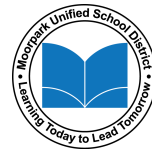




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October 5, 2020

Good Evening,

Thank you for continuing along with us on our 2020-2021 school-year journey. You have my continued gratitude for all of your support and flexibility during the first quarter of the year. It continues to be our intention to keep you updated via weekly news updates, school website postings and updates to our social media. In each of these updates I will provide the most recent information related to our COVID19 response. At this point, our academic plan is to remain in our distance learning protocol until we are given permission to move to a blended model by the State, County, and School District. There have not yet been any specific indications demonstrating a change in Ventura County and our model will remain until such an indication is given. We are beginning to get information that changes to our standing in the state may change soon. If and when any change occurs, I will notify you as soon as possible.

Earlier today, we had our WASC (Western Association of Schools and Colleges) virtual visit for the accreditation of our 10th grade. This required process must be completed whenever a school makes a significant change such as adding a grade level. I would like to share a very sincere “thank you” to all of our volunteers who participated in this successful WASC visit. Our next PSSA meeting is this Thursday, October 8 at 6PM. You can join us at the following link: <https://meet.google.com/bcf-wqvw-gyb>. Additionally, we will be holding our first school site council meeting later this month. More information will be available in the coming weeks.

If you are trying to get ahold of us via phone, it is important to note that our school phone number has been updated. We can be reached at 805-378-6312. If we do not immediately answer, please leave a voicemail and we will return your call as soon as possible. Additionally, you can always reach us via email using the email addresses listed on the final page of this update. I will continue hosting weekly principal’s office hours for drop in questions on Wednesdays at noon meet.google.com/osg-aoam-cgh. I continue to be incredibly excited for all of our upcoming events this year. Thank you again for your support for the High School at Moorpark College. Have a great week!

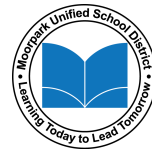
Sincerely,

Christopher J. Fennell Ed.D.

Principal - The High School at Moorpark College



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Associated Student Government Updates

Mrs. Jessica Hendrix-Sandoval (jhendrixsandoval@mrpk.org)

- **Spirit Day Oct 8 Bring Cat to Class Day**
 - Students can show off their Purrr-fect kitty companions in Google Meets classes! Please send photos of you with your fuzzy friend to hsmcyearbook2021@gmail.com
- **Spirit Day Oct 22 Tacky Tourist Day**
 - Hawaiian shirt and cargo shorts will abound on Tacky Tourist Day! Grab those binoculars and cameras and show us your spirit in your Google Meets classes. Please send photos of you in your spirit gear to hsmcyearbook2021@gmail.com.
- **See's Candy Fundraiser**
 - We will be gearing up for our See's Candy Fundraiser in October/November. The proceeds for this fundraiser will go toward student spirit gear. Stay tuned for more details!
- **Social Media**
 - Do you **LOVE** The High School at Moorpark College? Let us know! Help us spread the word about this incredible and successful school. Please follow these links and tell us your experience with our wonderful school.
 - <https://www.facebook.com/Officialhsmc/>
 - <https://twitter.com/OfficialHSMC>
 - [@officialhsmc](#) on Instagram
- **HSMC Art Club Beginning Oct. 9th!**
 - HSMC is forming an Art Club! Bring your talents and passion for art and meet virtually with other artists and art lovers on Fridays from 12:30-1:30. The first meeting will be Friday October 9th at 12:30 at meet.google.com/eyw-otxs-sna.
 - For more information, please email the club's founder Emily Fisher at 5100307@mrpk.org.





