

The background of the cover is a dark, atmospheric photograph of a sports field at dusk or dawn. The sky is a deep blue with some lighter, reddish-orange clouds near the horizon. In the foreground, the silhouettes of trees and the field are visible. Two bright stadium lights are visible on the left and right sides of the image, casting a glow. The text is overlaid on this background.

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2016

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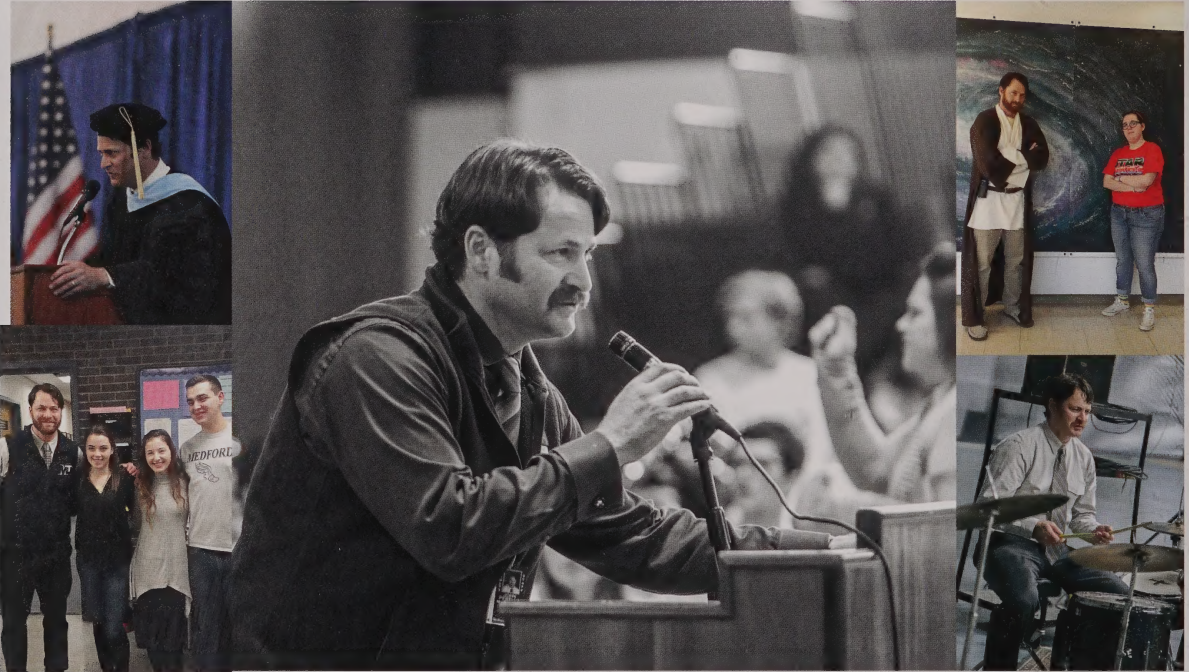
THE Class OF
2016

MEDFORD HIGH



We Would Like To Dedicate Our
Yearbook To...

DR. PERELLA



Dear Dr. Perella,

Your first full class dedicates this yearbook to you for being a great role model, joke-teller, and headmaster. You have helped transform Medford High School into a family. You have promoted togetherness among the faculty, parents, and kids of MHS. You have worked incredibly hard and innovatively to make the school a better and happier place. You've helped us become healthier through outdoor activities like the Fells Day, you've helped us become more insightful with your quote board, and you've made High Five Fridays a popular fixture. You have brightened Medford High School with your friendliness and your hilarious jokes. You have brought the teachers together with No Shave November, faculty breakfasts, and more. You transformed Medford High School into more than just a place to learn, and we are so thankful we got the opportunity to know you.

Thank you, Dr. Perella, for four great years of high school, and may the force be with you.

The Class of 2016

Messages From Your Administrators....

Hello 2016'ers,

Let's be honest, I'm technically in this class too. We all came in together, got our bearings, had our sophomore year of discovery, figured some things out in our junior year, and saw it through for the completion of this one. We both have grown, and hopefully, had a (mostly) great experience. Thank you for sharing the past four years. I will never forget them. I've been asked to offer some advice, so here it is....I haven't figured this living thing out (yet) either, and maybe that's the point. Maybe, that's not a bad thing. This I do know; it's a special thing to realize we are the Cosmos aware of itself. It's awe-inspiring to appreciate this amazing insight. Start here. Once you grasp this, you are on your way. I hope you find peace, love, and happiness on your journey.

Dr. P

Dr. Perella

To the class of 2016!

It's hard to believe that just three years ago, you welcomed me as your new principal. There were a lot of firsts that occurred that year for MVTHS and your class played a significant role in them. From beginning a SkillsUSA chapter to new programs, MVTHS began to transform from a traditional vocational high school into a vo-technical school with 18 approved programs. You chose MVTHS to learn skills that would take you into a career and prepare you for college. Continued education is critical for any worker. Whether it is a technical school, a community college, or four year university, your trade will depend on you furthering your knowledge. MVTHS students are prepared. They are prepared by professional staff that care about you and believe that you are able to accomplish greatness. My hope is that you take the skills acquired, apply them to your work and personal life, and recognize that you are in charge of your success. It has been a pleasure being your principal and I look forward to seeing you in the community working, living, and giving back!

Ms. Riccio



Ms. Riccio

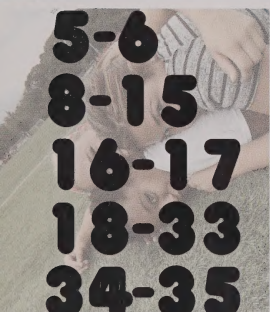
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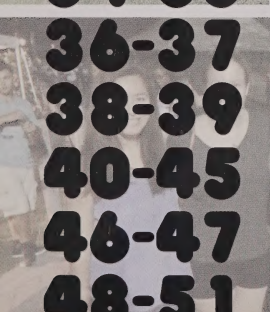
"Congratulations to the class of 2016 on your achievement of earning a Medford High School diploma. It has been my distinct pleasure to work with you over the course of your high school career. The 2015-2016 school year has been an amazing one in part due to the leadership of your class. On the first day of your senior year, I asked you to be role models for the rest of the building and to leave a positive legacy. I can say that without a doubt, the class of 2016 will be leaving Medford High School better than you found it. You have truly left your mark here at MHS, but this is only one step in your journey in life. As Dr. Seuss once said, "Oh the places you'll go. Today is your day! Your mountain is waiting. So... get on your way!" Conquer those mountains, class of 2016. Believe in yourself, dream big and go after your goals with tenacity and attention to detail and you will accomplish the unthinkable and truly make an impact on the world we live in."



The Class Of 2016



5-6 Thanks Advisors and Mentors



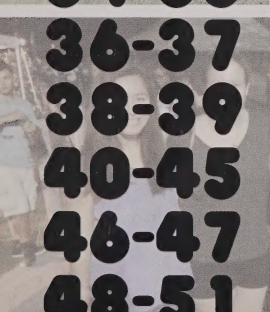
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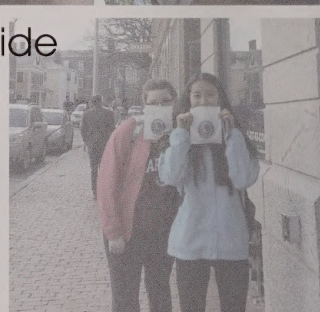
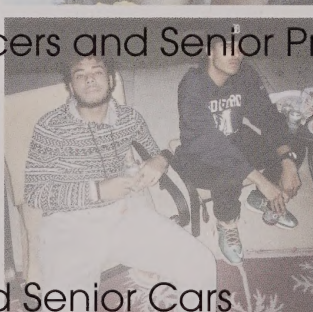
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Thank you to our Advisors



Ms. Sanford,

The Class of 2016 would like to thank you for your tremendously positive contributions to all of our high school experiences. Many of us were lucky enough to have you as an English teacher our freshman or junior years. You bring an unprecedented enthusiasm to your classroom and clearly care for your students deeply, working hard to make our lessons fun, interactive, and rewarding. Your influence outside of the classroom is just as prominent, as you have served as a co-adviser to our class since our sophomore year, helping to plan our dances, proms, fundraisers, and various other class events. Throughout it all, you've remained fiercely dedicated to helping our class succeed in all aspects. We couldn't have made it without your never-ending guidance and encouragements, Ms. Sanford. Thank you for all that you do. We'll miss you so much next year!

Ms. Sanford



Mrs. Dorsi,

The Class of 2016 cannot thank you enough for all you've done for us throughout our high school careers. Since our sophomore year, you've been an amazing co-adviser to our class, playing a key role organizing all of our various class events and giving us your guidance when needed - and let's not forget the yummy snacks you bring to all of our class meetings! You've been a source of endless support and guidance for all of us, quickly overcoming any obstacles that were thrown our way. It has been so great to walk into the library every day and see your welcoming face; it's one of the things we'll miss most about Medford High School. Your passion and dedication towards our class is ceaseless, we are so fortunate to have had such a wonderful class adviser to lead our class towards happiness and success. Thank you, Mrs. Dorsi - you've truly helped to make our high school years unforgettable!

Mrs. D'Orsi

and our Mentors...



Señor Skorker,

The Class of 2016 would like to thank you for sharing your contagious laugh, radiant smile, and melodic voice with us each and every day. Your vibrant spirit is as visible in your colorful classroom walls as it is in each endeavor to which you dedicate your energy and enthusiasm. Each member of our class has been fortunate enough to be touched by this spirit in a unique way - from having you as a teacher, to singing alongside you in Los Rubios, traveling with you to Spain, fighting alongside you for tolerance and equality in the GSA, and finding inspiration and hope in your commencement speech that will send us off onto our awaiting journeys. We are so blessed to have had an incredible mentor to look up to and confide in over the past four years, who has inspired us to one day emulate your presence and passion.

Mr. Skorker



To a super secretary,

The Class of 2016 would like to thank you for all the laughs, cheers, and compliments you have given to every single one of us. Medford High would not feel as welcoming as it is without your bright presence in and around the school. You lift our spirits and assist with everything from drama club to SAT's, and this school would certainly not function as smoothly without you. From the minute a visitor walks into the main office and sees your desk covered with Peanuts memorabilia and wooden rose flowers, they immediately feel at ease. You bring an unparalleled enthusiasm for everything you do, and we are forever grateful that you have shared your passion with us. You have shown us what it looks like to truly love what you do, and we can only hope that one day we will be fortunate enough to do what we love, whatever that may be.

Mr. McLaughlin

Teachers of MHS

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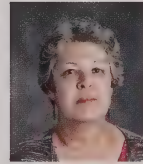
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Horne



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Klein



Rhonda
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Jason
Nascimento



Krista
Normandin



Lindsay
Prichard



Stacy
Schulman

The Staff on 2016



"To the Class of 2016, I hope all that you attain at Medford High School helps bring you richer, fuller lives and much happiness. May you experience life with an open heart and mind and in doing so always treat others the way you would like to be treated. So much of life is about decisions and attitude. "Good decisions have benefits, Bad decisions have consequences" and "Good attitudes can open doors to you, bad attitudes can close them." When you graduate I will remember you fondly, as I hope you will remember me. Best of luck and all of my love to the Class of 2016."

-Officer Mazaka



"The Class of 2016 is a unique group of students because they're the first class to share all 4 years with Dr. Perella and are the embodiment of the vibe and energy he has created. Remember I believe you will all go on to great things, but Medford will always be your home."

-Mr. McLaughlin

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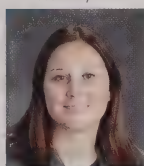
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Lepore



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Nyland



Michael
Skorker



Lina
Smith

"In my fifteen years teaching at Medford High School I believe that the class of 2016 is one of the most unique classes. What makes this class so unique is the personality of the class which is smart, hard working, funny and kind. We can witness these traits through the academic records of the class, the community service and the activities members of the class are involved in and the interactions of members of the class with each other and the community at large."



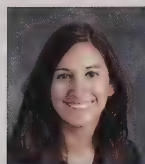
-Mr. Brophy



"Remember back when you were freshmen, and at the GSA assembly we stomped and crushed the cookie cutter? You are at a point of life where you have the ability to determine your fate. Don't wish your life away. Find your passion. Try, and join, everything. No "What if's"? Forget about your weaknesses, grab your strengths and run. If the monkey of addiction jumps on your back – kill it. You have grown up with some beautiful people in the Class of 2016. Invest in those relationships. Meet face to face. It is a big beautiful world – go see it. That's all from Shamokin Dam."

-Mr. Milne

HISTORY



Debra
Barron



Matthew
Brophy



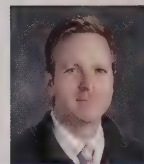
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Donlon



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Kain



Jennifer
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Dana
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James
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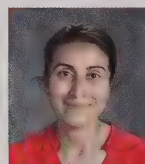
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Hamerly



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Faiza
Khan



Megan
LeClair



Nelson
Maldonado



Regina
Needham



Jennifer
Rigano



Emily
Simpson



"The most memorable moments of the Class of 2016 will always be grabbing Gina Dello Russo's water bottle in the middle of teaching.

Mistaking the water bottle for my own, I drank from her Camel Bak. The advice I have for the Class of 2016 is don't sign up for 8:00 am classes in college! Good luck and come back to visit!"

- Ms. LeClair



"I will never forget how far my fourth period Honors class went from being a quiet collection of students, unsure of themselves, to a confident community of scholars, ready to discuss the past, present, and the future with equal enthusiasm. Second period's sense

of humor and joy de vivre kept the morning lively, and this year's AP crew are all in! I wish you all the best as you go off to make the world a better place! Never stop learning, because you know what will happen if you do..."

- Mr. Streff

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Director

ENGLISH



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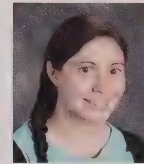
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Lucuk



Brian
Mernoff



Catherine
Newman



Richard
Richter



Michael
Wadness



Jonathan
Wilson



"A recent memory that stands out was when one student got into college, the entire class applauded. Let me tell you that the world won't always be in your corner; it won't. But your classmates and your teachers can, and

should. It's where decency and care come in - the "empathic embrace" Jeremy Rikin talks about, the mirror neurons that fire when we consider the person next to us as ourselves, in that kind variation upon the Christian theme - loving thy neighbor, or thy classmate, as oneself...then we are on to the path that the great writers, artists, musicians, and visionaries talk about - what the myths, the great poems, songs, novels, and stories are about. I will miss this class because it was a kind, decent, gutsy one. Be brave and safe out there."

- Mr. Heinegg



"I'm happy I am one of the class co-advisors, but I was a bit reluctant to take on the role because I had 1/3 of the classes of

freshman who could be described as the perfect storm. By junior year they became unified force of academic ability, charisma, and care for others. I love you all, Class of 2016."

- Ms. Sanford

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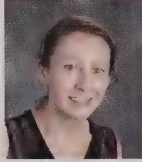
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Gardner



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Huether



Devon
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"What is most memorable about the Medford High School Class of 2016 is the spirit and talent of this fun loving group of students. I have experienced the richness and diversity of this student body, but the Class of 2016 has its own unique personality. The melding of the multicultural attitudes, beliefs, and values has been one of the hallmarks of this very special Class. As graduating students embarking on your next phase in life, I am certain you will often look back on these years with great appreciation for all you have attained. "

-Ms. Lepore



"To the Class of 2016, I cannot believe that you are all graduating. I remember you all as freshman, and from the very start I knew you were a special class. You will all have a place in my heart, much love..."

-Mr. Galusi

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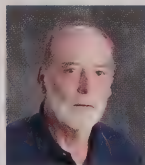
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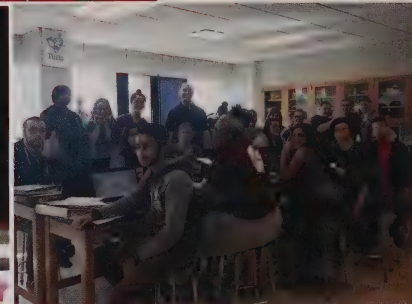
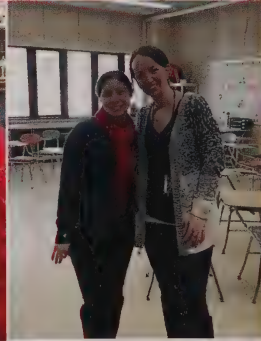
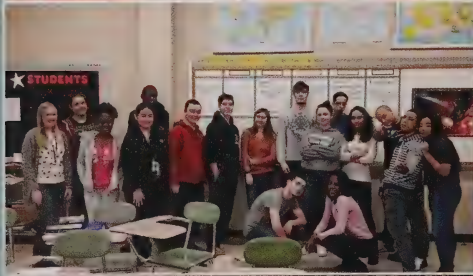
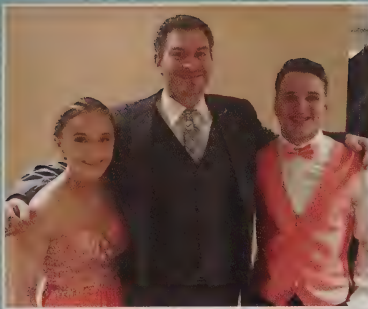
"I want to tell you all how grateful I am to have been your teacher. I hope you ALL know how much happiness you bring into my life and how much I genuinely enjoy teaching you. I am amazed by your brilliance, your light-hearted approach to life, and your humor. It truly is the people you meet along life's road that make us appreciate the journey. I want you to know that I believe in you wholeheartedly. I look forward to hearing about all the amazing adventures you are about to embark on. I want to leave you with this: "Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined." -Henry David Thoreau. Go out there, be bold, take risks and most importantly be true to yourself."

