

**MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 20, 2024**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Chemic families seeking extra support for the holidays have the opportunity to sign up for programs aimed at providing coats, boots, and gifts for students in need. If your family could benefit from these programs, please visit the Counselling Center for a copy of the applications.

- Sharing Tree applications are due **September 30th**.

Please contact Mrs. Kirkman at [kirkmanam@midlandps.org](mailto:kirkmanam@midlandps.org) or 989-923-5091 if you have any questions.

We all know funday Friday, and gameday Friday, but what about... fashion show Wednesday? Thats right!! The Chemic Corner Dress to Impress Fashion show is next Wednesday in the cafeteria!! Come check out the newest chemic apparel modeled by your favorite chemics!!!

Nothing going on this Sunday, Chemics? Join MHS Pickleball Club this upcoming Sunday, September 22nd. from 1-2:30pm at the community center courts for some fun! See Mrs. Bank in Room 356 for details.

Why should I attend a college rep visit? You may be asking yourself this question! The answer is.. why not!? If you are a junior or senior, sign up in the Counseling Center to attend. Visits next week include: Oakland University during 5th hour on Thursday and Eastern Michigan University during 6th hour on Thursday!

GSA meets on Tuesday, 9/24 for Craft Day! Come join us in room 340 at 2:45pm for craft stations! We have friendship bracelets, mini paintings, coloring pages, and more. Bring your friends and make some crafts with us!

Crochet Club meets on Thursday, 9/26 to make granny squares and to learn more about working in the round. Crocheters are encouraged to bring their supplies, but we have some available! Never crocheted before but want to learn? Join us!

Questions? Stop by room 340 or talk to Ms. Francisco!

Attention freshmen, class of 2028! There will be a banner making meeting TODAY in Mr. Wontorcik's room (room 336) right after school until 3:45!!! We will be creating a banner for the freshmen class to display during homecoming. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to come and join us!

Hey Chemics, this Wednesday September 25th is "See You At the Pole", where we can pray for our school and country. We will meet the flagpole in front of the school at 7:15 and YES there will be Donuts.

Attention sophomores! Our last Friday banner meeting is today during 7th hour! Please come to 361, Ms. Murphy's room, to help with our Homecoming banner!

Hey Chemics:

Protecting our watersheds is critical to environmental health and sustainability! Come hear from researchers, educators, and community partners about conserving and restoring the health of our local rivers and coastal

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areas at the **State of the Bay Conference on Thursday, Sept 26, from 7:15am - 3pm at the DoubleTree Conference Center in Bay City.** The conference is absolutely FREE for MPS students, and also includes continental breakfast, lunch and transportation. Signed permission slips and registration are required for the event. Please see today's announcements for registration and permission slip information, as well as a link to the conference agenda. For additional questions, please contact Jen Lenon at Northeast Middle School.

**Registration at:** <https://www.stateofthebay2024.org/>

(use the code *sturgeon24* to waive the fee)

**Conference agenda:** [State Of TheBayAgemda.pdf](#) (typo! sorry!)

**Permission slip:** [State of the Bay Field Trip](#)

## **POSITIVE THINKING**

### **Go For It**

It's natural to wonder about whether or not you're ready to tackle a new challenge. Everyone experiences uncertainty or self-doubt at times. When you start wondering whether or not you can do something, remember this: You are as ready as you'll ever be. If you're always preparing, you'll never take the chance. Go For It! Bet on yourself and tackle that challenge.

## **SPORTS ACTION**

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### **Singles:**

No. 1 - Austin King, Midland Dow def. Finn O'Donnell, Midland, 6-0 , 6-0 , -;

No. 2 - Yassin Elsaadany, Midland Dow def. Caleb Katzinger, Midland, 6-1 , 6-1 , -;

No. 3 - Nimai Patel, Midland Dow def. Aiden Rovoll, Midland, 6-0 , 6-0 , -;

No. 4 - Siddarth Venkatesan, Midland Dow def. Gavin Russell, Midland, 6-0 , 6-1 , -;

