, 9
30 - First Day for School K-12

February 2024

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
				1	2	3		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17		
Stndt	Tchr	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Feb	19	19	18	19	20	21	22	23
Total	112	120	25	26	27	28	29	

16 - District open with no students/ no staff
19 - Presidents Day
21 - Mid-Marking Period

September 2023

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
					1	2		
3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
Stndt	Tchr	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Sept	19	19	17	18	19	20	21	22
Total	22	25	24	25	26	27	28	29

1 - District open with no students/staff
4 - Labor Day

March 2024

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
					1	2		
3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
Stndt	Tchr	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Mar	19	20	17	18	19	20	21	22
Total	131	140	24	25	26	27	28	29

15 - PD
28 - End of MP3 (41 Days)
29 - Good Friday

October 2023

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
Stndt	Tchr	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Oct	21	22	22	23	24	25	26	27
Total	43	47	29	30	31			

2 - Mid-Marking Period
13 - Statewide PD

April 2024

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
31	1	2	3	4	5	6		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
Stndt	Tchr	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Apr	16	17	21	22	23	24	25	26
Total	147	157	28	29	30			

1 - Easter Monday
2-5 - Spring Break
8 - PD

November 2023

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
		1	2	3	4			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
Stndt	Tchr	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Nov	15	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Total	58	65	26	27	28	29	30	

3 - End of MP1 (46 Days)
6 - PD
10 - Veterans Day
20-21 - Family Conferences
23-24 - Thanksgiving Break

May 2024

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
		1	2	3	4			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
Stndt	Tchr	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
May	22	22	19	20	21	22	23	24
Total	169	179	26	27	28	29	30	31

8 - Mid-Marking Period
23 - Last senior day
27 - Memorial Day
30 - Graduation

December 2023

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
					1	2		
3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
Stndt	Tchr	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Dec	15	15	17	18	19	20	21	22
Total	73	80	24	25	26	27	28	29

13 - Mid-Marking Period
22-1 - Winter Break
25 - Christmas

June 2024

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
						1		
2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
Stndt	Tchr	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
June	7	9	16	17	18	19	20	21
Total	176	188	23	24	25	26	27	28

11 - Last student day
12-13 - PD
19 - Juneteenth

January 2024

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa		
31	1	2	3	4	5	6		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
Stndt	Tchr	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Jan	20	21	21	22	23	24	25	26
Total	93	101	28	29	30	31		

1 - New Years Day
15 - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
25 - End of MP2 (44 Days)
26 - PD

Calendar Key:

White	Student Day
Gold	District Closed
Maroon	Staff Professional Development (PD)
Gray	District Open with no students/staff

Report Cards Issued: 11/15, 2/6, 4/17, 6/11

AUGUST

August 15, 16 New Hire Orientation
August 22-24 Staff Development Days
August 29 Transition day for students in grades K, 1, 6, 9
August 30 First Student Day for all grades K - 12

SEPTEMBER

September 1 Schools Closed - Labor Day weekend
September 4 District Closed - Labor Day observed

OCTOBER

October 13 Schools Closed for students - Professional Development Day

NOVEMBER

November 3 End of Marking Period 1
November 6 Schools Closed for Students - Professional Development Day
November 10 District Closed - Veteran's Day observed
November 20-21 Family Conferences - No School for Students
November 22 Schools Closed - Thanksgiving Break
November 23-24 District Closed - Thanksgiving Break

DECEMBER

December 22 Schools Closed - Winter Break
December 25-31 District Closed - Winter Break

JANUARY

January 1 District Closed - New Year's observed
January 15 District Closed - Martin Luther King, Jr observed
January 25 End of Marking Period 2
January 26 Schools Closed for Students - Staff Professional Development Day

FEBRUARY

February 16 Schools Closed - District Open
February 19 District Closed - Presidents' Day observed

MARCH

March 15 Schools Closed for Students - Staff Professional Development Day
March 28 End of Marking Period 3
March 29 District Closed - Good Friday observed

APRIL

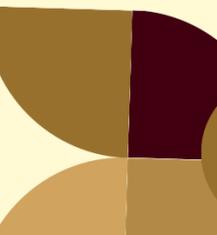
April 1 District Closed - Easter Monday observed
April 2-7 Schools Closed for students - Spring Break
April 8 Schools Closed - Staff Professional Development Day

MAY

May 23 Last Senior Day
May 27 District Closed - Memorial Day observed
May 30 Graduation

JUNE

June 11 Last student day
June 12, 13 Staff Professional Development Days
June 19 District Closed - Juneteenth observed