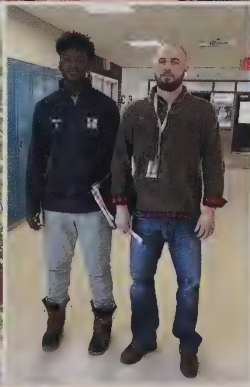
-Ms. MacDonald



"I have so many wonderful memories of this senior class, but who can forget doing yoga in advisory or hiking through the woods on Fells day. This class holds a special place in my heart, and they are like my mispucha. Good luck to all of you and don't forget the Gatorade!"

-Mrs. Carnabucci





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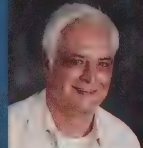


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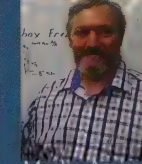


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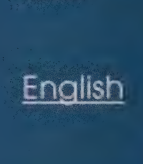
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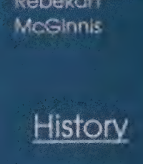
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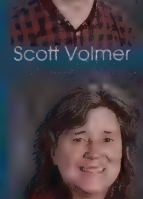
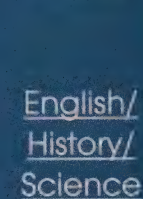
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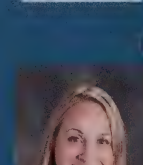
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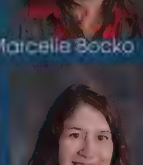
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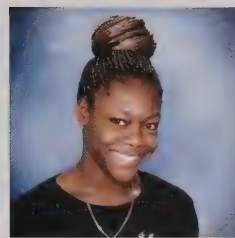
Ian Adams

"In the beginning the universe was created. This has made a lot of people very angry and is widely regarded as a bad move." -Douglas Adams



Fazana Afroz

"You're nobody until you're talked about."
-Dan Humphrey



Abdarline Aime

"Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened." -Dr. Seuss



Jason Alcenat

"Shoutout to posse."



Nicholas Alexis

"Insert quote here."



Rayne Allien

"You could be the king, but watch the queen conquer." -Onika Maraj



Sebastien Allien

"People look at you strange saying you changed, like you worked that hard to stay the same." -Jay Z



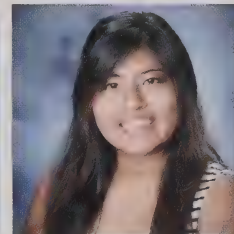
Shawn Allien

"If I was doing this for you then I'd have nothing left to prove, nah, this for me though." -Drake



Sabrina Alpino

"A's before bae's." -Fiji



Katerine Alvarez

"You are the architect of your destiny." -Unknown



Anthony Alves

"I'm handsome."



Ryan Alves

"Say no more."



Eric Anderson



Manual Andrade Jr.



Ajay Attenazio



Christopher Avenell

"With hopes and dreams as long as you have determination, anything is possible."



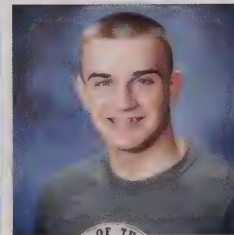
Shaima Azam

"Be OK with what you ultimately can't do, because there is so much you CAN do."
-Sam Berns



Gabriel Azevedo Sardinha

"In the end, we only regret the chances we didn't take." -Lewis Carrol



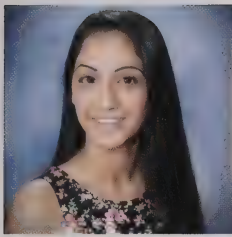
Owen Bailey

"I'm too hot to handle and too cold to hold."
-Macho Man Randy Savage



Emily Baires

"Always believe the impossible is possible."
-Selena Quintanilla Perez



Gurvir Bajwa

"Live without pretending, love without depending, listen without defending, speak without offending."
-Drake



Alexander Balzano

"If you ain't first, you're last." -Ricky Bobby



Erin Barnes

"What do you mean you need a quote right now?"



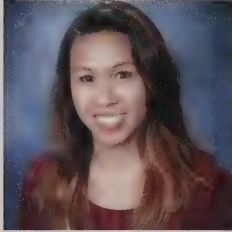
Olivia Barrows

"No regrets."



Vance Battersby-Grassa

"Believe only half of what you see, and none of what you hear."



Alexis Batul

"I'm the reason I smile every day." -Kanye West



Isabelle Bears

"My future is righteousness." -Bob Marley



Richard Beaubrun

"Be extraordinary to become extraordinary."



Jasmine Bell

"When they give you a weak scoop of mash potatoes in the lunch line my face is like Another One." -Dj Bell



Paul Bellino

"Hustle hit never quit."
-Nike



Ayman Bentalha

"Boss, you say there's only room for one snake. No, the world is better off without snakes."
-Big Boss



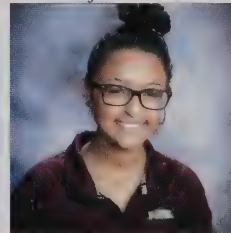
Sarah Berlus

"Sometimes I'm hard on me, when dreams don't come easy, I wanna look back and say; 'I did all that I could!'"
-Lennon & Maisy



Emma Bibbins

"I have no gender, only impotent rage at the ills of our society." - me



Kristen Borrero

"When life gets you down, you know what you gotta do? Just keep swimming, just keep swimming." -Dory



Emma Bossen-Wong

"You can never be overdressed or overeducated." -Oscar Wilde



Robert Boyd

"I'll always remember my high school friends."



Gislaine Braga

"The path to paradise begins in hell...at least we all started right!"
-Unknown



Rodrigo Braga

"Go for it. If you don't risk it you'll never know."



Sarah Branley

"Slavcho?"



Jomely Breton Herrera

"Believe you can & you're halfway there."
-T. Roosevelt



Justin Brown

"I think music in itself is healing. It's an explosive expression of humanity."
-Billy Joel



Connor Bryan

"If you ain't first, you're last."
-Ricky Bobby & Reese Bobby



Cullen Burke

"You miss 100% of the shots you don't take."
-Wayne Gretzky
-Micheal Scott" -Me



Kevin Calderon

"Slavcho."



Rafael Cano Bobadilla

"Life is like a river because it takes you on a long journey."



Andrew Cardoso

"Vocational education isn't just education, it's education that works."



Issac Cardoso

"You're never alone when you are with Christ."



Kelley Carr

"Life is a crazy ride."



Bruna Carreiro

"I should be in Florida right now."



Michelle Carvalho

"Be brave. Be courageous. Be your heart."
-Gabrielle Giffords



Victor Caselato

"If you're reading this it's too late."
-Drake



Julia Casey

"Identity theft is not a joke, Jim."



Robert Castagnetti Jr.

"It pays to be nice."



Jeffrey Castro



Matheus Cavalheiro

"There will come a time when you believe everything is finished, that will be the beginning."
-Louis L'Amour



Kedler Celamy

"Life is just like a video game and this is just another mission being completed."



Lachaea Cenescar

"Couldn't think of anything."
-Me



Fernanda Cerqueira

"Don't let your dreams be dreams!"
-Jack Johnson



Franchesca Charles

"An extrovert who succeeds to be different."



Christian Chavez

"There are far, far better things ahead than any we leave behind."



Lena Chehaiber

"The only time I set the bar low is for limbo."
-Michael Scott



Sadamy Chery

"Life is short, don't waste your time being sad or mad because there are plenty of people who wish they had what you have."



Ariana Chiarenza

"As you grow older, you will discover that you have two hands, one for helping yourself, the other for helping others."
-Audrey Hepburn



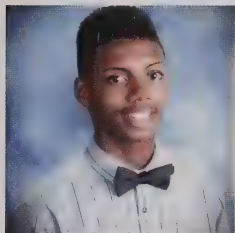
Louis Chin

"Let's see, a five letter word for happiness... money."
-Eugene Harold Krabs



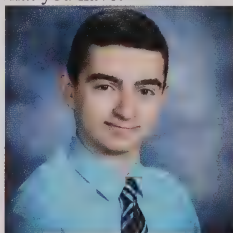
Tenzing Choedon

"Helping others in need is not only a responsibility of life; it is what gives meaning to life."
-Mollie Marti



Odson Junior Chrisosthonne

"As long as you know that the almighty God is for YOU, it doesn't matter who is against you."



Joseph Cicoria

"We all believed in ourselves. It was a matter of confidence that creates a fine line between winning and losing."



Jiahnna Clairzie

"In the end, it was all worth it." -Aaliyah



Reanna Clark

"I'm going to kick butt, you just wait and see!"
-Rory Gilmore



Nicholas Collins

"After 13 years of public education, I still can't believe it's not butter."



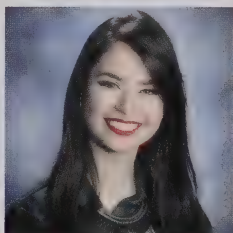
Thomas Connors

"The moose is loose."



Nicholas Corneilson

"Fetti on Fetti on Fetti."
-Cash Carlito



Gabriela Correia

"If you like water, you already like 72% of me"



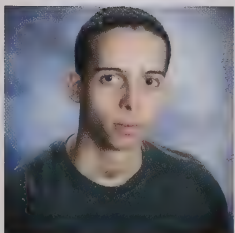
Marissa Correia

"Live life to the fullest, and focus on the positive." -Matt Cameron



Adriana Costa

"Today's the day, make a change, make a difference, lead your own life to success."



Gustavo Costa

"This is my quote."



Julia Coulombe

"The moment you doubt whether you can fly, you cease forever to be able to do it." -J.M Barrie, Peter Pan



Kathleen Covino

"It builds character, get over it."



Kali Crosby

"How do y'all find the energy to be rude at 9am, like?" -Halsey



Juliet Cruz

"There is no aspect, no facet, no moment in life that can't be fixed with pizza."
-Daria Morgendorffer



Samuel Cruz
"Faculty Favorite"



Massimo Cugno
"I see now that the circumstances of one's birth are irrelevant; It is what you do with the gift of life that determines who you are." -Mewtwo



Matteo Cugno
"I hated every minute of training, but I said, don't quit. Suffer now and live the rest of your life as a champion." -Muhammad Ali



Beatriz Da Costa
"Yes, there are two paths you can go by but there is time to change the road you're on." -Led Zeppelin



George Damaa
"The difficult we do now, the impossible we save for homeroom."



Christy Dang
"Stares into camera like in The Office* "What a life, what a day."



Connor Davis
"Life's not out to get you."



Lincoln De Almeida
"Great things come for those who wait, but only the things left by those who hustle." -Abraham Lincoln



Erin Deasy
"She who leaves a trail of glitter is never forgotten."



Raphael DeLeon Jr.
"If you're good at doing something, don't do it for free."



Gina Dello Russo
"Make it count." -Diane Greehan



Alyssa DeRienzo
"Seeing is deceiving, dreaming is believing" -Jessie J



Anthony DeRienzo
"Look Ma I did it!!"



Emma DeRosas
"Ain't nuthin but a g-thang."



Guidelle Desinor
"Get on my level... seriously bend a little."



Isabela DeSousa
"Though I'm not sure what's 'bout to happen next I asked for strength from the lord up above." -J. Cole



Abigya Devkota
"I'm so much cooler online."



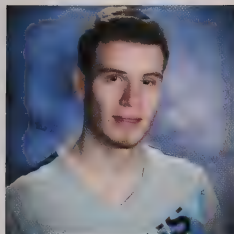
Kayla Dias Soares
"Tá Tranquilo, Tá Favorável."



Christopher DiBenedetto
"I am on my way, I can go the distance, I don't care how far somehow I'll be strong." -Hercules



Curt Diettrich, Jr.
"The answer is 42, but I still don't know what the question is."



Nicholas DiGangi

"Be positive
Be optimistic
Be Grateful."
-Conor McGregor



Sarah-Jo Dirienzo

"I am direct, ambitious,
and hungry-for success!"



Anthony DiVito

"If it doesn't challenge
you, it won't change you."



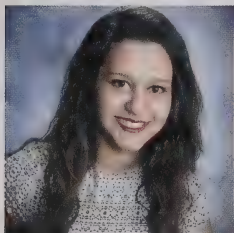
Maria DiVito

"Good morning my
friend. This will all be
irrelevant very soon."



Serena Do

"For I have known them all
already, known them all:
Have known the evenings,
mornings, afternoons, I
have measured out my life
with coffee spoons." -T.S.
Eliot



Layla dos Santos

"I'm going to do what I
want to do. I'm going to
be who I really am and
I'm going to figure out
what that is." -S. Dutton



Kyle Drew

"KPD, what it do"



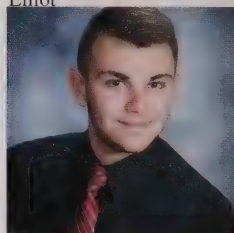
Henry Duarte

"Only God can judge me,
What doesn't kill you
makes you stronger."
-Tupac



Alexandra Dzioba

"My three favorite things:
Market Basket, Lacrosse,
and Camila Ribeiro."



Joseph Egitto

"Start by doing what's
necessary; then do what's
possible; suddenly you
are doing the impossible."
-Francis of Assisi



Ashley Eisnor

"Prove Them All
Wrong!"



Christopher Ellis

"Do whatever floats your
boat."



Alex English



Frankie Escobar

"Bruh, do you think the
ocean is salty because the
land never waves back?"



Katrina Faherty

"I don't have a picture, if
you wanted to remember
me, we would be in
contact."



Ashleigh Fanning

"It ain't ova till it's ova."
-Yogi Berra



Jared Fargo



Watayna Felt

"I was listening to Drake
songs back to back just to
figure out my senior
quote."



Molly Fenn

"The future belongs to
those who believe in the
beauty of their dreams,"
-Eleanor Roosevelt



Ramon Fernandes

"A pessimist sees the
difficulty in every
opportunity; an optimist
sees the opportunity in
every difficulty." -Winston
Churchill



Adam Ferragamo

"If you had one shot or one opportunity to seize everything you ever wanted in one moment would you capture it or just let it slip?" -Eminem



Kelsey Ferreira



Isaiah Fidelia

"They call me Wiggins."



Marcos Figueiredo

"You can't see me" -John Cena



Richard Finnigan Jr

"Discover how some moments can often speak the loudest: don't live for the moment, live in them."



Stephen Foley



Megan Follis

"This was not like High School Musical at all."



Alexander Frankel

"Winners never quit and quitters never win."
-Vince Lombardi



Elizabeth Frederick

"I want to be the very best, like no one ever was. To catch them is my real test, to train them is my cause." -Pokemon



Sean Freeman

"Speak Softly, and carry a big stick." -Theodore Roosevelt



Nikolaos Galanopoulos

"I live my life a quarter mile at a time."



Fallon Gannon

"Life, with its rules, its obligation, and its freedoms, is like a sonnet: you're given the form, but you have to write the sonnet yourself."
-Madeline L'engle



Rachel Garland

"Straight out the womb swingin'."



Kyle Geist

"If you ain't cheatin, you ain't trying!"



Adam Gherbi

"Money, power, respect."
-Kanye West



Michael Gomez



Benjamin Greenidge

"Always twinning."



Ethan Greenidge

"If a man does not have sauce he is lost, but the same man can be lost in the sauce." -Gucci Mane



Teah- Elyse Grupee

"Shout out to all my 'Grupee's'."



Hannah Gultom

"Yesterday you said tomorrow, so just do it."
-Shia Labeouf



Michael Hajjar Jr

"Before you make a decision, think about the consequences. If it worries you, don't do it."



Kerriana Hall

"My name is Kerri, I'm so very, fly, oh my, it's a lil bit scary."



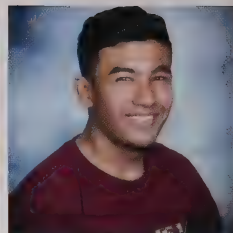
Patrick Hanlon

"When your work speaks for itself, don't interrupt."
-Henry J. Kaiser



Kayla Hanson

"My homework isn't done, but I am."



Rammee Haque

"Top is TOP."



Amel Hassan

"Believe you can and you will."



Liban Hassan

"Aspire to inspire before you expire."



Ta'mah Headen

"Reality is wrong; Dreams are for real. My mama used to tell me if you can't find something to live for you best find somethin to die for."
-Tupac



Montana Heise

"All we have to decide is what to do with the time that is given to us."
-J.R.R. Tolkien



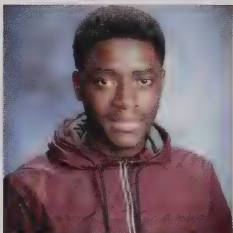
Leighton Helleberg

"It's not about who you are, but about who you know."