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• Yearbook Information

- The yearbook team is already working hard to put together an amazing 2021 yearbook, but we need your help! Please send QUARANTINE HOBBIES, HALLOWEEN PHOTOS, baby photos, pet photos, friend photos, car photos, photos of hobbies and interests to hsmcyearbook2021@gmail.com
- See attached yearbook information for customizing and ordering a yearbook.
- Yearbook website for customizing and ordering: www.treering.com (Please see the instructions below)
- **Purchase price: \$50**
- **Yearbook customization and purchase deadline: April 9th, 2021**
- **HSMC Passcode: 1014109872723234**
- 2 free customization pages for each student
- One tree planted for every yearbook purchased
- Quick delivery to HSMC
- For any yearbook related questions, please do not hesitate to contact Jessica Sandoval at jhendrixsandoval@mrpk.org.

To Customize your Yearbook Pages:

Create Your Free Personalized Yearbook Pages For
 High School @ Moorpark College

1 Add Photos
Add your favorite photos from your phone, computer or Facebook account, and have them printed in your copy of the yearbook.

2 Add Memories
Answer questions about your year and capture your very best moments. You can even include a photo to go along with them.

3 Send Bling
Send your friends Bling. Clever, full-color designs that contain expressions of friendship and humor.

4 Sign Books
Make your friends smile by sending them a digital signature that includes a personal photograph.

5 Personalize Your Yearbook
Add all of your memories to your two free personal pages that will be printed in your unique copy of the yearbook. Need more room? You can add more pages!

Capture Your Memories in this Year's High School @ Moorpark College Yearbook!



Add Photos & Memories to Your 2 Free Custom Pages

- » Add photos from your computer, Facebook & Flickr.
- » Add memories & photos from throughout the year. Share them with your classmates to include in their personal pages.
- » Send and receive Bling and signatures. A great way to share expressions of friendship!

To Purchase & Customize Your Yearbook*:

- 1 Go to www.TreeRing.com/validate
- 2 Enter our school's passcode:
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Yearbook Price: **\$45**

Deadline: **Apr 10**

SENIORS ONLY

Senior Portraits:

- Must be submitted by DECEMBER 11, 2020
 - Must have a 480x720 resolution quality
 - Do not have to be taken by a professional photographer, but the lighting, quality, and content must be professional in nature
- ****Senior Dedication pages will be on sale in Spring 2021****

HSMC recommends the following photographers for Senior Portraits:

CornerStone Photography
 5352 Bonsai St. Moorpark, CA
 (805) 529-3187
www.imagesbycornerstone.com

Evan Guston Photography
 9734 Variel Ave. Chatsworth, CA
 (818) 427-3615
www.egseniorphoto.com

O'Connor Brothers Photography
 58 Moreland Rd. Simi Valley, CA
 (805) 306-9542
www.oconnorbrosphotography.com

Please be on the lookout for information regarding Senior Dedication pages in the Spring!



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Counseling Corner

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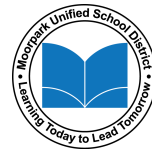


Mrs. Dyan McIntosh (dmcintosh@mrpk.org)

- **Naviance**
 - Naviance has so much to offer in career exploration. If you are interested in researching careers check out your Naviance Account @ succeed.naviance.com and click on the CLEVER tab. Students will be automatically logged in. Presentations will be scheduled for each grade level to complete the Career Cluster Finder and Career Interest Profiler.
- **CSU Applications:**
 - Cal State Apply opened Oct. 1 and is **Due Dec. 4th**
 - <https://www2.calstate.edu/apply>
 - **Here are some tips:**
 - Set up an account with an email you will be checking regularly - **NOT** your school email account. Remember your password!
 - To find HS@MC: High School at Moorpark College (**CEEB Code: 052-046**)
 - **Dual Enrollment** college coursework should be reported under **College Coursework Tab** and use pull down for college attended. Even if the course is on your high school transcript - don't list under high school courses. Full year credit and grade bump will be automatically added.
 - Do not record Non CP Courses: i.e. Health, PE
 - Only enter 8th grade Math and World Language if meets A-G requirement
 - **SAT/ACT** are optional and only used for placement purposes not admission if you want to report prior tests taken.
 - If you have questions: Go to Cal State Apply **Applicant Help Center** to Live Chat
- **Financial Aid:** Oct. 1st the FAFSA Application (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is available. The sooner you turn in the better chance to earn some FREE money for college. Many private universities require that you fill it out regardless of how much income a family earns. So don't delay! Refer to your notes from Mrs. Sandoval's guest speaker in Senior Advisory.
 - Create a Federal Student Aid (FSA) Account: <https://fsaid.ed.gov/npas/index.htm>
 - Gather the materials needed (Social Security number, Tax return paperwork)
 - Fill out FAFSA application: <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>



