

Cohasset Middle - High School

OCTOBER 25 — OCTOBER 31, 2015

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School
Council
2:20 PM

PISA Testing



from the desk of Carolyn Connolly...

TEACHER WEBSITES were showcased at the most recent School Committee meeting. As teachers work on developing their pages, we encourage you to get familiar with the new website too. All teacher pages can be found under the Academics heading on either the middle school or high school page. Middle school pages worth highlighting are Mrs. Ryan's classroom and Mrs. Ceruti's Library page. High School teachers working hard to make their pages vibrant are Mr. Buckley, Mr. Sears, and Mrs. Norton. So please go browsing when you have a moment. We will continue to add to them as the year progresses.

Students in the middle and high school are now well into their fall term and should be seeking teachers out during utility periods and office hours if extra help is needed. Teachers post their after school help times every week and you should feel free to inquire with the teacher if you have a younger student who is not sure—and /or encourage them to plan ahead with teachers to work with them during utility periods.

CLASS OF 2016



IMPORTANT YEARBOOK INFORMATION ON COHASSET PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEBSITE

Please go to Cohasset Public Schools website and select **Cohasset High School** under the **Select a School Tab**. Click on the **Students Tab** and select **Yearbook**. Here you will find documents regarding Yearbook Deadlines, Yearbook Grid, Senior Parent Dedication and Community Lifetouch Photo Website.



We will be collecting Box Tops for Education this year. So please stop by the main office to drop off any Box Tops you may have. Our next deadline is November 7th. Thank you.

The BEE is Back!!

CEF 8th Annual



Sunday, November 15th

Open to students in grades 3-8!



3rd Grade 12:00 – 1:30 pm

4th Grade 1:30 – 3:00 pm

5th Grade 3:00 – 4:30 pm



Middle school (grade 6-8) 4:30-6:00 pm

The Bee will take place at Middle/High School Auditorium

143 Pond Street Cohasset, Ma

Each speller can register on-line at cohasseteducation.org.

All Middle Schoolers will spell as individuals

Registration ends Saturday, November 7th!!

For rules and format of the Spelling Bee, please visit the CEF website

There will be t-shirts and ribbons for all who spell and trophies awarded to those hives that spell "most" well!

Raffle Prize to win a \$250 Apple Gift Card!!

For more information contact the "Queen Bee" Katie Norton at Letsplaychef@gmail.com

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Road to Resilience: Helping Kids Find Their Way



"We have raised a generation of young people who have not been given the opportunity to learn how to solve their own problems." Psychology Today

Resilience. It's a prime concern among teachers, counselors, coaches, college faculty and employers. More and more, professionals who work with children and young adults report the difficulties kids face navigating typical stresses and challenges.

Join **Ken Ginsburg, MD**, and author of Building Resilience in Children and Teens: Giving Kids Roots and Wings, as he presents compelling research on the importance of resilience and the practical strategies parents and educators can apply to help children develop this critical trait. The Parent Connection is pleased to offer this informative talk on **Monday, October 26 at 7:00pm (6:30 Reception) in the Duxbury Performing Arts Center (PAC).**

Dr. Ginsburg's approach to developing resilience is based on the "7 C's," the Essential Building Blocks of Resilience: competence, confidence, connection, character, contribution, coping and control. He will discuss how children can build these seven attributes to become more independent, make better choices and bounce back from setbacks.

[CLICK HERE](#) for tickets. They are \$7 in advance or \$10 at the door and are available online and at Westwinds Bookshop until 4pm on the day of the event.

**this program is sponsored by The Parent Connection,
Youth Health Connection, Duxbury Public Schools, and
Duxbury PTA's and PTO's.**



Upcoming Standardized Test Dates

SAT Date	Subject Tests Available	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline (fee required)
November 7	Yes	October 9	October 27
December 5	Yes	November 5	November 23
January 23	Yes	December 28	January 12
March 5	No	February 5	February 23
May 7	Yes	April 8	April 26
June 4	Yes	May 5	May 25

*March 5th is the start of the redesigned SAT. Additional details and information will be communicated in the coming weeks.

ACT Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline (fee required)
December 12	November 6	November 20
February 6	January 8	January 15
April 9	March 4	March 18
June 11	May 6	May 20

***Students who have learning disabilities and wish to apply for extended time on either test should see their counselor right away**



The Paul Pratt Memorial Library's Homework Center (HC) will be open Tuesday evenings
Beginning October 6th from
5:30-7:00

The Homework Center offers tutoring services to Cohasset students seeking help with studies and homework. Tutors are recruited from the National Honor Society in fulfillment of community service hours. Students from CMHS are invited to attend as well as Deerhill students.

Students will sign in upon arrival and are required to have a parent come into the library at the end of the session. Parents are also required to complete a parental form and emergency contact information. Pizza and beverages are also provided. We look forward to meeting and serving the students of Cohasset!

Malorie Dwyer – Homework Center Coordinator

Eileen Norton – National Honor Society Coordinator

Brigid Lengyel – Young Adult and Reference Librarian, Paul Pratt Memorial Library

Jackie Rafferty, Library Director

The Homework Center is generously funded by the Friends of the Cohasset Library. If you would like to make a contribution toward HW center expenses or refreshments please contact us at:

Friends of Cohasset Library

35 Ripley Road

Cohasset, MA



UPCOMING EVENTS: PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING DATES

10/27	MS/HS School Council @ 2:20 PM
10/28	PISA Testing
11/4	MCAS Retakes ELA Composition
11/4	Professional Development — Half Day Early Release @ 11:40 AM
11/5-11/6	MCAS Retakes ELA Reading Comprehension
11/6	HS End of Term I
11/9-11/10	MCAS Retakes Math
11/10	HS Term I Report Cards Visible in IPASS
11/11	Veteran's Day — NO SCHOOL
11/14	HS SAT Testing @ CMHS