Jeremy Hollings

"Life's hard."



Allen Horace

"Yo yo yo it's Ray-Jay Studios"



Janelle Howard

"I got 99 problems, but I'm gunna take a nap and ignore them all"



Jordan Howard

"Through whatever you see, through all the rain and the pain, you gotta keep your sense of humor. You gotta be able to smile."
-Tupac Shakur



Emily Irwin

"Just do it! Make your dreams come true!"
-Shia Lebourg



Haley Jackson

"Those who think they are crazy enough to change the world, are the ones that do."
-Steve Jobs



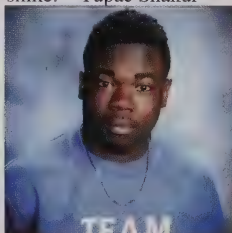
Liam Jacques

"You miss 100 % of the shots you don't take."
-Wayne Gretzkey



Abdurahman Jama

"I am the answer to all living things that cry out for peace, I am protector of the innocent, I am the light in the darkness, I am truth."
-Son Goku



Jean Janvier

"Haitian pride."



Hayayine Jean Marie

"If it ain't cray, it ain't Hay."



Olivia Jones

"All I'm gonna do is just go on and do what I feel."
-Jimi Hendrix



Tenzin Kamson

"Life is too short to wear boring clothes."
-Carly Cushnie & Michelle Ochs



Madison King-Giannino

"Be soft. Do not let the world make you hard. Do not let pain make you hate. Do not let the bitterness steal your sweetness."
-Kurt Vonnegut



Taylor Kitchen

"Stars can't shine without darkness."
-D.H. Sidebottom



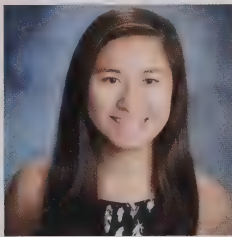
James Kostick

"Senior year: I had three lockers and carried a pillow to all my classes."



Patricia Laing

"Yikes." -Me, all four years of high school



Helen Lam

"They say every road comes to an end, but sometimes the end feels just like the beginning. Even when you think you've come a long way."
-GG



Bonnie Lampton

"Where's the free coffee?"



Peter Landing



A. J. Lanni-Schwarz



Gina Laskey

"And I think I'll miss you most of all, scarecrow." -Dorothy, The wizard of Oz



Ann-Mary Laventure

"The only reason I went to school all this time was to distract myself from the fact that I'll never be Beyonce."



Erica Lavoie

"Make each day your masterpiece."
-John Wooden



Ann Le

"Science Rules!" -Bill Nye



Anthony Leccese

"Smiling's my favorite."
-Buddy the Elf



Christian Lemus

"If you tremble with indignation at every injustice, then you are a comrade of mine."
-Che Guevara



Jacob Lewis

"Lies is fake"
-2 Chainz



Natavayi Lexis

"Just smile and ignore any drama and have fun!"



Sarah Lima

"Now I wanna dance, I wanna win. I want that trophy, so dance good."
-Mia Wallace



Vanessa Liu

"No."



Cali Looney-Desimone

"Even the biggest failure beats the hell out of never trying." -Meredith Grey



Karten Louis

"Trying is failing"
-B Barry



Courtney Lynch

"Goodbye everyone, I'll remember you all in therapy." -Plankton



Kyle Lynch

"The only thing standing between you and your goal is the story you keep telling yourself as to why you can't achieve it."
-Jordan Belfort



Samantha MacFarlane

"And now we must dance it out." -Meredith Grey



Sophia MacKay

"People say that life is the thing, but I prefer reading."
-Logan Pearsall Smith



Jahna MacNamee

"Straight outta Medfid"



Mackenzie Madigan

"A woman is like a tea bag- you can't tell how strong she is until you put her in hot water."
-Eleanor Roosevelt



Mohammad Mallak

"Too much corn to eat."
-Sarah Pierre



Timothy Malloy

"If a man does not have the sauce, then he is lost. But the same man can be lost in the sauce."
-Gucci Mane



Lise Mansaray

"Hey guys it's Lisa Lovee."



Philippos Martin

"References available upon request."



Antonio Martinez

"When life gives you lemons you make lemonade."



Sebastian Martinez

"What is your spaghetti policy here?"
-Charlie Kelly



Talia Matarazzo

"Beginnings are usually scary, and endings are usually sad, but it's everything in between that makes it worth living."
-Bob Marley



Owen Maunsell

"I did it."
-George W. Bush



Tia Mauro

"I woke up like this."
-Beyonce



Marcus Mazzotti

"Eyyyyyyyyyy you look good." -Myself



Jillian McCarthy

"Do you believe in love at first sight or do I have to walk by again?"



Jocelyn McCarthy

"Wait I don't get it..."



Kylie McGaffigan
 "If you don't believe in yourself why is anyone else going to believe in you" - Tom Brady



Hannah McGillicuddy
 "Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened." -Dr.Seuss



Connor McKenzie
 "Truth, Justice, and the American Way."
 -Christopher Reeve



Rita McLaughlin
 "Graduation is not the end; it's the beggining."



Samantha McLaughlin
 "There are a lot of little reasons why the big things in our lives happen."
 -Ted Mosby, HIMYM



Derek McLean
 "He who says he can and he who says he can't are both normally correct."
 -Confucius



Crystal McLeod



Stanley Medinar
 "Don't ever compare yourself with anyone in this world, if you do you're insulting yourself."



Neika Merveille
 "Speak a little truth and people lose their minds."
 -Ice cube



Simona Miller
 "The real violence, the violence I realized was unforgivable, is the violence we do to ourselves when we're too afraid to be who we really are." - Nomi Marks



Victoria Miller-Browne
 "Don't worry about it."



Sheri Moccia
 "I like to consider myself a connoisseur of chocolate milk."



Ekrama Mohamed
 "Catch me on the floor"
 -Crumbz



Corey Moore
 "We have to remember what's important in life: football, chicken, and school. Or chicken, football, and school. But school has to come third."



Ashley Morris
 "Lions don't lose sleep over the opinion of sheep."
 -Flatbush Zombies



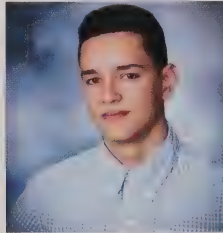
Thomas Moulton
 "Fans don't boo nobodies."



John Mucci-Riley
 "lo di hi hi di lo over lo lo"



Rachael Murray
 "Life is a wheel of fortune and it's my turn to spin it." -Tupac



Jonathan Murphy
 "Fastest car in the high school."



Linda Naama
 "Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot, nothing is going to get better, it's not."
 -Dr.Seuss, The Lorax



Wangden Nangpa

"I don't want no beef. I'm a vegan."



Larissa Neto

"You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, smarter than you think, and loved more than you'll ever know."
-Winnie the Pooh



Michelle Nguyen

"Plot Twist: Meep is actually my rap name."



Shirley Nguyen

"Try your hardest in everything you do because in the end it will pay off."



Safi Nkera

"Try to be the rainbow in somebody's cloud."



Nicholas Norberg

"I learned a great amount @ skool #automotive"



Sonam Nyima



Hannah O'Brien

"12-21-15 MCS"



Thomas O'Brien Jr.

"NMCP"



Grace O'Hara

"The best thing to hold onto in life is each other."
-Audrey Hepburn



Christian O'Malley

"The day I cut my fro is the day I stop my relationship with MJ."



Christopher Odom



Leonardo Oliveira

"You can catch flies with honey, but you can catch more honeys bein' fly."



Myles Olivier

"Hope we all find bliss."



Amanda Omalek

"Burrito, brown rice, hold the beans, chicken, mild, corn, lettuce, cheese and can I get some guac?"



Abdullahi Osman

"On life Tupac is alive."



Bilan Osman

"No one saves us but ourselves. No one can and no one may. We ourselves must walk the path."
- Gautama Buddha



Simon Ospenson

"Last words are for fools who haven't said enough." -Karl Marx



Taylor Pacheco

"Happiness is the richest thing we will ever own."
-Donald Duck



Luana Padua

"Be gentle with yourself. You are a child of the universe, no less than the trees and the stars; you have the right to be here."
-Max Ehrmann



Alton Palmer
"OTV, only the Voke"



Sean Palmer
"I'll be at your funeral."
-Mr. Milne



Zoe Pancic
"If this is paradise, I wish
I had a lawn mower."
-David Byrne



Lorenzo Pantaleo
"If Young Metro don't
trust you..." -Future



Brooke Parziale
"As long as it doesn't
involve wheat, soy dairy,
nuts, mushrooms, garlic,
peppermint, birch, beans
or grass, I'm in."



Anthony Pantaleo
"I owe all my success to
Bobby"



Jai Patel
"Let my silence mean
surrender, but it may
awaken a sleeping giant."



Adam Pereira
"Let that be a lesson. In
future, be more careful
from whom you accept
free lemonade."
-Adam West, Batman



Vincent Perella
"I'm going to go stand
outside. If anyone asks,
I'm outstanding."



Margaret Petrella
"the struggle you're in
today is developing the
strength you need for
tomorrow"



Elise Pflaumer
"I am ready to face any
challenge that might be
foolish enough to face
me." -Dwight Schrute



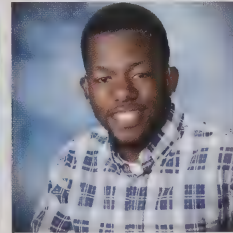
Tenzin Phunkhang
"Due tomorrow?
Do tomorrow."



Fredrick Pierce
"Savage of the year,
OTV"



Sarah Pierre
"Keep moving forward."
-The Robinsons



Kevin Pierre-Noel
"All I want is Hakuna
Matata."



Jasmine Pina
"Never give up."



Max Porrazzo
"Can I borrow a pencil?"



Ershline Prince
"Tell me and I will forget.
Show me and I will
remember. Involve me
and I will understand."
-Confucius



Makayla Puntonio
"You can never cross the
ocean unless you have the
courage to lose sight of
the shore" -Christopher
Columbus



Kyle Quach
"Pass the AUX cord
fam."



Jennifer Radigan
 "This wasn't like high school musical at all."



Estefany Ramos Parada
 "He who walks with the wise grows wise, but a companion of fools suffers harm." -Proverbs 13:20



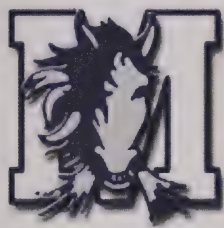
Katrina Raschi
 "It's crazy, we even finish each other's..."



Victoria Raschi
 "...Sandwiches!"



Ana Rauda
 "To all of my haters that didn't believe in me, look at me now I'm Class Of 2016"



Eric Rechndan



Eric Reppucci
 "Winners never quit and quitters never win"
 -Vince Lombardi



Louis Man Rezan
 "It does not matter how slowly you go as long as you do not stop."



Camila Ribeiro
 "Lexi & Luana, I'm really happy for you, but Alex and I have the best friendship of all time."



Fabio Ricci
 "One day all the clocks will stop and time won't mean a thing." -Dave Grohl



Aislynn Richardson
 "He is not the sun, you are." -Cristina Yang



Vincent Riley



Victoria Rinaldi
 "The brave do not live forever, but the cautious do not live at all." -The Princess Diaries



Eric Ringland
 "School Goals."



Thais Rocha
 "The limit does not exist." -Cady Heron



Joseph Rogers
 "There's no nobility in poverty." -Jordan Belfort



Jacquelynne Rothermel
 "Starting today I need to forget what's gone, appreciate what still remains and look forward to what's coming next."



Emma Rowe
 "The greatest freedom is the freedom of choice, the greatest choice is to follow the lord."
 -Unknown



Fredy Rubio
 "Life is too short to be small."



Molly Ryan
 "You're braver than you believe, and stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think."
 -A.A.Milne, Winnie the Pooh



Sukhkaran Saggi

"People say nothing is impossible, but I do nothing every day"

-Winnie the Pooh



Acxon Saint Elus

"Understanding is simply remembering something that you already knew."



Naralys Sanchez Rojas

"Keep smiling because life is a beautiful thing and there's so much to smile about." -Marilyn Monroe



Tainary Santana Reyes

"You can't put limit on anything. The more you dream, the farther you get." - Michael Phelps



Henrique Santos Pedro

"We on the map."



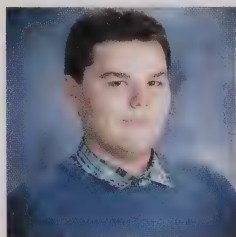
Stephanie Santos

"Straight outta the Voke"



Derik Savoia

"#OVO"



Kyle Scanlon

"I was the Beyonce in a school full of Michelles."



Michael Sciarratta



Aaron Sealey

"I play for my family. I play for my teammates. I play for that last name on the back of this Jersey."

-Carlos Hyde



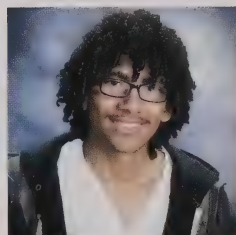
Omar Seck

"I don't play baseball, I just run track on a baseball field. Don't get it twisted, I still play hockey"



Samantha Seniti

"Destiny is for losers. It's just a stupid excuse to wait for things to happen instead of making them happen." -Blair Waldorf



Anthony Sequeira

"Time is infinite, possibilities are infinite."



Alexis Serino

"As you grow older, you will discover that you have two hands: one for helping yourself, the other for helping others."

-Sam Levenson



Emily Serra



Zaryaab Shafiq

"She want some ransom, she say I'm handsome."

-Lil Reese



Jayant Sharma

"If you rearrange the letters in Peru, you get Europe."



Brendan Sheehy

"#21 on the ice, #1 in your heart #WhiteLine"



Rafael Silva

"Rice and beans."



Alex Smith

"Family first. And I love Talia."



Connor Smith

"All I can do is be me, whoever that is."

-Bob Dylan



Rose Smith

"No way but forward."

-Torako Kageyama



Victoria Standeven

"Just follow your heart."

That's what I do."

-Napoleon Dynamite



Jeromiah St. Louis

"Hey, welcome to Starbucks. How may I help you?"



Renee Staude

"Find love with your heart, not your eyes."

-Sherron Mills



Kyle Sullivan

"Trump 2016."



Matthew Sullivan

"I'm a framer legit keeping it funky hello."



Amani Taha

"Growing old is mandatory, but growing up is optional."

-Walt Disney



Mary Tang

"I spend most of my time sitting on my butt."

-Cara Delevingne



Karma Tashi

"Always be humble and grateful of yourself, for there are ones less fortunate."



Tenzin Thoulutsang

"Wrong Tenzin." -Me



Jarod Torres

"#wolfsquad"



Ketty Monica Toussaint

"I won't be impressed with technology until I can download food."

-Unknown



Stanley Ung

"I see now that the circumstances of one's birth are irrelevant; It is what you do with the gift of life that determines who you are."

-Mewtwo



Humza Usman

"I can be smart when I want to be, I just never want to."



Jillian Valentyn

"No, my favorite holiday is not Valentine's day."



Chadwick Van Schoor

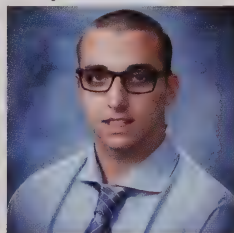
"Yo make up a senior quote for me, I'm not in school."



Elianna Viggiani

"Look up at the stars and not down at your feet. Try to make sense of what you see and wonder about what makes the universe exist. Be curious."

-Stephen Hawking



Guarino Vilar

"Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence wins championships."

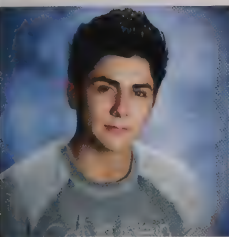
-Michael Jordan



Judicaelle Vincent

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

Philippians 4:13



Manuel Vivas
 "Don't let anyone tell you
 what to do, be yourself."



Michael Walker
 "Don't let your memes be
 dreams."
 -Lepidobatrachus



Thomas Walsh
 "What I learned in
 boating school is..."
 -Spongebob Squarepants



Jonathan Whalen
 "You miss 100% of the
 shots you don't take."
 -Wayne Gretzky
 #TOWNIES"



Emma Whisler
 "I am not plain or average
 or-god forbid-vanilla. I
 am peanut butter rocky
 road with multicolored
 sprinkles, hot fudge and a
 cherry on top."
 -Wendy Mass



Brian White
 "6-13-15 MNP"



**Christopher
 Williams Jr**
 "Sports do not build
 character. They reveal it.
 -Heywood Broun



Miyka'el Wise
 "I don't care about you,
 why you worried bout
 me." -Weeknd



Shu Yi Wu
 "Life is peaceful."



Yvonne Wu
 "No." -Rosa Parks



Eduarda Xavier
 "Are you a bank?
 Because you need to
 leave me a loan."



Naiara Zerlotini
 "Life is like a confused
 teacher...first she gives
 the test and then teaches
 the lesson." -Drake



Andy Zhang
 "You can sleep when
 you're dead or in fifth
 period anatomy."