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Virtual Cash for College Events



The Events:

<https://www.vcccd.edu/students/financial-aid-information/cash-for-college-workshops>

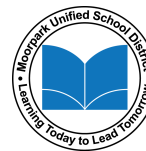
- The Financial Aid Offices at Moorpark College, Oxnard College and Ventura College will each host a Cash for College workshop **via Zoom**, and everyone is welcome to drop in.
 - Event Day Information:
 - **Saturday October 10th, 2020**
 - **[Moorpark College](#) 9:00 am-11:00 am**
 - [Oxnard College](#) 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
 - [Ventura College and VC East Campus](#) 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
 - **Saturday October 24th, 2020**
 - **[Moorpark College](#) 9:00 am-11:00 am**
 - [Oxnard College](#) 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
 - [Ventura College and VC East Campus](#) 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
- What to Have during the Zoom Workshops:
 - 2019 Student/Parent Tax Information
 - 2019 Student/Parent W2s
 - Other 2019 income information for Student/Parents
 - Social Security Numbers (or Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals - DACA number) for Student/Parents, if you have one
 - Alien registration number (A#), if you have one
 - Driver's license, if you have one

For more information, please contact the Financial Aid Office:

[Moorpark College](#) 805-378-1462 | [Oxnard College](#) 805-678-5828 | [Ventura College](#) 805-289-6369



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Front Office News

Ms. Mariana Gaeta (mgaeta@mrpk.org)

- Parents/Guardians **MUST** call us at (805)378-6312 ext. 7293 to report tardies or absences within 48 hours, 72 hours on Fridays or holidays (even students that are 18 or over, while they are attending HS@MC they are still considered a K-12 student and must have parent/guardian report for them for attendance purposes). Per District policy emails cannot be used.
- ParentConnect pins and passwords can be provided upon request from our main office.
- Parents that would like to plan for vacations around our school calendar can visit our HS@MC website [here](#) OR request a 2020-2021 copy from our main office. Reminder: Moorpark College does not recognize recess days so students should expect to follow their class schedule for college classes as usual unless directed otherwise by their Professors. Students can review the Moorpark College calendar for more information by visiting the College website [here](#).
- The Moorpark Unified School District Technology Office is providing support to our MUSD families with a technology support hotline which can be reached at **(805) 517-2100**. Live support will be available from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM Monday through Friday starting Monday August 24th. Please be aware this IT number is only for technical issues with our Chromebooks.
- Any issues with Moorpark College Canvas or ConferZoom must be directed to the Moorpark College Canvas Support team at (805) 553-4858 or mconlinestudentsupport@vccd.edu. Additional resources such as Canvas Tutorials, a live chat box(during business hours) and an after-hours phone line for Moorpark College students can be found on the [Student Online Support](#) page.
- Visitors will now be required to go through checkpoints at the College even if they are just picking up/dropping off. The closest checkpoint will be by the Child Development Center on Campus Dr, just past the turn they would normally take to get to HS@MC. They will need to have the VCCCD app downloaded on their smartphone and select "visitor" in order to take the pre-screen survey. They will need to leave their device on the "Clear to be on campus" screen at the end of the survey and show that to the attendant at the checkpoint in order to get an all clear health pass on the app as well as a colored wristband(color will vary by day).
- Alternatively, we can continue to communicate by mail, email and phone. Anything mailed should be addressed to HS@MC to ensure it is placed in our inbox at the College's mailroom.



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