### **Doubles:**

No. 1 - Matthew McGaugh, Midland Dow - Nathan Song, Midland Dow def. Tristian Deal, Midland - Bennett Smith, Midland, 6-0 , 6-2 , -;

No. 2 - Dominic Griffin, Midland Dow - Ian Koh, Midland Dow def. Nathaniel Wenzell, Midland - Brady Vannest, Midland, 6-1 , 6-0 , -;

No. 3 - Jack Elwell, Midland Dow - Raymond Chai, Midland Dow def. Reave Smith, Midland - Zach Webb, Midland, 6-0 , 6-0 , -;

No. 4 - Jashwanth Thamminana, Midland Dow - Vettel Xu, Midland Dow def. Andrew Witt, Midland - Wyatt Shaffner, Midland, 6-0 , 6-0 , -;

JV volleyball defeated Saginaw United on Thursday night. Midland won game 1, 25-5, game 2, 25-2 and finished the night winning

15-1 in game 3. Midland's next game is Tuesday at Dow.

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The Chemics are now 11-3-3, 4-0 SVL

Last night MHS girls swim and dive competed in the Tri-Cities Championship Meet. Qualifying and advancing to Finals on Saturday are:

Izzy Christiansen  
Jenna Seybert  
Abigail Shealy  
Lainey Ringgold  
Maddie Huschke  
Mary Doan  
Leighton Heinz  
Sarah Graham  
Beth Martin  
Mary Riddle  
Katelyn Cassiday  
Emma Bornemann  
Archa Nair  
Jaelynn Alvarez  
Ruby Collins  
Piper Moe  
Kierstien Weiss  
MaLi Powell  
Xinying Lee  
Natasha Kuchnicki  
Tempe Toombs  
Megan Frame  
Harmony Kickbusch  
Avery Miller

Girls Varsity volleyball defeated Saginaw United 3-0 at home on Thursday night Sept. 19th. Midland won game 1; 25-1, game 2; 25-8 and concluded the night with a 25-8 game 3 for the team victory.

Payton Palmer contributed 14 aces, serving 24 points in a row set 1 along with 4 assists in the match. Mollie Russell delivered 6 assists, 2 aces. Hitters contributing to the offense were Nicole Giardina with 5 kills, Lila Rekeweg with 4 kills, and Emmalea TerBurgh with 3 kills. Avery Stewart served up 8 aces in set 3. Brigid O'Malley had 3 digs, 3 assists on the night.

Midland's next league game is away at Dow High on Tuesday September 24th. Varsity record is 9-4, 3-1 in the SVL. We would really appreciate a loud cheering section next Tuesday!

Last night your Chemic JV football team beat Bay City Central 34-0. Leading the way for the Chemics on offense with one touchdown each was DJ Haynes, Taber Benner, Rostin Delgado, Preston Martin, and Aiden Honson. The Chemic defense was outstanding all night posting a goose egg on the night. Leading the way for the Chemics was Brandon Chesney, Hunter Vols, Tanner Brawt, and Josh Clever. The Chemics improve to 2-1-1 on the season. Their next game is next Thursday at Traverse City West. Game time is 6:30pm.

The Freshmen football team came up short in our game v BCC. However, we had a great offensive performance from Landon Macleod who rushed for 2 touchdowns.

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We also had great defensive performances from Lucas Dooly, Chase Mastaw and Sam Clever who all had several tackles and played with great energy and effort.

Midland Freshmen volleyball defeated Saginaw United 3-0 on Thursday night. The Chemics came away with game 1 with a score of 25-15, game 2 with a score of 25-10 and finished the night with a 15-4 victory in game 3. The team head to Dow High next Tuesday. Hope to see many of you there!

The Chemics are 6-2-4 on the season and 3-1 in the league.

**IN SPORTS ACTIVITIES**

**Friday:**

Varsity Football v Bay City Central 7pm

**Saturday:**

Cross Country @ Kayner Invite

Girls Swim @ Tri City Finals

JV Volleyball @ Grand Blanc 8:30am

Varsity Volleyball @ Our Lady of Lakes Tournament