Katelyn Zizzo
 "You go Glen Coco"
 -Damian Leigh



Michael Zizzo



Jennifer Zuluaga
 "I spent 113,880 hours of
 my life all for a
 handshake and a piece of
 paper."

Class of 2016 Officers

Vice President Shaima Azam

Treasurer Rose Smith

"My favorite thing about the class of 2016 is the amazing sense of acceptance and welcome that every person seems to exhibit. Although we are all extremely different, we all embrace those differences with welcoming arms."



"My favorite thing about our class is the overall sense of unity and acceptance that we share. As said in the best movie of our generation, 'we're all in this together'."



"My favorite thing about our class is the amazing people that walk through the halls. Everyone is so unique and I feel like they've become my weird, extended family."



"My favorite thing about our class is its energy. I always feel uplifted when I walk through our halls."

President Vanessa Liu

Secretary Lexi Serino

We asked the officers what their favorite thing about the Class of 2016 was...

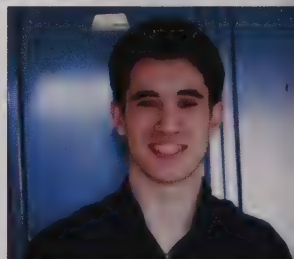


"My favorite thing about our class is the vibrant energy and motivation we bring in to Medford High on a daily basis, and how we're all accepting and open to our peers."

-Jai Patel, Site Council Rep.

"My favorite thing about our class is that we come together as one nicely"

-Anthony Leccese, Site Council Rep.

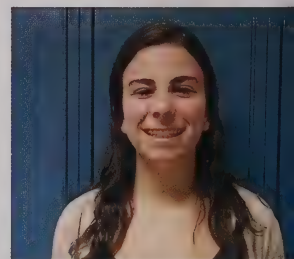


My favorite thing about this class is how we are all very diverse in terms of interests and talents. We are all unique in our own way but still share in an overall sense of spirit and camaraderie.

-Serena Do, School Committee Rep.

"My favorite thing about the class of 2016 is the positive energy that we bring every day to this school."

-Montana Heise, Student Council Rep.





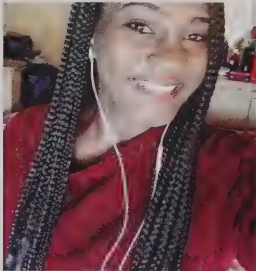
WE ARE GOING TO BE LEGENDARY



MVTHS Class of 2016



Vocational Senior Class Officers



MVTHS Senior Class President: Ketty Monica Toussaint
Health Assisting

"I will never forget Health Assisting as a whole. I will miss everything from the mannequins to the friends and teachers that have become like family to me. I'm so glad I choose that career area because I've gained so much knowledge not only relating to health but to personal life lessons that have helped me and my family. I dream of becoming a doctor in the near future and all those lessons learned are the perfect guide to reach my goals. I cannot thank my teachers enough for giving me a great high school experience and for allowing me to be myself. Hopefully I will come back to MVTHS one day as Dr. Toussaint."



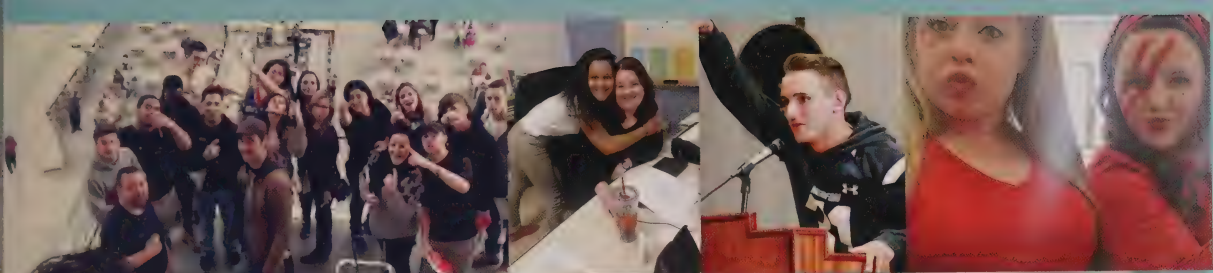
MVTHS Senior Class Vice President: Haley Marie Jackson
Graphic Design & Visual

"My favorite memory at MVTHS is getting my Leadership Award last year from the Class Of 2016. I received the award because I attended all class meetings and all class events. I always collaborated with the high school and made sure our school was involved in everything."

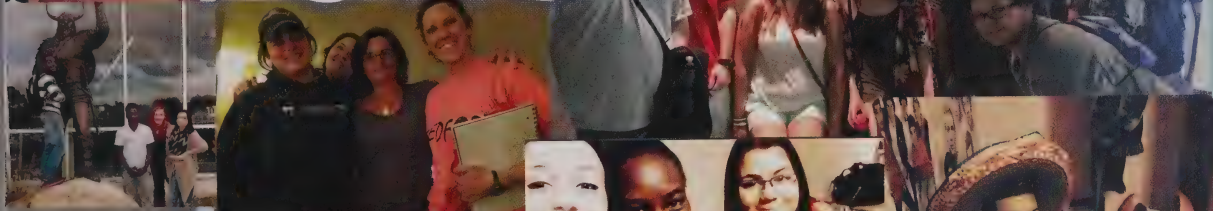


MVTHS Senior Class Secretary: Victoria Rinaldi
Early Childhood Education

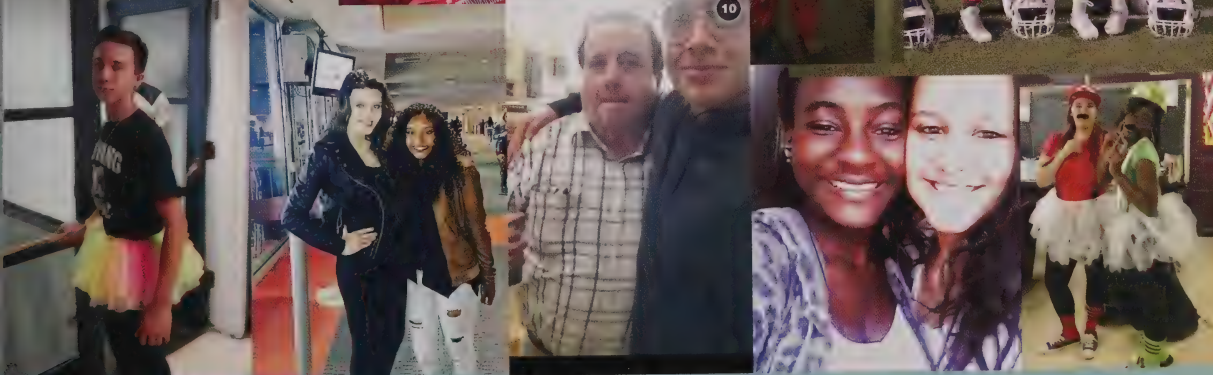
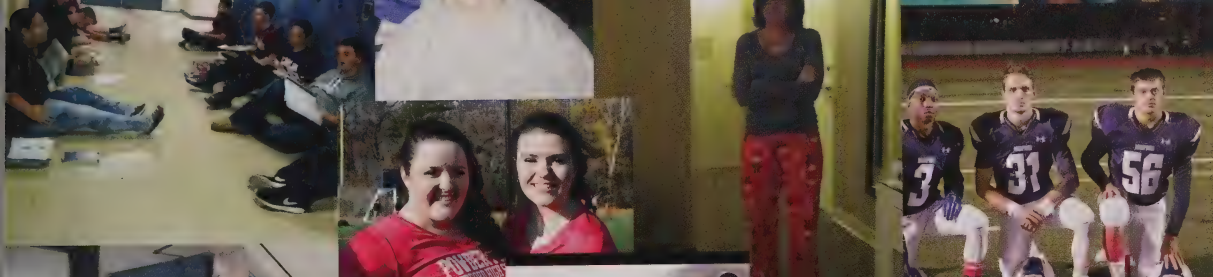
"My favorite memory of being at the Vocational School was getting the chance to make connections with the teachers and administration because I couldn't have done it without them."



Voke



Life



Live At MHS



Massimo Cugno



Q: What is your favorite MHS memory?

A: When I walked through the doors of MHS realizing I was starting a new chapter in my life that was going to be full of new things and people.

Karten Louis



Q: Who was your favorite teacher at MHS and why?

A: Mr. Ambrose because he has done so much for me, from summer school, to writing my recommendation, to emailing my teachers to make sure I'm on track. He's the best!

Grace O'Hara



Q: What class was the most memorable to you?

A: Ms. Beagan's fourth period class because some of my closest friends are in it and because Ms. Beagan is so sweet and such a hard worker.

Mary Tang



Q: What is your favorite senior year memory thus far?

A: My favorite memory thus far is just all the class activities as a class because it's our last year together and we get to bond as a class together.

Abdi Jama



Q: Who influenced you at the beginning of your high school career to help you succeed?

A: When I came to MHS, my brother Mohamed was a senior and I was a freshman. He was a huge role model and influenced me so much. He showed me the road to success at MHS.

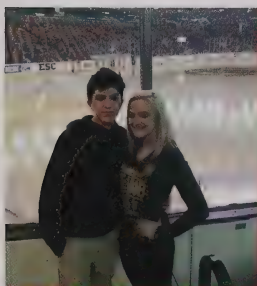
Vincent Perella



Q: What is one thing you would change in your experience at MHS?

A: I would have liked to move here earlier than I did because I can honestly say MHS is one of the best high schools in the nation and has provided me with an experience of a lifetime.

Hannah O'Brien



Q: Where do you see yourself in 5 years?

A: I see myself graduating with a degree in special ed from SNHU. I also see myself with my boyfriend and a happy and successful 23 year old!

Tia Mauro



Q: What is your biggest pet peeve at Medford High?

A: My biggest pet peeve is we aren't allowed to bring coffee to school in the morning!
#senioritis

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Rodrigo Braga



Q: What are you most looking forward to after you graduate?

A: I'm looking forward to growing up. It's a new chapter in my life that's going to require everything I learned in high school to be put in use. I'm excited!

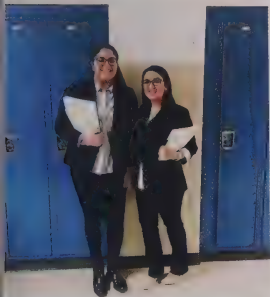
Connor Bryan



Q: How would you describe MHS to an incoming freshman?

A: MHS is a place where you truly do get out what you put in. Keep your head down, just do homework, don't engage, and it will be boring. But conversing with teachers, putting on a Mustang jersey and playing on a team, going to prom will give you the most enjoyable 4 years of your life.

Sabrina Alpino



Q: Finish the sentence: I will always remember.....

A: I will always remember when Jocelyn broke her nose in gym class! You're the man Leighton!

Eduarda Xavier



Q: What is the most challenging task of being a senior?

A: Trying to keep up with my grades while avoiding senioritis! Also the stress of getting into college!

Amanda Omalek



Q: What person has had the biggest effect on you at Medford high?

A: I would have to say Ms. MacDonald. She's always so positive and helpful. I would always look forward to her class.

Sean Palmer



Q: Describe one thing you will take with you from Medford High?

A: A sense of open-mindedness being in a school that is populated by people of all races, cultures, and religions has increased my exposure to all their different lifestyles and has increased my appreciation of them.

Alex Frankel



Q: If you could pick a theme song for the class of 2016 what would it be and why?

A: "Uptown Funk" because we are such an interesting, smart, upbeat, and fun group!

Bruna Carreiro



Q: Who has given you the best advice in high school? What was it?

A: Definitely Mr. Nas. He always reminds me the week may seem long but all you have to do is break it into parts. It always helps to hear his optimism.

Senior Superlatives



Best Laugh: Victoria Miller
Browne and Humza Usman
Runner-Ups: Jayant Sharma
and Sammie McLaughlin



Most Athletic: Ashley Eisnor and
Myles Olivier
Runner-Ups: Gigi Braga and
Max Porrazzo



Best Dressed: Teah Elyse-
Grupee and Stanley Ung
Runner-Ups: Emma Bossen-
Wong and Karma Tashi



Couple That Should Have
Been: Erin Deasy and George
Damaa
Runner-Ups: Gabrielle
Azevedo and Owen Bailey



Class Couple: Emma Bossen-
Wong and Chad Van Schoor
Runner-Ups: Eduarda Xavier
and Corey Moore



Best Hair: Molly Ryan and
Nick Corneison
Runner-Ups: Mackenzie
Madigan and Justin Brown



Best Friends (Male and Female): Emma deRosas and Jayant Sharma
Runner-Ups: Julia Casey and Phillip Martin



Best Friends (Females): Lexi Serino and Luana Padua
Runner-Ups: Helen Lam and Mary Tang



Best Friends (Males): Corey Moore and Myles Olivier
Runner-Ups: Thomas Walsh and Sean Palmer



Drama King and Queen: Phillip Martin and Jillian McCarthy
Runner-Ups: Hannah O'Brien and Pedro Santos



Everyone's Secret Crush: Mackenzie Madigan and Max Porrazzo
Runner-Ups: Eduarda Xavier and Marcus Mazzotti



Most Intelligent: Serena Do and Ian Adams
Runner-Ups: Simona Miller and Phillip Martin

Senior Superlatives



Best Eyes: Shawn Allien and
Jillian Valentyn
Runner-Ups: Connor Bryan
and Sammie McLaughlin



Best Smile: Sebastien Allien
and Grace O'Hara
Runner-Ups: Jordan
Howard and Katrina Raschi



Most Likely To Be Late To Their
Own Wedding: Simon Ospenson
and Ekrama Mohamed
Runner-Ups: Stanley Medinar
and Christelle Nkera



Celebrity Look-a-like: Miy'kael
Wise (The Weeknd) and
Ashley Morris (Miley Cyrus)
Runner-Ups: Eric Reppucci
and Lexi Serino



Most Friendly: Adam
Ferragamo and Michelle
Nguyen
Runner-Ups: Anthony Leccese
and Maddie King-Giannino



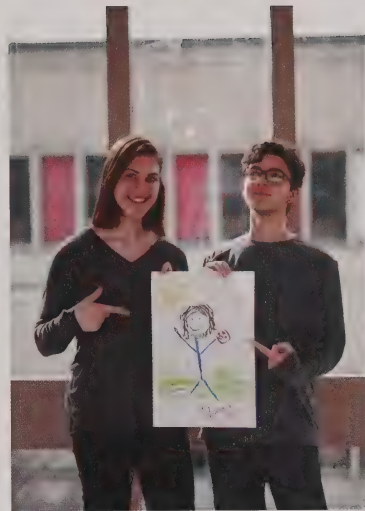
Most MHS Pride: George
Damaa and Katie Covino
Runner-Ups: Sean Palmer and
Olivia Barrows



Class Flirts: Leo Oliveira
and Hannah O'Brien
Runner-ups: Pedro Santos
and Jahna MacNamee



Most Likely To Be Famous:
Marcus Mazzotti and Maddie
King-Giannino
Runner-Ups: Kyle Scanlon and
Victoria Raschi



Most Artistic: John Mucci-
Riley and Emma Whisler
Runner-Ups: Connor Smith
and Naiara Zerlotini



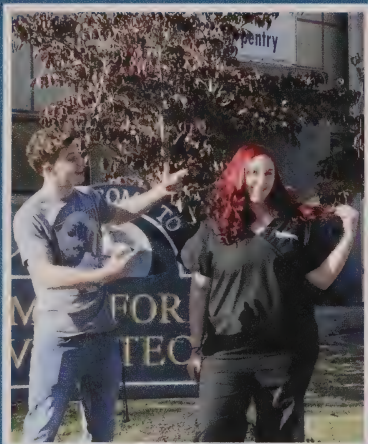
Life of the Party: Chad Van
Voor and Tenzin Phunkhang
Runner-Ups: Aaron Sealey and
Hannah O'Brien



Worst Driver: Vincent
Perella and Kelley Carr
Runner-Ups: Anthony
DiVito and Molly Ryan

The Yearbook Club distributed pamphlets to senior homerooms to poll the winners for the Senior Superlatives. The pamphlets were then counted for each superlative and announced to the class. We included runner-ups for each superlative so more members of our class could be represented.