Student and Club Recognitions:

MHS Drama Club



Presents Grease! Starring: Elliot Peel, Mya Cherneski, Kylie Short, Aria Boyton, Merary Haro-Purata, Phoebe Sampah, Vahsti Jarillo-Villa, William Evans, Jude Parfitt, Angelo Carannante, Giovanni Burgos, Avery Richard, Cameron Murray, Myasia Satchell, Emmilea Stoliker, Mariah Todd, Emily Smallwood, Jacque Matias Morales, Abigail Baxter, Marie Short, Keyla Natareno-Rabanales, Charleen Chavez, Grace Dupiche, Taylor Tyree, Madison Long, Zoey Redden, Liam Dennehy, Owen Peel, Jude Cline, Jonah Parisi



Production Staff, Crew and Pit: Carissa Meiklejohn, Erica Snyder, Samantha Hodne, Becky Roberts, Ed Evans, Christine Smith, Mike Streck, Elliana Stoliker, Autumn McCormick, Jessie Crain, Gage Nordberg, Bronx Stanfield, Nick Outten, Alvaro Perez, Karine Richards, Noah Link, Parker Burton, Kendall Haldeman, Kaycee Stevens-Brittingham, Julie Swigert, Julie Keefer, Jeff Thompson, Nick Colona, Alex Hartman, Stacey Hartman, Jan Glascock

Rotary Youth Leadership Scholarship



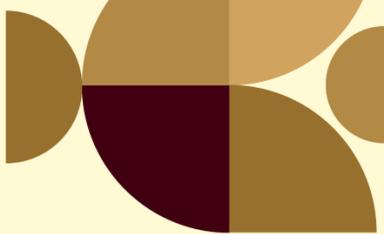
MHS Students **Kenet Perez, Judith Morado, Shilynn Dowdell, and Isabelle Walter** received scholarships to attend the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) conference in Ocean City, Maryland



Aspiring educators **Layna Reynolds, Lauren Russell, and Hayley Reeder** in representing Milford exceptionally well at our State Conference (pictured with TOY, Ashley Lockwood)

Educators Rising

MCA FFA Competes at Annual FFA State Convention



MCA FFA



Elizabeth Abbate
Kyah Badley
Brooke Luffman
Kai Vezmar
Leilanni Washington
Nic Travitz
Jake Jackson
Kaleb Siok
Zac Coulbourne

Florticulture Team



8th Place
Kai Vezmar, Leilanni Washington, Kyah Badley, and Brooke Luffman

Elizabeth Abbate



1st Place
Extemperaneous Speaking

Milk Qualities Team



5th Place
Zackery Coulbourne,
Jake Jackson,
Kaleb Siok, and
Nic Travitz



MHS FFA Competes in Annual FFA State Competition



FFA State Vice President - Hannah Haigh **FFA State Secretary** - Anya Phillips

American Degree Recipients

Natalie Armstrong
Beau Davis
Hannah Haigh

Creed Speaking

Lucy Chorman - 1st Place

State Degree Recipients

Dorothy Bradley
Nathan Fausnaught
Mason Foxwell
Mikayla Hinson
Colin O'Connor
Anya Phillips
Julia Popelas
Alexis Wright

Milk Quality and Products - 1st Place

Bailey Masten - 4th individual
Madison Stahl - 5th individual
Sabrina Kadow - 6th individual
Mason Foxwell - 9th individual

Meat Evaluation - 1st Place

Julia Popelas - 2nd individual
Mikayla Hinson - 3rd individual
Alexis Wright - 5th individual
Tabitha Lenhart - 10th individual

Agricultural Sales Proficiency Winner

Anya Phillips

Marketing Plan - 3rd Place

Zoie Gray
Ella Smith
Ezra Sharp

Diversified Livestock Proficiency Winner

Julia Popelas

Farm Business Management - 4th Place

Dorothy Bradley
Maxwell Karol
George Simpson
Braden Parkhurst

Wildlife Production and Management Proficiency Winner

Nathan Fausnaught

Nominating Committee Member

Tabitha Lenhart

Floriculture - 10th place

Catherine Marshall
Samantha Cornell
Benjamin Stutzman
Jacob Wilkins

Delegate Representative

Matthew Sacks

Staff Recognitions:

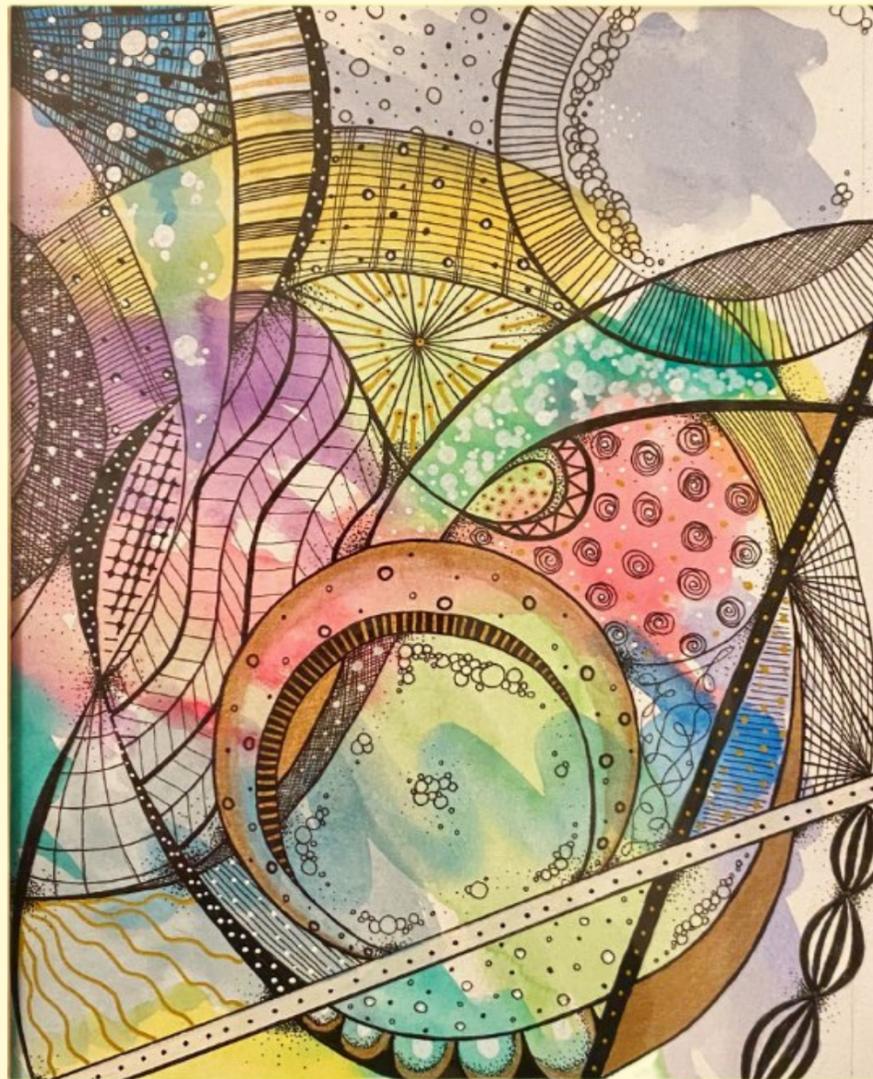


Career & Technical Education (CTE)

Shout-out to our CTE Staff at MCA and MHS! Earlier this month, our CTE staff hosted over 50 community members and businesses making and deepening connections that allow our students with relevant education and work experience. Thank you to everyone that participated!

Karen Warner

Student Learning Specialist for Math and Science placed 3rd in the 2023 Delaware State Employee Art Exhibition for works on paper



MSD STAFF

Great job to YOU! Our Annual Go for GOLD day planned by the Curriculum team was a great success. With over 35 training sessions (not including the electives for educators) provided valuable tools and knowledge for the classroom and beyond. Many of these sessions were lead by peers!



Mispillion Family Night: Diving Into Learning



Morris Family Night: Spring Into Reading



Youth Art Month

Youth Art Month encourages support for quality school art programs & promotes art material safety



1st Grade - Yayoi Kusama Flowers



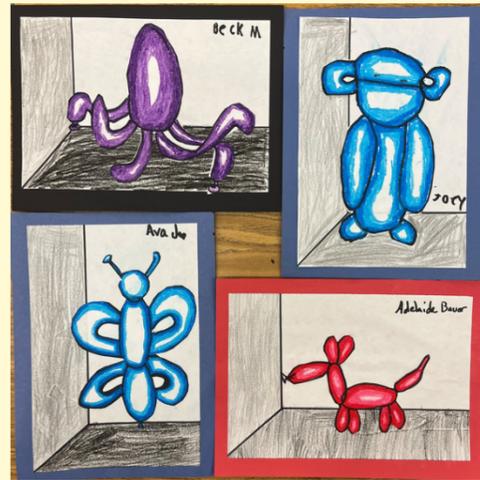
2nd Grade - Pacita Abad Colorful Circles



