

# Cohasset Middle-High School

MAY 1— MAY 7 2016

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Will Golden  
Memorial LAX  
tournament

Girls @ 4

Boys @ 6

MS Progress  
Reports Visible  
in iPass

Drug Story  
Theater

6:30 PM

**HIGH SCHOOL AP EXAMS**

*from the desk of Carolyn Connolly...*

Drug Story Theater has been widely publicized and will come to our school community this Thursday. The **evening performance is open to the public** and certainly friends and family from other towns are welcome to attend. Student presentations will take place during the day, with separate performances for middle and high school students. Based on feedback from other communities, I am anticipating a powerful and worthwhile opportunity for students and parents to learn and ask questions. For the evening performance, Chief Quigley will be on hand, while during the day our SRO Sgt. Lopes will be an official presence. The evening will also offer any interested party training in administration of the overdose preventative naloxone (Narcan). This training will take place in the school library before and after the evening presentation.

As we continue the dialogue with students and families about substance abuse, I am hoping to revisit the passionate conversation started at our parent meeting last month. At that time, we agreed to gather again and brainstorm ways in which parents can connect to one another and to resources and best practices to help keep all of our young people safe. So I ask that you consider joining the conversation on **May 17th @ 6:30 PM**. We will meet in the library (and move to the auditorium if the turnout is huge) and have an informal conversation about the best ways for parents to stay connected and learn from one another about successful strategies already in use.

A concurrent event happening during middle school wellness and phys ed classes is Sgt. Lopes visiting with students this week to talk about safety and social media. He is committed to educating students about personal safety and sound decision-making when sharing information online. This is a dialogue that cannot be shared too often, since our students (particularly our younger ones) often have a skewed perception about what is and is not "OK." This is just another example of ways in which Sgt. Lopes has strengthened our school community this year. We feel very fortunate to work with him.

Thank you to the many parents who have been in touch about our previous meeting and who have shared ideas and thoughts. I am sure I will see many of you Thursday evening. Thank you and have a great week.

The 2016 Poetry Night was a huge success! Great job to our student poets who were selected to read their original poems: Tess Hillier, Marjah Sannon, Nora Cunningham, Ryan Switzer, Julia Willette, Viola Henry, Jake Gowell, Madison Gould, Anthony Kulturides, Ben Ford, Emme Hoehn, Devin Tulio, Gennie Littlejohn, Ainsley O'Brien, Cam Joslin, Sam Childs, Katharyn Hassan, Thomas Broderick, Judith Barzey and Andrew McSheffrey.

In addition, thank you to all of the students and parents who came in support of the English Department's celebration of poetry. We hope to host the event again next year!



Cohasset **P**arent **S**chool **O**rganization

Cohasset Public Schools: Osgood - Deer Hill - Middle - High

[cohassetpsso.com](http://cohassetpsso.com)

Please help us honor and celebrate the teachers and staff at CMHS with our **Spring Appreciation Luncheon** on Wednesday, May 11th. (This is a 1/2 day for students.)

We are in need of contributions (cooked, baked or bought!) and volunteers. Please consider donating an item from the menu or an hour of your time for this wonderful event!

Sign ups can be found at <http://bit.ly/cmhsluncheon2016>

We are seeking your help in showing our appreciation for the 150+ teachers/staff who look forward to the luncheon!

We cannot make it happen without the generous and talented support of our CMHS families.

Please contact Marie Dunkelberger at [mariedunkelberger@yahoo.com](mailto:mariedunkelberger@yahoo.com) or Kim Donohue at [kdonohue221@comcast.net](mailto:kdonohue221@comcast.net) with any questions.



**In partnership with Safe Harbor Coalition and the  
Cohasset Education Foundation,  
Cohasset Middle-High School  
Welcomes**

# **DRUG STORY THEATRE**

**Thursday, May 5, 2016 @ 6:30 PM**

**The performance is intended for parents, caregivers and the  
community. Student presentations will take place during the  
school day.**



*Please join us for an afternoon  
of music with the  
Boston Saengerfest Men's Chorus.*

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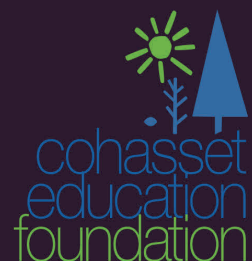
A musical performance to benefit the  
Cohasset Education Foundation — great for  
families and kids of all ages!

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Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm  
Hosted at the Red Lion Inn

TICKETS \$20

*Purchase tickets at [www.saengerfest.org](http://www.saengerfest.org)*



**To: COHASSET HS  
Juniors, Seniors & Parents**

**Subject: Class Ring Order Day**

**IT'S TIME TO ORDER  
YOUR CLASS RING!**

Jostens will be at school to take class ring orders this

**THURSDAY, MAY 5TH  
during all lunches in the  
cafeteria**

Students can view the entire ring collection and also design their ring on: [www.jostens.com](http://www.jostens.com) – print your order form and bring it to school on order day. Extra ring packets are available in the main office. We will size your finger at the order table.

A \$50.00 deposit is due at ordering. Senior rings will be delivered once completed and paid in full. Junior rings will be delivered in the fall.

If you have any questions you can email or call Jostens at the contact information below.

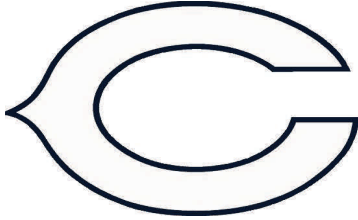
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**UPCOMING EVENTS: PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING DATES**



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| 5/10    | MS Grade 5 Parent Night @ 6:30 PM          |
| 5/11    | Early Release Day @ 11:40 AM               |
| 5/12    | MS Homework Help in MH Library @ 2:10 PM   |
| 5/16-17 | MCAS Grade 6-8 Math                        |
| 5/17-18 | MCAS Grade 10 Math                         |
| 5/17    | CMHS Parent Connection Meeting             |
| 5/18    | HS Arts Night @ 7:00 PM <b>DATE CHANGE</b> |
| 5/19-20 | MCAS Grade 8 STE                           |