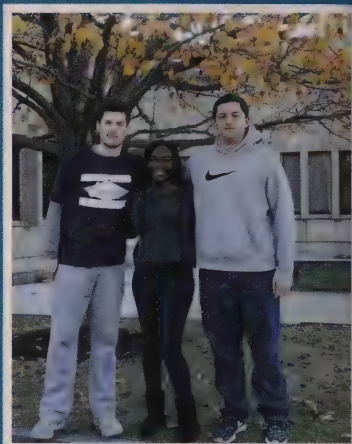
VOCATIONAL



Best Hair:
Derick Savoia, Megan
Follis



Best Eyes:
TJ O'Brien, Jon Whalen,
& Bonnie Lampton



Best Nickname:
Robert C. (Bubba),
Ketty T. (Ketata/Ketty
Wap), Alex B. (Balz)



Best Smile: Kedler
Celamy & Jasmine Bell



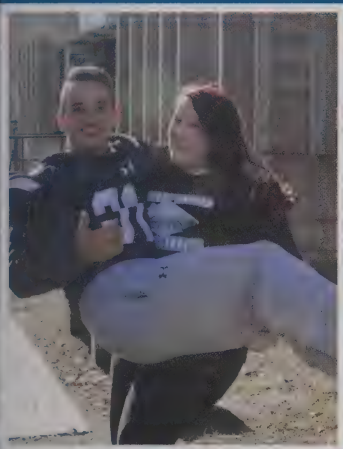
Best Athlete: Anthony
Derienzo & Alyssa
Derienzo



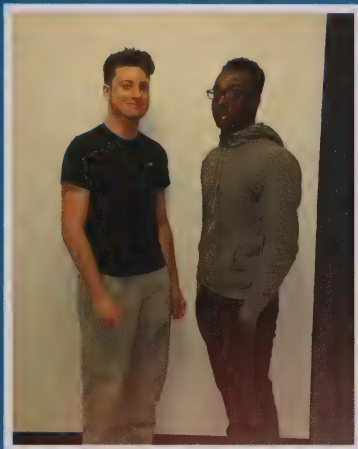
Best Laugh:
Alton Palmer, Issac
Cardoso, & Ketty
Toussaint



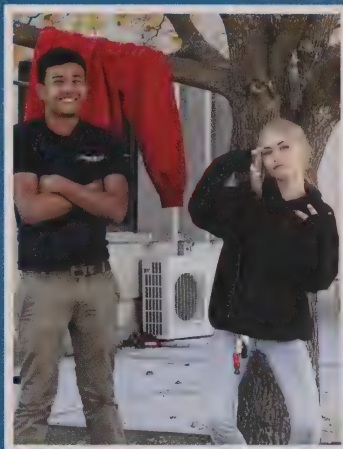
SUPERLATIVES



Class Flirt: Anthony Derienzo & Kylie McGaffigan



Class Clown: Brian White & Jeromiah St. Louis



Creative: Bonnie Lampton & Ramee Haque



Everyone's Secret Crush: Derk Savoia & Alyssa Derienzo

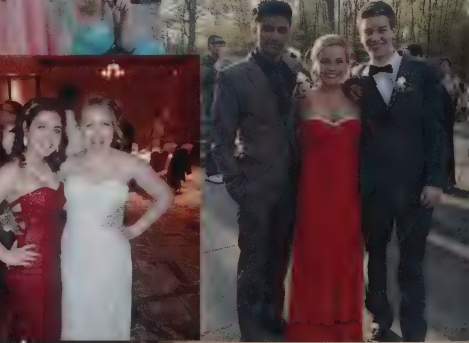
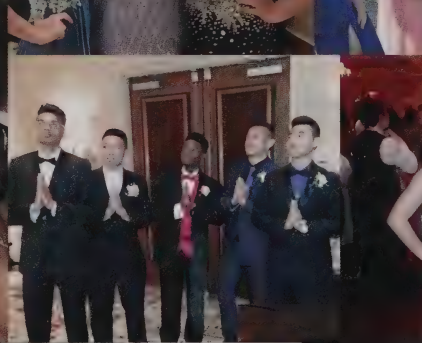
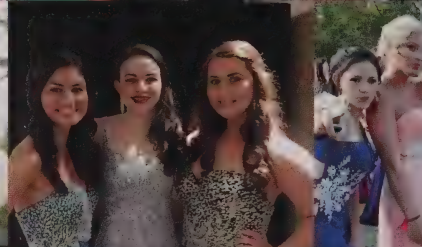
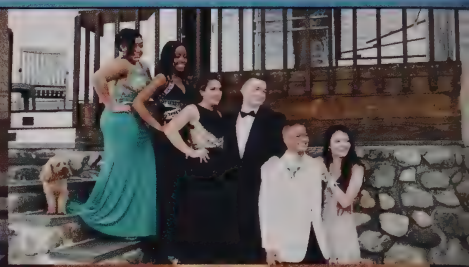
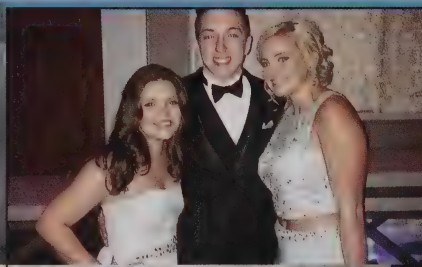


Cutest Couple: Katelyn Zizzo & Nick Norberg

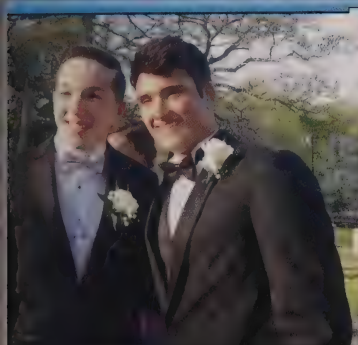


Couple that should've been: Ketty Toussaint & Kedler Celamy

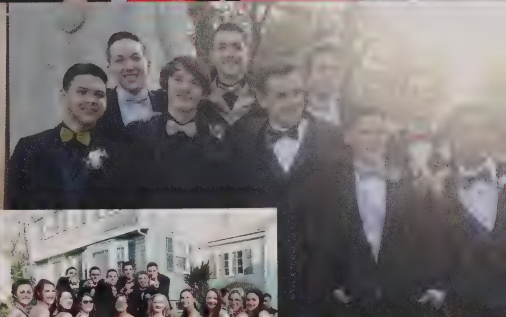
Junior Prom



A Star-Studded Night



The King and Queen



Summer 2015



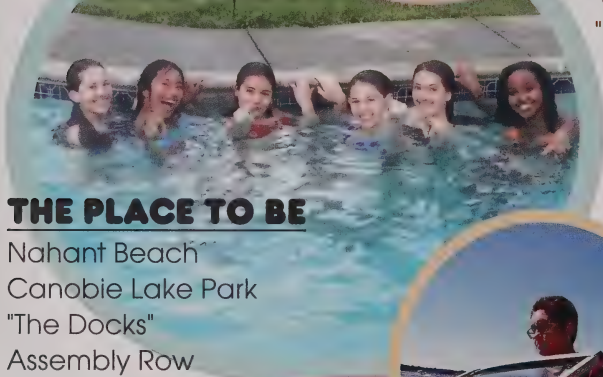
HIT SONGS OF THE SUMMER

"Can't Feel My Face" by the Weeknd
 "Cheerleader" by Omi
 "Watch Me" by Silentó
 "Fight Song" by Rachel Platten
 "Shut Up and Dance" by Walk the Moon
 "Cool for the Summer" by Demi Lovato



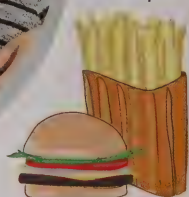
THE PLACE TO BE

Nahant Beach
 Canobie Lake Park
 "The Docks"
 Assembly Row
 Fanuil Hall
 Cape Cod
 "Lawn on P"



BEST EATS

Chiptole
 Panera Bread
 Boston Burger
 Company
 Tenoch
 Regina's Pizza
 CB Scoops



TRENDS

Ombre Hair
Whip & Nae Nae
Nike Roshes
Raybans/Aviators
Starbucks
Spotify
Netflix



TV SHOWS

Pretty Little Liars
Grey's Anatomy
Empire
American Horror Story
Impractical Jokers
The Walking Dead
Orange is the New Black

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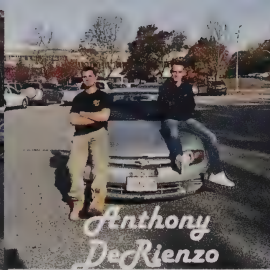
SUMMER MOVIES

Jurassic World
Inside Out
The Minion Movie
Paper Towns
Fast and Furious 7
Straight Outta Compton





*Brendan Sheehey
and Isaac Cardoso*



*Anthony
DeRienzo*



Kyle Sullivan



Jared Fargo



Katten Louis

"Dude where's my car?"



*Vance
Battersby*



Rose DeFlauwer



*Hannah O'Brien
"Feticia"*



Jenn Zuluaga



Katie Covino



Jayant Sharma



Mackenzie Madigan



*Leonardo Oliveira
"Coraline"*



*Renee Staude
"Mom-Mobile"*



Thomas Walsh



Julia Nataro



McCelyn McCarthy
Pyla the Liberty



Andrea and Katrina
"Murray"



Samuel and Leslie
"Leslie Knappe"

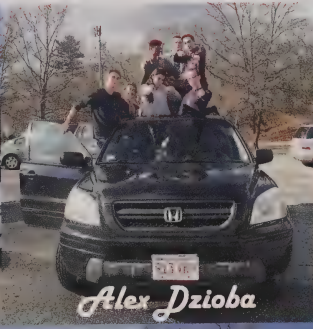
Senior Cars 2015-2016



Molly Ryan
"Milly the Mitsubishi"



Joe Fgitto and
Sam Geniti



Alex Dzioba



Miyka'el
Wise



Marcus
"Shadynar"



Vincent Perella
"Lamborghini Marz"



Samuel
"g'brude"



Gina Dello Russo
"Ronda"



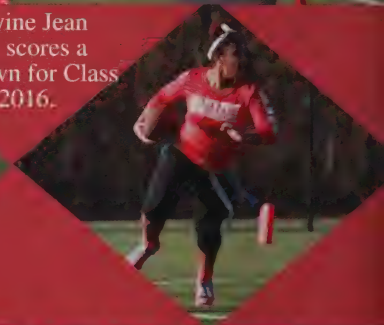
Jill McCarthy
"Ruby"



Connor Bryan

POWDERPUFF 2015

ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2015 AFTER THE THANKSGIVING PEP RALLY, THE JUNIOR AND SENIOR GIRLS WENT HEAD-TO-HEAD IN THE ANNUAL POWDERPUFF GAME ON THE FIELD OF DREAMS.

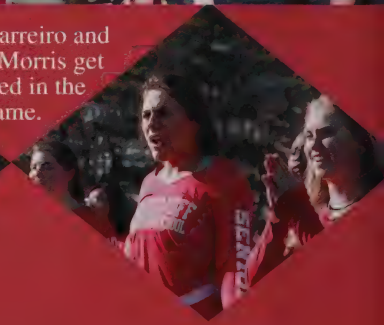
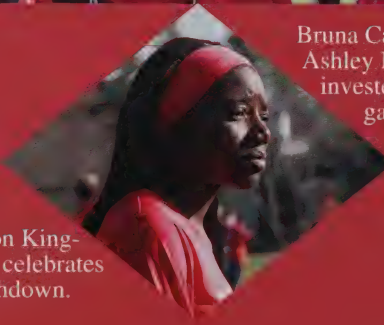


Hayayine Jean Marie scores a touchdown for Class of 2016.

Quarterback Lindy Naama ties the game the day before Thanksgiving 21-21.



Bruna Carreiro and Ashley Morris get invested in the game.



Madison King-Giannino celebrates a touchdown.



FALL, FOOTBALL, AND FRIENDS



NEON DANCE

Brought to you by the GSA

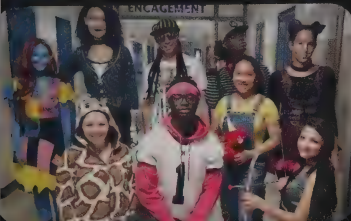
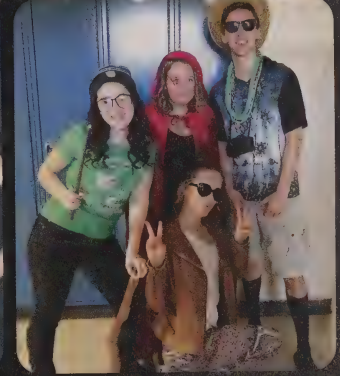


"I have been hosting the Neon Dance for five years, and I feel like every year *it gets better*. The Neon Dance provides a safe place for students to have fun and to be themselves. It is also a dance that is inclusive of all grade levels, giving students an opportunity to make friends with other students who might not be in their classes. Overall, the Neon Dance is by far one of my favorite events of the school year!"

-Señor Michael Skorker, GSA Advisor

HALLOWEEN

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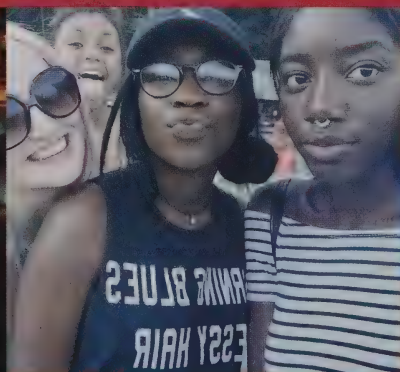


Senior Trip to Kimball Farm

September 17, 2015



For our senior outing, the senior class went to Westford, MA to enjoy one of our first senior moments together. The Class of 2016 spent the afternoon playing mini golf, driving bumper boats, and enjoying delicious Kimball's ice cream.





Remember The Mustangs

Captains



Left to Right: Capt. Aaron Sealey, Capt. Matt Sullivan, Capt. Anthony DeRienzo

Coaches



Head Coach
Jason Nascimento

"As a senior class, you have displayed amazing resiliency, perserverance, and mental toughness which will no doubt lead to success."



Assistant Coach
Craig Drauschke

"To my linemen, continue the hard work, and thank you for being good examples for the program and showing the underclassmen how to battle. Remember: F.I.S!"

The Season

The Mustangs came into the season with high hopes and a healthy cast of veteran players. After a tough loss to Revere at the start the season, the 'Stangs had trouble putting it all together. Although the season did not go as hoped, there were many highlights, such as the victory over Dracut and the electrifying 3rd quarter rally against rival Malden on Thanksgiving.

Seniors



Top Left to Right: Chris Williams, Owen Bailey, Rafael Rodriguez, Omar Seck, Abdi Jama, Myles Olivier, Corey Moore, Adam Gherbi, Karten Louis, Louis Rezan.
Bottom Left to Right: Eric Reppucci (Manager), Max Porrazzo, Ethan Greenidge, Aaron Sealey, Anthony DeRienzo, Matt Sullivan, Adam Ferragamo, Kyle Lynch.





Cheerleading



The varsity cheerleaders are coached by head coach Jacki Pugliese, along with assistant coaches Becca Mahon and Jenna Nascimento. This year, the varsity cheerleaders worked their hardest all season long. They placed second in GBL's and made it to regionals for the first time in three years.





Alyssa DeRienzo



Captain
Katie Covino



Captain
Gina Dello Russo



Captain
Tia Mauro

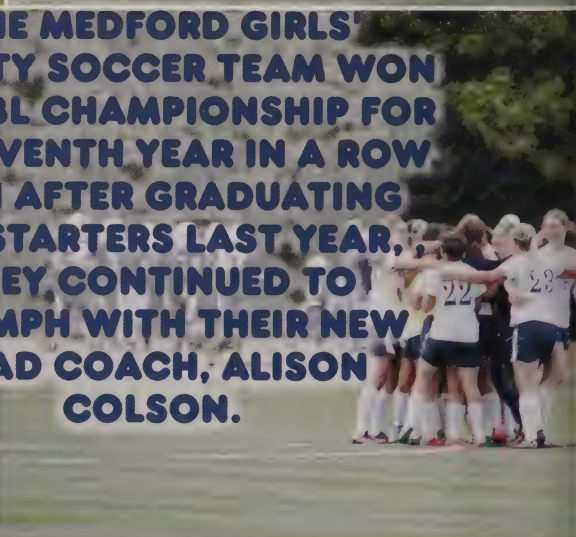


Alexandra Dzioba



At the annual pre-Thanksgiving day pep rally, the varsity cheerleaders showed off their hard work to their classmates, impressing the school community with their talent and teamwork.





THE MEDFORD GIRLS' VARSITY SOCCER TEAM WON THE GBL CHAMPIONSHIP FOR THE SEVENTH YEAR IN A ROW EVEN AFTER GRADUATING NINE STARTERS LAST YEAR. THEY CONTINUED TO TRIUMPH WITH THEIR NEW HEAD COACH, ALISON COLSON.



Emma
deRosas



Talia
Matarazzo



Gigi
Braga



Jahna
MacNamee



CAPTAINS



Mustang Boys' Soccer

Captains



*Shawn
Allen #6*



*Jeremy
Hollings #15*



*Kevin
Calderon #12*



*Jordan
Howard #2*



The Mustang Boys had a very succesful campaign this year as they went 12-2-4 on the season and made a run all the way the North playoff finals. The team started off the season 7-2, a period in which they didn't concede a single goal. After eing much adversity and with numerous obstacles in the way, the team persevered and finished the season as 3rd champions. This was the first time in four years that they had won the title. They then continued on to the playoffs and made it all the way to the North Finals. They won their first three playoff games up until then in penalties. Overall, the am showed great unity and showed that they were more than a team, and they also received great support from the Mustang fan base as they made a deep run. As the fans said, "This team has brought pride back to the high school." The Mustangs grew as the season went on and showed that they are as close as family.