5th Grade - Pop Art Sneakers



3rd Grade - Keith Haring Figures



4th Grade - Jeff Koons Balloon Animals

Featured art work from Ms. Hudson's Art Classes (Banneker)



Pledge Respect Week



Buccaneer Sports

Winter Teams and All- Conference

Unified Basketball

Nathan Waydelis, First-Team Henlopen All-Conference

Boys Basketball

Ethan Wilkins, Second-Team Henlopen Northern Division
Jayden Norman, Honorable Mention Henlopen Northern Division

Girls Basketball

Tatiyanna Davis, Honorable Mention Henlopen Northern Division

Indoor Track and Field

Benjamin Gusciora, High Jump - First-Team Henlopen All-Conference
David Fuhrman, Shot Put - Second-Team Henlopen All-Conference
Kaitlyn Sivels, Shot Put - Second-Team Henlopen All-Conference

Swimming and Diving

Carley Mackert, Second-Team Henlopen All-Conference
Eryn O'Brien, Honorable Mention Henlopen All-Conference

State Qualifiers:

Girls - Giorgia Bertozzi, Carley Mackert, Sophia Massotti, Eryn O'Brien,
Eve Sekscinski

Boys - Liam Dennehy, Mitchell Graham, Paul Huot, Levi Massotti, Owen
Peel

Wrestling

Vincent Jenkins, Second-Team Henlopen All-Conference
State Qualifiers:

Alexander Sharkey (113)

Vincent Jenkins (120) - 4th Place Finisher at DIAA Individual State
Championships

Patrick Sharkey (126)

Jordan Curry (190) - 7th Place Finisher at DIAA Individual State
Championships

Greg Lockett (215)

Josue Villarreal-Gomez (285)



MHS Unified Basketball



MHS Boys Varsity Basketball



MHS Varsity Girls Basketball



Swimming and Diving



Indoor Track & Field



MHS Varsity Wrestling

Alumni Spotlight



Former Milford High School Buccaneers softball player **Macey Myers** became the first softball player for Delaware Technical Community College to eclipse 100 hits and 100 RBIs in a career. Macey obtain this record in just 64 games!

1989 Cast



2007 Cast



Grease Reunion Performance: We Go Together

#celebratingbucs

Upcoming Recognitions:

World Down Syndrome Day

Mar. 21, 2023

World Down Syndrome Day (WDSD) , 21 March, is a global awareness day. The theme this year is "With Us Not For Us". The message of With Us Not For Us is key to a human rights-based approach to disability.



Paraprofessional Appreciation

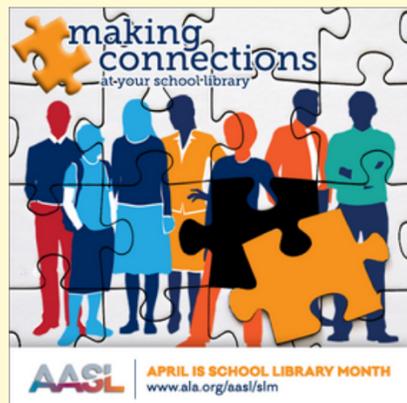
April 5, 2023

This day honors the hard work and dedication of Paraprofessionals. Paras perform a variety of teaching related jobs and often assist teachers in classrooms. They work with students on supplemental enrichment activities, either in small groups or one-on-one, help students complete assignments, or practice reading, and so much more!



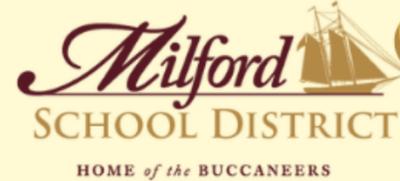
April 1-30: Monthlong Recognitions

Celebrate Diversity Month
Autism Awareness Month
School Library Month
Occupational Therapy Month
Mathematics Education Month
Volunteer Appreciation Month



KINDERGARTEN ADMISSION 2024

NOW OPEN FOR REGISTRATION



Enroll Now

Register Online - Make Sure you select 2023-2024 school year! *You will still need to schedule a screening appointment for your child*

Register in Person - Complete registration when you bring your child in for a screening. Call 302-422-1650 to make an appointment.

Contact:
302-422-1650
info@msd.k12.de.us



Screening Dates

- March 2 (Thursday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- March 14 (Tuesday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- March 23 (Thursday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- March 29 (Wednesday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- April 4 (Tuesday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- April 20 (Thursday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- April 27 (Thursday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- May 3 (Wednesday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- May 11 (Thursday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- May 16 (Tuesday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- June 7 (Wednesday) 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Register Online:



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