

# The Maritime Anchor



## Important Dates & Events

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
27 First day for 9 <sup>th</sup> grade	28 First day for all students	29	30	31 No school
3 Labor Day No school	4	5	6	7
10 Rosh Hashanah No school	11 Rosh Hashanah Islamic New Year No school	12	13 MS: BTSN - 8 <sup>th</sup> grade 6:00	14
17	18	19 Yom Kippur No school	20 MS: BTSN - 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup> grades 5:30-7:00	21
24	25 HS: BTSN 5:00-6:30	26	27	28



### Important Reminder From Waste Management:

No plastic bags should be placed in recycling containers. This is now considered contamination. Recyclable materials should be placed loosely in the container and the plastic bag should either be reused, taken back to the retailer, or disposed of in the trash container. FAILURE TO ELIMINATE PLASTIC BAGS AND LINERS WILL RESULT IN CONTAMINATION CHARGES.

# Maritime Middle School

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This summer, Ms. Fredricks and her students launched their newest boat into the Schuylkill River from Bartram Gardens. The cadets were full of wonder and pride. Kudos to Ms. Fredrick's for her guidance and willingness to work with our students in such a meaningful way. Her tremendous efforts exposed our students to the type of Maritime experiences we want to further develop under Maritime Academy's Vision and Mission.



## From the Middle School Principal's Corner:

On August 25th, several staff members and I participated in the 2018 215 Golf Classic, which was held at Linfield National Golf Course. The raised proceeds will be donated to the Maritime Academy Charter School Scholarship Fund. The event organizers estimated that more than \$3,000 was raised during the event. Everyone had a great time.



Mr. Killian had an incredible turnout for his Music Camp this summer. The students learned how to play instruments, sang, and collaborated together. Amazing work, Mr. Killian.



Mrs. Wassel's 3A class working diligently during the first week of school.

Middle School's new student orientation.



## Summertime Fun!

- Ms. Charles enrolled in yoga teacher training at YogaLife Institute in King of Prussia. She will be a certified yoga instructor in June 2019, after the one year 250 hour program. She plans on using her certification to introduce Maritime cadets to new ways of maintaining mental well-being and releasing stress through yoga, meditation, and mindfulness.
- Ms. Hughes went to Greece this summer.
- Ms. Brazell participated in STEM training and will be part of an ongoing STEM Institute for Science Teachers.

## From the High School Principal's Corner:

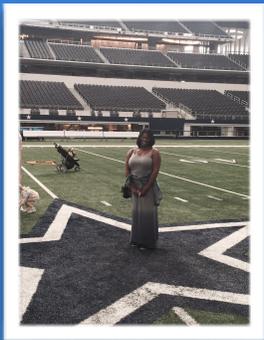
On Thursday, August 23rd, the Maritime Academy Charter High School hosted an orientation for new incoming and 9th grade students. Sixty-seven students attended with their families. Many students came with multiple family members. Our upperclassmen and staff provided highlights of the school program and special activities. The Sea Cadets were in full uniform. We had close to 170 participants. It was an evening filled with enthusiasm and great hope for a successful school year!

### Summertime Fun!

- Ms. Leygerman was honored at the 2018 SAFA Gala as one of the three Educators of the Year. At the gala, she had the chance to meet incredible and inspirational individuals, including the students from Parkland.



- Mrs. Ferrigon, Mr. Vargha, and Mr. Murphy attended AP training this summer.



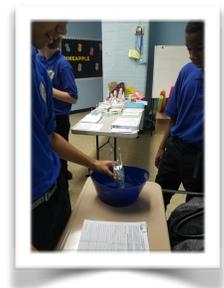
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This summer, Logan Lerro, Luis Alicea, Patrick Berk, and George Funke, sailed on the U.S. Brig *Niagara*. The experience focuses on the "fundamentals of square-rig seamanship and developing the skills and personal qualities to meet the challenges of life onboard a ship."



When Mrs. Forbes' PE classes were forced out of the gym by the recent heat wave, she did not give up. She relocated her students to a different room where her students continued to work on their team-building unit. In groups, her students worked on The Great Desert Island STEM Challenge. They did a great job working together, collaborating, and going beyond their comfort zones.



Ms. Leygerman's Debate class learning about the importance of rhetoric.



Chief's Hentnick's former students, Ivan Hernandez (US Coast Guard BM3) and James Hill (US Navy E3) visited the high school to speak to several seniors.