*Pedro
Santos #8*

*Humza
Usman #16*

*Connor
Bryan #18*

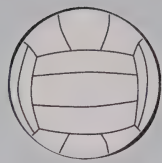
*Matteo
Lugno #1*



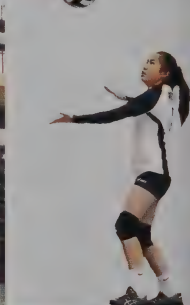
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|-------------|---------|--------|
| Marblehead | Tie | 0-0 |
| @Malden | Tie | 0-0 |
| Jewksbury | Win | 4-0 |
| @Fverett | Win | 0-2 |
| @Fowell | Win | 0-2 |
| @Chelmsford | Win | 0-5 |
| @Waltham | Win | 0-4 |
| @Methuen | Win | 0-2 |
| Somerville | Win | 2-0 |
| Fast Boston | Loss | 1-2 |
| Lawrence | Win | 6-0 |
| Ludlow | Tie | 1-1 |
| Malden | Win | 1-0 |
| @Haverhill | Win | 1-3 |
| Fverett | Win | 1-0 |
| @Marblehead | Win | 1-0 |
| Masconomet | Tie | 3-3 |
| @Somerville | Loss | 3-0 |

Record: 12-2-4

Volleyball



From the team's first year as freshmen to their final year as seniors, the team has slapped their way to success. The volleyball program was not taken seriously, coaches came and went, and no GBL title had been won. But that all changed once the class of 2016 became freshmen. Freshmen year, there were over 30 hopeful players, but only a few made it. Throughout the years, the class of 2016's volleyball involvement became stronger. During their sophomore year, the girls helped make it to the first round of states, for the first time in MHS volleyball history. The next year, with over 10 juniors on the varsity team, they won the 2014 GBL title for the first time in history under the leadership of Coach Taylor Dyer. There was finally a GBL victory and a coach who intended to stay by the team's side. Senior year ended with a subpar record, but the girls played every ball with all the strength and heart in the world. Led by senior captains Jocelyn McCarthy and Victoria and Katrina Raschi, the team turned failure into optimism, becoming more united through pasta parties, college volleyball games, and secret psych. The team had a great season full of laughs, digs, and spikes.





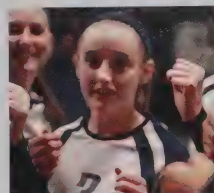
"Define the moment."

Katrina Raschi



"No matter if we win or lose we are still family."

Jocelyn McCarthy



"My high of the day was..."
"My low of the day was..."

Victoria Raschi





CROSS COUNTRY



Captains:

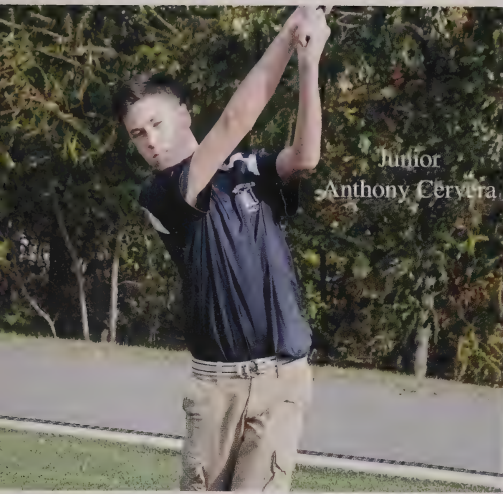
Zoe Pancic and Kelley Carr, pictured with coaches Lou Ruggiero and Thomas Lynch

RUN FORREST, RUN!



Captains:

George Damaa, Justin Brown, and Thomas Walsh, pictured with coaches Lou Ruggiero and Thomas Lynch



Junior
Anthony Cervera



Freshman
Mary-Kate Lynch



Freshman
Brenna Forbes

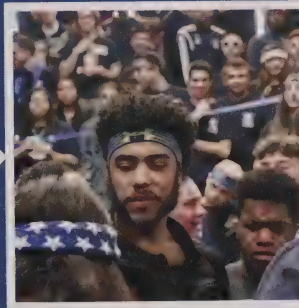
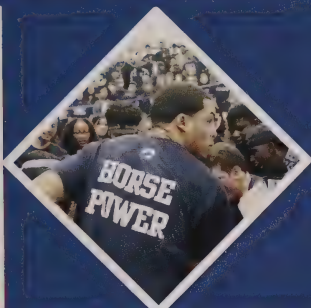
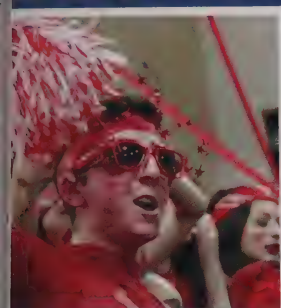
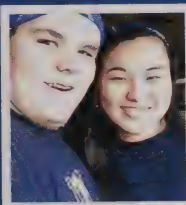
Golf Team



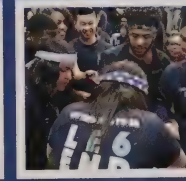
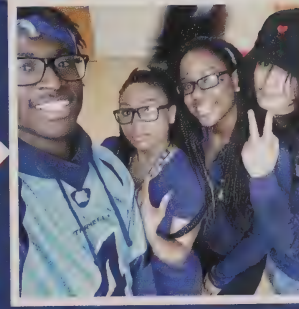
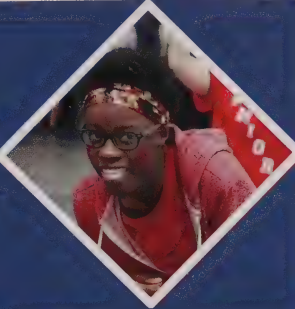
Junior
Aaron
Dell'Anno



Left to Right: Junior Captain Connor Fraser, Coach Ray Dyer, Junior Captain Justin Kelley



Spirit Assembly 2016



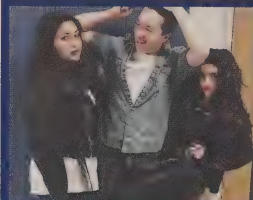
SPIRIT

WEEK

AMERICA MONDAY, MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS TUESDAY,
WACKY WEDNESDAY, THROWBACK THURSDAY, MUSTANG FRIDAY



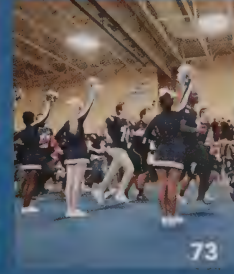
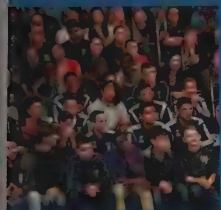
We're kind of a B16 deal



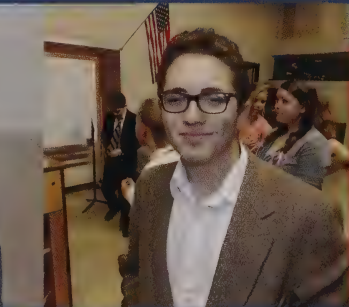
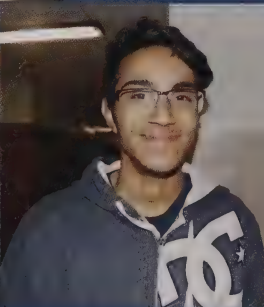
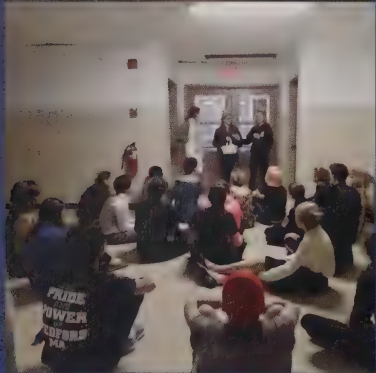
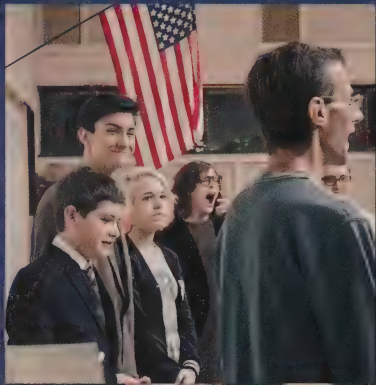


PEP RALLY

Mustang Pride



Fall Play 2015: *The Hollow*



This year for the fall play, the Medford High School Drama Club, under new leadership, put on *The Hollow* by Agatha Christie, and it was truly a roller coaster of emotions. Betrayal, murder, intrigue - you name it, and *The Hollow* had it. The Hollow is the name of the home owned by the Angkatell family, and is also the location of the murder of a London doctor, John Cristow, played by sophomore Matt Carroll. The first act of the show was entirely expositional; it told the backstory of John and his wife Gerda, played by sophomore Julia Shanahan, as well as the lives of the eccentric Angkatell family, which is the family of John Cristow's mistress Henrietta. The second and third acts featured junior Iragi Nkera and freshman Jack Egan as the detectives attempting to uncover the mystery behind John Cristow's death. The show featured seniors Maddi King-Giannino as Lady Angkatell, Matt Cavaliheiro as Henry Angkatell, Brooke Parziale as stage manager, Molly Fenn as Assistant Director, Ramon Fernandes as light designer, Phil Martin as sound designer, and Sammie McLaughlin, Julia Casey, and Hayayine Jean-Marie as a part of the tech crew. A close-knit cast, combined with a lovely set and great direction, did a beautiful job of evoking all kinds of emotions in the audience.



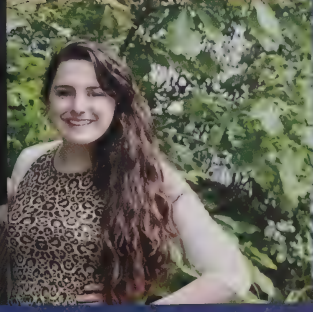
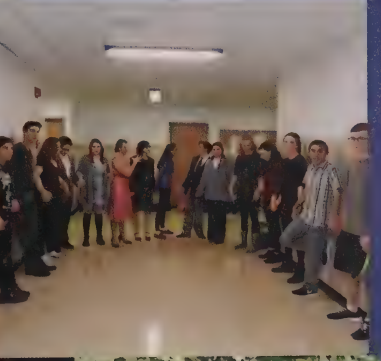
"Even though you want to wallow when you watch *The Hollow*, if you're with your Drama club friends, you never want the time to end."
-Molly Fenn



The Hollow was a great all around experience. A great cast, an amazing creative team, and a wonderful set. I'm so happy with everything that happened. It was a great last fall play."
-Maddi King-Giannino



"Drama Club is a safe place for quirky kids to have a fun time, and *The Hollow* was no exception."
-Sammie McLaughlin with help from Molly Fenn



The Medford Mustang Marching Band Presents: Angels and Demons



Seniors:



From Left to Right:

Chris Ellis: Sousaphone, Tuba

Ramon Fernandes: Drum Major, Clarinet

Sarah Lima: Color Guard

Julia Casey: Vice President, Trombone Section Leader

Mike Walker: Band President, Trumpet Section Leader

Isabelle Bears: Functions Manager, Clarinet Section Leader

Nick Alexis: Front Ensemble, Percussion

Simon Ospenson: Trumpet Section Leader

Brooke Parziale: Secretary, Color Guard Captain,
Bassoon Section Leader

Philip Martin: Webmaster, Trombone Section Leader

Matteo Cugno: Front Ensemble, Percussion

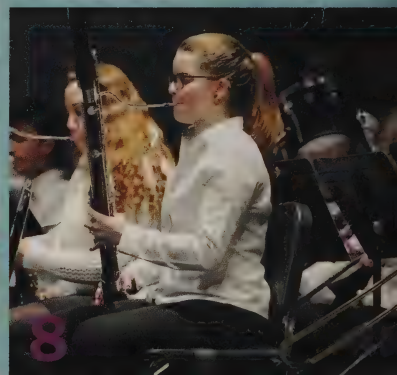
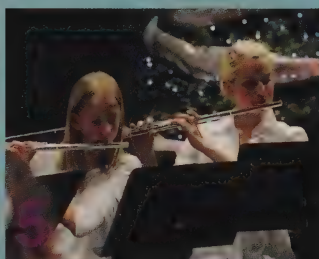
Massimo Cugno: Drum Major, Trumpet

Jillian Valentyn: Color Guard, Bassoon Section Leader



The Medford Mustang Marching Band, led by band director Ms. Rello, competed in six competitions around Massachusetts during the 2015 season. After working for many hours during the summer and school year to perfect their show, they went on to improve their scores every week at each competition. The marching band, now in its fourth year, has continued to grow and improve each and every season. The marching band finished this year's season with a gold medal, and a final score of 87.8.

Concert Band



1. Full Band

2. Isabelle Bears, Dominíc Mase, Marié Víctor, Willa Driscoll

3. Philíp Martín, Juliá Casey, Bernadette Benoit, Zoe Salvato-Cutter

4. Full Band

5. Eleanor Verhagen, Ruby Green

6. Full Band

7. Senior Students

8. Jilián Valentyn, Brooke Parziale

1. Full Ensemble

2. Julia Coulombe

3. Christy Dang and
Shir Moccia

4. Full Ensemble

5. Senior Students

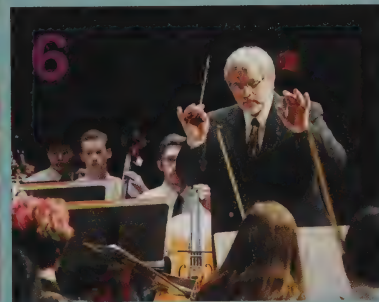
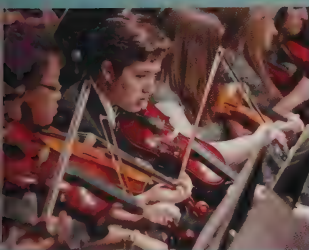
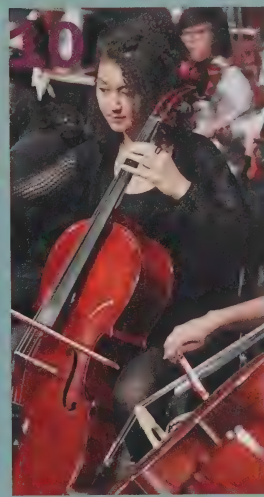
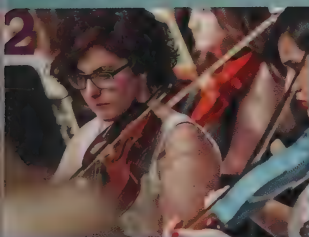
6. Mr. Szykniej

7. Zoe Pantic

8. Full Ensemble

9. Louis Tiger Chin
and Matteo Cugno

10. Olivia Jones

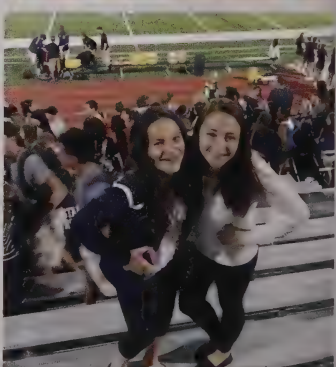


Orchestra



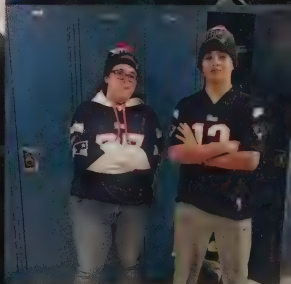
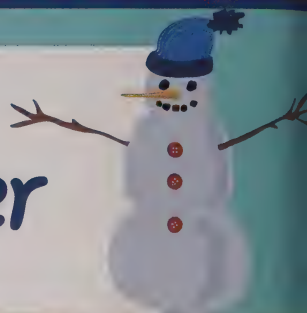


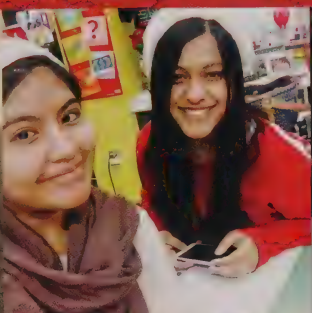
Student Life





The Last Winter





Varsity Gymnastics



Captains



Erica Lavoie



Renée Staude

Seniors



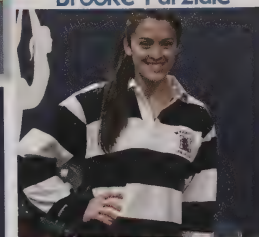
Alexandra Dzioba



Montana Heise



Brooke Parziale



Camila Ribeiro



Jayant Sharma

Meets

Bishop Fenwick Dec 30

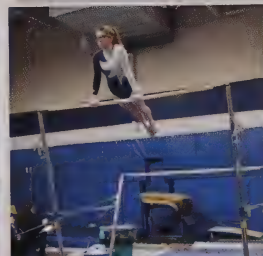
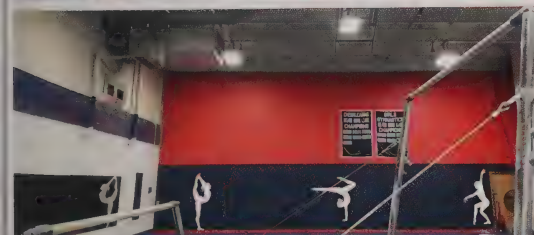
Malden Jan 05

Salem & Malden Jan 18

Winthrop, Salem & Malden Jan 22

Essex Tech & Hamilton Whenem Jan 27

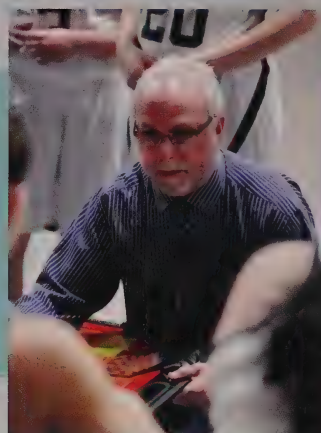
Peabody Feb 03





Captain Gigi Braga sets up a play to win a game against Malden.

COACH LEO BURKE



"I stand behind these girls because I believe I have the best group of girls in the state. I always have their back."



CAPTAINS ASHLEY EISNOR & GIGI BRAGA



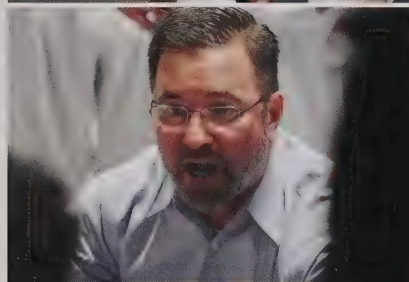


"It's not a
sprint; it's a
marathon."
- Leo Burke





Boys' Basketball



Medford Mustangs



Seniors

| | |
|-----------------------|------------|
| <i>Tyler Holness</i> | #2 |
| <i>Mekhi Collins</i> | #4 |
| <i>Aaron Sealey</i> | #5 |
| <i>Tyler Quinlan</i> | #10 |
| <i>Karten Louis</i> | #11 |
| <i>Justin Kelly</i> | #12 |
| <i>Jacob Whisler</i> | #14 |
| <i>Tyrese Stroud</i> | #21 |
| <i>Andrew Jortora</i> | #22 |
| <i>Conor Fraiser</i> | #24 |
| <i>Paul Diorio</i> | #30 |
| <i>Dom Healion</i> | #31 |
| <i>Ryan Cafferky</i> | #33 |

Head Coach:

John Skerry



KARTEN LOUIS

#11

WIDNER FORTUNE

#3



AARON SEALEY

#5



Captain



Junior captain
Tyrese Syroud
pictured with
coaches John
Skerry and Tim
Southwick

GIRLS' VARSITY HOCKEY

Head Coach:
Rayanne Forbes
Assistant Coach:
Josh Glionna

Senior & Captains



Ashley Morris
Senior, #15



Ailish Fallon
Captain, #20



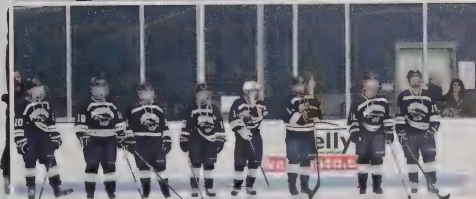
Trisha MacLean
Captain, #1



Medford High hockey gives back to the community by helping youth skaters learn new skills!



Medford Girls' Hockey
Christmas card 2015-2016



Mustangs

"Coming together is a beginning; keeping together is progress; working together is success."

- Winston Churchill





#15



#15



**SENIOR CAPTAIN
MAX PORRAZZO
#15**



"The legs feed the wolf and the wolf has to eat." - Max Porrazzo

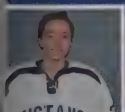
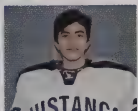
"Great Moments are
born from great
opportunities"
- Herb Brooks



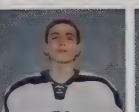
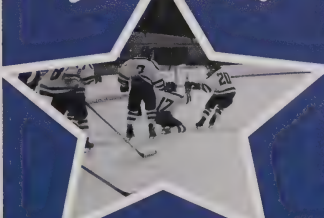
Medford Boys' Hockey

2015-2016 GAMES:

2/12 VS. PENTUCKET
 2/16 VS. TRITON
 2/19 VS. BOSTON LATIN
 2/21 VS. MELROSE
 2/23 VS. MARBLEHEAD
 2/26 VS. ARLINGTON
 /02 VS. BILLERICA
 /04 @ EVERETT
 /09 VS. SOMERVILLE
 /13 VS. NORTH ANDOVER
 /18 @ NORWELL
 /23 VS. EVERETT
 /30 @ SOMERVILLE
 /01 VS. WOBURN
 /16 TOURNAMENT GAME
 /18 TOURNAMENT GAME
 /20 VS. WILMINGTON
 /22 @ MELROSE
 /24 @ WINCHESTER



clockwise from top left:
 DAVID WELCH #17
 LIAM CULLINANE #16
 MATT SANTOS #29
 WILL CHOUINARD #1
 BRENDAN CIARLONE #14
 GINO RAMASCI #7
 RYAN MANN #6
 JAKE MECRONES #10
 GINO DESIMONE #5
 JOHN-MIKE KEATING #21
 COLE BRENNAN #4
 JACK LONERGAN #9
 RYAN DONAHUE #13
 CAM ALLEN #18
 JONATHAN HEALY #30
 BILLY CROWLEY #19
 BRIAN PAONE #11
 ROCCO PUCCIOLO #23
 MATTHEW KIVS #22
 HARRY WELCH #8
 MATT MCCARTHY #3
 MIKE NESTOR #20





Indoor



Girls



The seniors of the indoor track team haven't just chased their dreams, they've run them down! The indoor track team newcomers as well as the upperclassmen came in and worked extremely hard to prove that the program has a great future. Although the record of the team was not as great as they had hoped, the team never gave up and continued to work hard. Jordon Howard was number one in the state with a time of 6.55 seconds in the 55 meter dash. Corey Moore also qualified for the state meet in the 55 meter dash. The boys' 4x2 relay and the girls' 4x4 relay qualified as well. Freshman Willa Driscoll was the GBL champion in the 2 mile race with a time of 13:19. The team has done a great job, and the future of indoor track in Medford looks bright!

Track



Boys

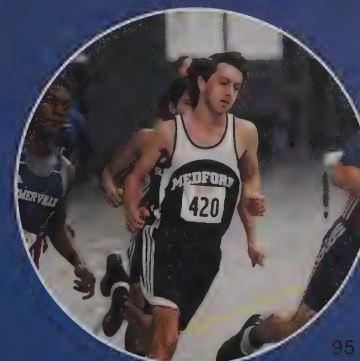


Captains

Massimo Cugno, Ben Candee, and Amber Harbison



Seniors



Swimming

Swimming 2016

The captains for this season were seniors Grace O'Hara and Stanley Ung, along with junior Zachary Maffeo.

The coaches were Mary Judge (pictured below with the captains on the far left) and Mary Hoarty (pictured below with the captains on the far right).



Captains

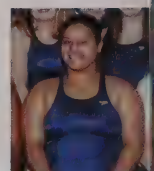
Seniors



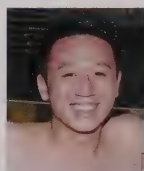
Bilan Osman



Grace O'Hara



Tainary Santana



Stanley Ung



Michael Walker

Wrestling



Junior Danny Chambers
wrestles against Pentucket



Sophomore Tim Galcik takes a
shot against Josiah Quincy

A Special Thanks!

The Medford wrestling team has grown over the past several years. Medford High has teamed up with the Everett team to make this opportunity available to Medford High students. This would not be possible without their cooperation, facility, and wonderful sportsmanship to allow us to be a part of their team.

Coach



Craig Drauschke

A Tribute to: Matthew Sullivan



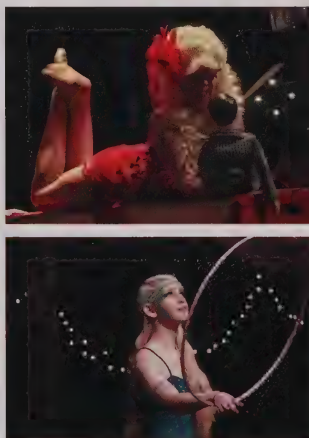
In the third year of Medford's co-operative Wrestling Team with Everett High School, senior Matt Sullivan continues to lead the team in wins and pins. Matt had over 70 career wins and was a great mentor to underclassmen Danny Chambers, Tim Galcik, Chris Perella, and Chris Pomarolli. Through hard work and toughness, Matt has shown what a student-athlete needs to do in order to compete at the highest level.

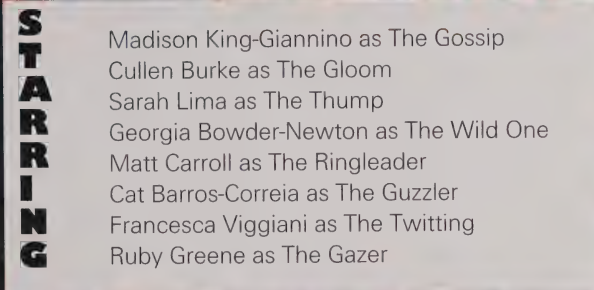
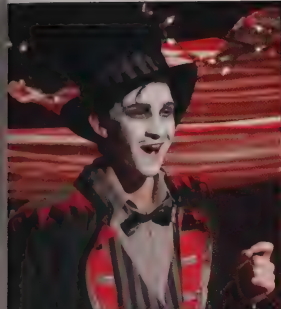
- Coach Craig Drauschke



A One Act Play Written By David Cameron

As the curtain opens, the audience is instilled with a feeling of great anticipation for what is to come. Medford High School's own drama club does it again! The show opens with all seven of the cagebirds onstage, living in their own world, as their captor, the Ringleader, manipulates them by using their fatal flaw - whether it be gossip, gluttony, or vanity. However, everything changes when the Wild One tries to escape and takes the other cagebirds with her! This show is filled with fear, manipulation, and a desire for freedom that sets it apart! An overall great job by everyone involved, especially the amazing technical crew for their amazing set, choreography, and lights!





STARRING

Madison King-Giannino as The Gossip
Cullen Burke as The Gloom
Sarah Lima as The Thump
Georgia Bowder-Newton as The Wild One
Matt Carroll as The Ringleader
Cat Barros-Correia as The Guzzler
Francesca Viggiani as The Twitting
Ruby Greene as The Gazer



Cagebirds

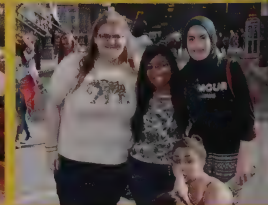
The Medford High School
Drama Club Presents

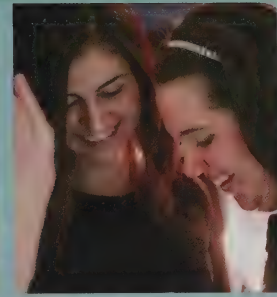
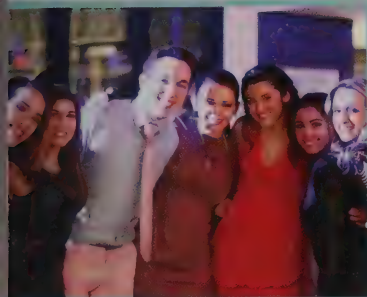
Dramafest 2016



Disney YES Trip

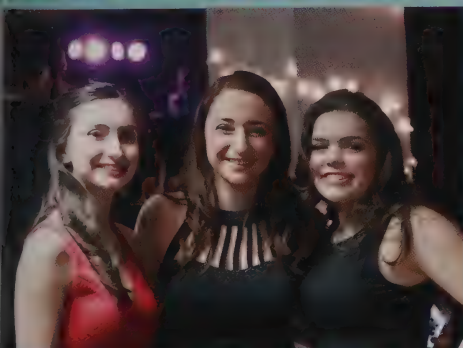
In February 2016, a group of 14 seniors and three teachers went on the Disney YES Trip. We got a behind-the-scenes experience of Disney and how it functions.





March 4 th, 2016

Winter Ball



Our Contestants



Jayant Sharma



George Damaa



Ian Adams



Michael Walker



Vincent Perella



Thomas Walsh



Ethan Greenidge



Alex Frankel



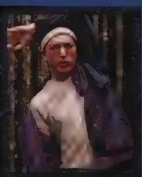
Sean Palmer



Matteo Cungo



Marcus Mazzotti



Mr. MHS

Class of 2016

Commentators

Mr. MHS is an event held every year organized by the National Honor Society with the help of Ms. Liu. This year, Mr. MHS was held on March 11th and had eleven contestants with help from many Medford High seniors.

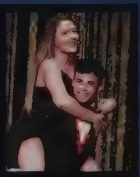
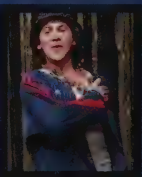
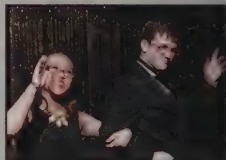


Owen Bailey & Adam Gherbie

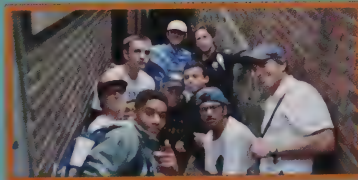
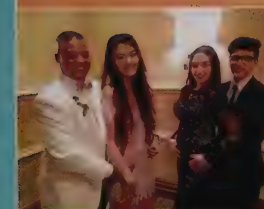
Jayant "Fez" Sharma was Mr. MHS 2016. He looked sharp in his formal wear with escort, Victoria Miller Brown, and impressed the audience with his light hearted dance, accompanied by Jomelly Breton Herrera, during the talent portion.



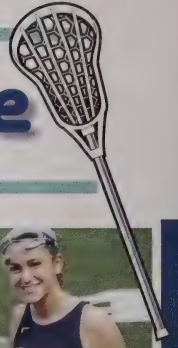
Ian Adams was the runner-up for Mr. MHS 2016. Christy Dang served as a wonderful escort, but the two had very different ideas for a perfect first date. His talent of rapping displayed his killer rhymes and skills. It is safe to say that Ian left his mark on the audience.



SPRINGING FORWARD



Girls' Lacrosse



Captain



Arlish Fallon

SENIORS

Jillian McCarthy



Alex Dzobia



Hannah O'Brien



Katie Covino



MHS Boys' Lacrosse

Coaches and Captains:



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: HEAD COACH ANTHONY TORTORA, CAPTAIN LIAM CULLINANE, CAPTAIN DERIK SAVOIA, AND ASSISTANT COACH DAN COELHO

Seniors



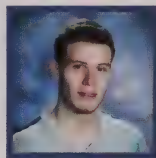
**NICK
CORNIELSON**



**GUSTAVO
COSTA**



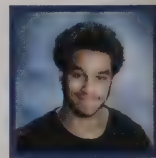
**MATTEO
CUGNO**



**NICK
DIGANGI**



**ABDI
JAMA**



**ALTON
PALMER**



**ANTHONY
PATALANO**



**ERIC
REPPUCCI**



**DERIK
SAVOIA**



**HUMZA
USMAN**



**CHRIS
WILLIAMS**

About the Seniors:

THIS GROUP OF SENIORS IS AN AMAZING BUNCH TO BE WITH ON AND OFF THE FIELD. THEIR DEDICATION AND LOVE FOR THE GAME IS WHAT MAKES EACH OF THEM A LEADER TO OTHERS. WITH MOST OF THIS GROUP ONLY HAVING LESS THAN 3 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE PLAYING LACROSSE, THEY HAVE BEEN ABLE TO OVERCOME A NUMBER OF OBSTACLES IN THEIR WAY. THE SKILLS THEY HAVE ACQUIRED DURING THEIR TIME HERE AT MEDFORD HIGH WILL SERVE THEM WELL IN ALL OF THEIR FUTURE ENDEAVORS.



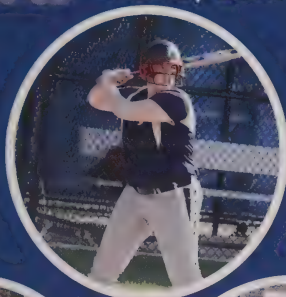


Seniors

Ashley Eisnor

Renee Staude

Gigi Braga



Jenn Radigan

Jocelyn McCarthy



Katrina Raschi



Reanna Clark



ball



The Lady Mustangs had a smashing four-year run, by winning games, catching any opportunities thrown at them, and playing a large part in the Medford community, stealing their hearts one pitch at a time. During the seniors' junior year, they helped bring the team to the North Division Finals, somewhere no other Medford softball team had ever gone. They proved to be strong competitors and good sports when three teammates won a MIAA sportsmanship video contest and gained even more recognition for the team. The girls helped out in the community at various road races and even began a successful fundraiser tournament in memory of Krystle Campbell, a Medford High School graduate who tragically lost her life in the Boston Marathon bombings. While the girls helped Medford Softball become an even greater program, they set the standards high for future Lady Mustangs. The coaches as well as the underclassmen will miss the great example the Lady Mustangs led and hope that their futures are full of home runs on and off the field!



Varsity Baseball

Captains



Max Porrazzo



Brian White



Michael Center

Seniors



Alexander Frankel



Kyle Lynch



Max Porrazzo



Brian White



Leighton Helleburg



Coach Michael Nestor

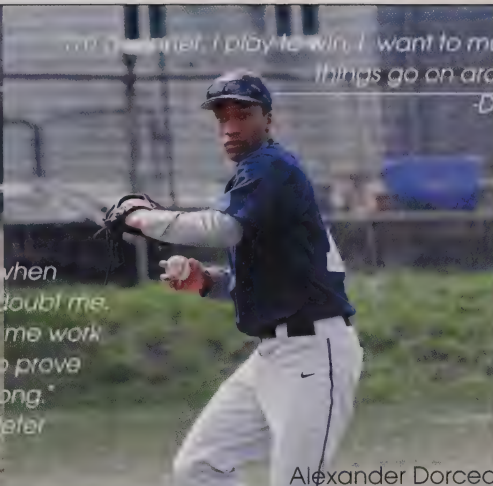


Omar Seck

"This is our city, and no one will dictate our freedom."



Kyle Lynch



Alexander Dorcean



Gino DeSimone



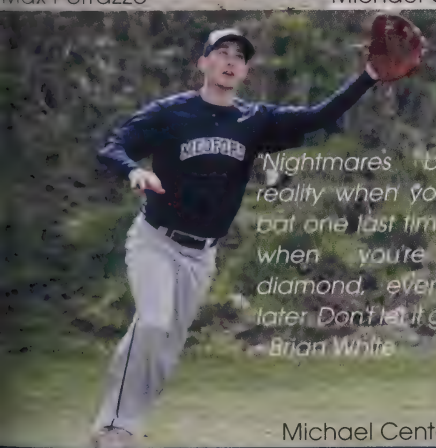
Max Porrazzo



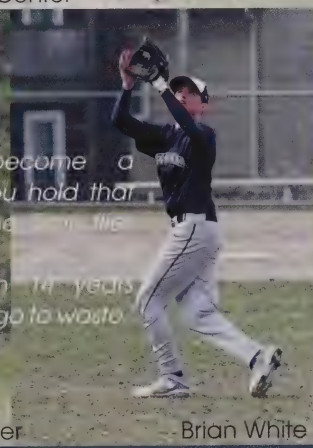
Michael Center



Leighton Helleburg



Michael Center



Brian White



Max Porrazzo

"In the moment, I play to win. I want to make good things go on around me."
-David Ortiz

"There is when people doubt me. It makes me work harder to prove them wrong."
-Gerrell Jeter

"Life is like a baseball game. When you think a fastball is coming you've got to be ready to hit the curve."

"Nothing beats spending your last days of high school picking mandellons at playstead."

"Nightmares become a reality when you hold that bat one last time on the field when you're diamond, even 14 years later. Don't let it go to waste."
-Brian White

Girls' Varsity Tennis

Seniors and Captains



Helen Lam
Senior, Tri-Captain



Mary Tang
Senior, Tri-Captain



Ellie Viggiani
Senior, Tri-Captain



"Everyone's dream can come true if you just stick to it and work hard."

- Serena Williams

Senior Quotes



"I've loved all four years on the team and we are looking forward to a great season! Go Mustangs!" - Ellie Viggiani



"It's been great playing tennis for the past three years. I've loved how the team has improved and we have a great group of girls with us this year.." - Mary Tang



"As a senior and captain, I'm glad to be on a team with such a talented group of underclassmen on and off the court." - Helen Lam



"I am delighted to be leading the Medford High School Track & Field team this spring. We are a young, growing team and I'm extremely confident that our motivation and training will lead to personal and team success. I'm happy to be working alongside assistant coaches, Antoinette Toussaint and Catherine Skinne, as well as Co-Captains: Massimo Cugno, Jiahna Clairzie and Ben Candee. Congratulations Seniors! Always run like a mustang!"

-Coach Joe Donlon

Outdoor Track



Seniors



Massimo Cugno



Jiahnna Clairzie



Isaiah Fidelia



Jordan Howard



Jasmine Bell



Judicaelle Vincent



Tamah Headen



Richard Beaubrun



Kedler Celamy

CAPTAINS:
JIAHNNNA CLAIRZIE
MASSIMO CUGNO
BEN CANDEE



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SENIORS

LOUIS TIGER CHIN

CURT DIETRICH

SEAN FREEMAN



SABRINA ALPINO



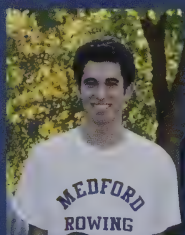
NICHOLAS COLLINS



JOSEPH EGITTO



LIAM JACQUES



ANTHONY LECCSE



SIMONA MILLER



SAMANTHA SENITI



EMMA WHISLER

CAPTAINS



Newly inducted captains of the Crew Team for the 2015-2016 seasons: (left to right, top row) Coach Aaron Manes, Emma Whisler, Emma Czwakiel, Niamh Jacques, Casey Avenell, Coach Chris Dello Russo (bottom row) Sean Freeman, Joseph Egitto, Nicholas Collins, Louis Tiger Chin.

MEDFORD ROWING



Varsity Women's Team wins Gold in the New England Interscholastic Regional Association (NEIRA) Championship.



Men's Rowing team with their 3-peat GBL plaque



Novice girls who went undefeated throughout the entire spring season of 2015:

(Left to right) Coach Manes, Georgia Bowder-Newton, Niamh Jacques, Megan Ricciardi, Sara Olivera, and Stella Eliopoulos



BOYS' VARSITY TENNIS

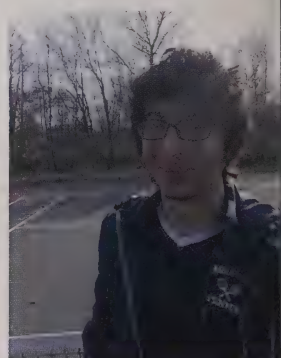
The members of the 2015-2016 Medford High Boys Tennis team are all looking forward to a great season. Everyone on the team hopes to either learn the game of tennis or refine and improve their existing skills. They plan to learn, have fun, and hopefully win some matches along the way.



As pictured (from left to right) Coach Dickens, Tripp Hill sophomore, Mateos Sahakian (Junior Co-Captain), Reversion (8th grader), Michael Corso (8th grader) and Noah Pereira (Sophomore). Not pictured above Erik Lam (Sophomore Co-Captain), Scott Ranjanathan (Sophomore) and Chris Walsh (Freshman)



Coach Dickens



Captain Mateos Sahakian



Erik Lam



Scott Ranjanathan



Tripp Hill



Mateos Sahakian

Access Program



The ACCESS High School Program is focused on delivering a state-aligned academic curriculum as well as teaching important transition and life skills. In addition to classroom instruction, students in the ACCESS program experience community and vocational training to prepare them for life outside of high school. Stop by room A210 to visit any time!



The ACCESS Transition Program is a program for post graduates of Medford High who have disabilities. This is a state-aligned program that helps adults ages 18-21 to gain access and to be part of their community. This includes getting jobs and being valuable members of society.



National Honor Society

Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character

NHS Officers

President: Michelle Nguyen

Vice President: Hannah

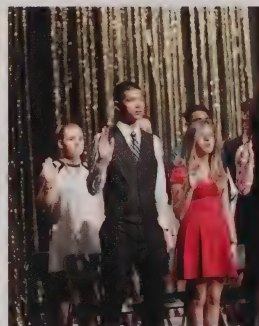
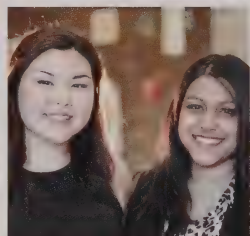
McGillicuddy

Secretary: Shaima Azam

Treasurer: Serena Do

Representative: Anthony

Leccese



National Honor Society

"The National Honor Society is the nation's premier organization established to recognize outstanding high school students. More than just an honor roll, NHS serves to recognize those students who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of scholarship, leadership, service, and character." (nhs.us, 2015)



Student Council



MHS student council is a big part of MHS! By planning annual Spirit Assemblies every March, Homecomings, and Spirit Weeks, Student Council reminds us of the importance of school spirit. MHS has a lot of Mustang Pride and is not afraid to show it. GO MUSTANGS!

President

Hannah McGillicuddy

"Being a part of the Student Council has been a great experience. I have watched the club grow since my freshman year, and I hope it continues to flourish under new leadership. When I leave the Student Council, I will take with me many wonderful memories."

Vice President

Alexis Serino

"Student Council is a group that has been a forum for positive change in MHS. Our council excels in promoting school spirit as well as our school's values through fundraising and charity work. It's been an honor to have been a Student Council officer for the past 3 years and to see Medford High come together at events like the Spirit Assembly as a result of our efforts!"

Secretary

Samantha MacFarlane

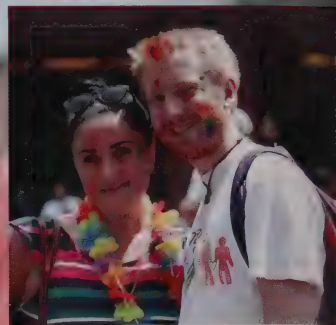
"Student Council gave me the opportunity to get involved at MHS by organizing events that inspired the people around me in a way that was always tons of fun."



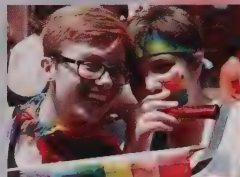
GAY STRAIGHT ALLIANCE

THE PRIDE OF MHS

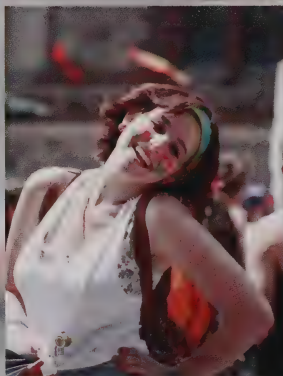
A colorful and positive influence on the community, and the largest GSA in Massachusetts!



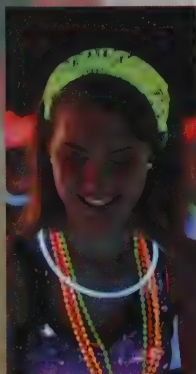
Mr. Skorker and
Ms. Chalifoux- Advisors



A safe
space
where
everyone is
welcome



The GSA hosts a plethora
of events at MHS,
including
the beloved neon
dance, the coffee
house, and the world
cafes!



Peer Mentoring



The Mentoring Program is a collaboration between Grade 9 students and Grade 10, 11, and 12 students at Medford High School. Mentors demonstrate a strong capacity for individual service and high levels of personal character and academic success. All Grade 9 students are assigned a mentor. For the entire school year, mentors work with mentees informally in various ways during the school day.

Robotics Team

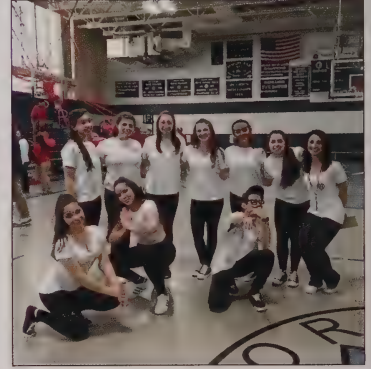


The Robotics Team, in its fifth year, competes annually in the Regional Botball Tournament. The team is advised by Ms. Chyen and is led by captains Serena Do and Chris Ellis. The team is divided into two teams, mechanical design and programming. In last year's competition, the team placed second overall out of 21 teams.

Dance Team



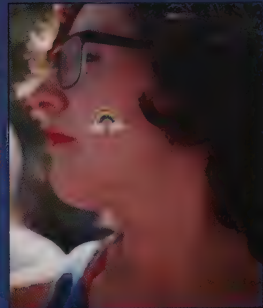
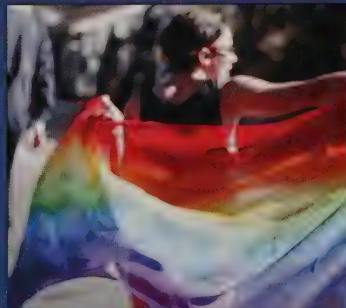
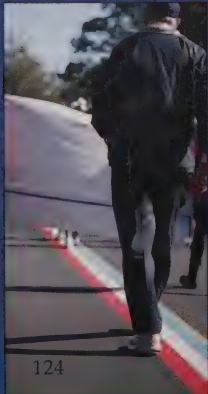
Co-captains Amani Taha and Michelle Carvalho with advisor Mrs. Briand have led the dance team throughout great performances at multiple school events. The team practices a few hours each week perfecting new choreography for upcoming performances and building friendships that will last a lifetime.



Medford Parade



Medford's 385th anniversary parade was held on September 27, 2015. The parade started at Medford High School and ended at Medford City Hall. Among those who marched were members of MHS cheerleading, band, and GSA.



Art Club



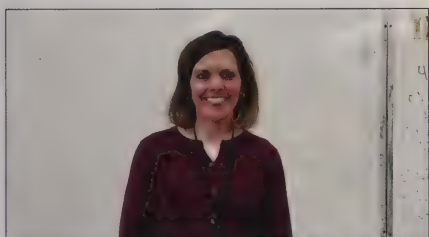
Student Curator:
Nafara Zerlotini



Officers (Left to Right): Rose Smith,
Sarah-Jo Dirienzo, Zoe Pancic

Amnesty International

Amnesty International is a social activism club at Medford High School. The club focuses on Amnesty campaigns and takes action by signing petitions, doing photo actions, and letter writing. The club is a fun and interactive way to get involved with human rights issues taking place in the world.

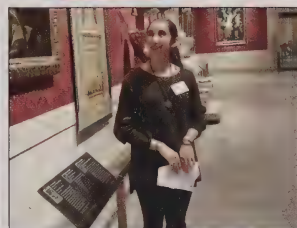


Advisor: Ms. Ross



The Docent Club

A 'docent' is a person who acts as a guide in a museum or art gallery. This year ten students from Medford High participated in the Docent Training Program in a partnership with the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston. Over four training sessions these intrepid museum guides honed their skills in art history, research, public speaking, and audience engagement. From their hard work and expert training they were able to guide two field trips of students from the high school through select parts of this world class museum.



Science For Shooting STARS

Advisor: Michelle Nguyen

This program is an opportunity for high school students to teach and expose local elementary school students to the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) field. We conduct experiments and mentor our future young leaders in science. The meetings take place at the Medford Boys and Girls Club.



Key Club



Leaders-

President: Alexis Serino
 Vice President: Rachel Garland
 Secretary: Anthony Leccese
 Treasurer: Ethan Greenidge
 Editor: Kyle Quach

The Key Club is an international student-led organization that gives its members opportunities to provide service, build character, and develop leadership. Club advisor Mr. Wilson works with Key Club members to help better Medford High School and the overall Medford community through community service and charity work. Participation in the Key Club enriches students' lives through a greater sense of social concern and selflessness.

Asian Club

The Asian Club endeavors to share Asian culture school-wide and create a forum for students to meet, discuss common issues, and work together, as well as participate in community service learning. Yearly activities include fundraising for Rosies Place, a shelter for battered and homeless women; "Reading to the Elementary;" Asian Heritage Month displays of art, food, culture, games, and people to share with the community; nominees for ASPIRE, a leadership program for Asian girls; visits to Tufts such as seeing bestseller author Celeste Ng. All are welcome!

President: Tyler Nguyen
 Vice President: Jiyoung Ahn
 Secretary: Anna Nguyen
 Treasurer: Emily Pham

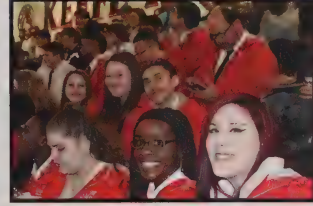


Skills USA

SkillsUSA is a student leadership organization for career and technical students. It is a national organization serving teachers and high school and college students who are preparing for careers in technical, skilled and service occupations, including health occupations and for further education. SkillsUSA programs include local, state and national competitions in which students demonstrate occupational and leadership skills.

Leaders

President: Kylie McGaffigan
Vice President: Karon Debel
Secretary: Ketty Toussaint
Treasurer: Nicholas Dunn
Reporter: Courtney Lynch
Parliamentarian: Makayla Puntonio



Interact Club

Sponsored by the Medford Rotary Club, Interact Club is a student-led community service organization that works to serve not only the student body of Medford High School, but also the entire diverse community of Medford. Its main focus of service stems from the belief that everyone throughout the community deserves to feel recognized, empowered, and involved. Students have the chance to collaborate and utilize leadership skills in order to formulate and take part in community building activities, creative projects, and volunteer opportunities. Interact focuses on monthly themes such as Expression, Gratitude, Balance and Spirit, chosen to challenge and strengthen our diverse population here at through community building and volunteer service projects. At each Tuesday meeting in Room C315, Interact opens with a highlight/lowlight discussion to give members an occasion to openly share personal matters. Input from every Interact member is valuable and is used to carefully plan and compassionately carry out projects that better the community.



Faculty Advisor: Ms. Amie Saulnier
Co-Presidents: Ann Le and Ethan Greenidge
Vice President: Amel Hassan
Secretary: Danielle Le
Co-treasurers: Gurvir Barjaw and Yvonne Wu
Art Directors: Beatriz Da Costa and Naira Zerlotini
Senior Advisors: Franchesca Charles and Jomely Breton

Math Team

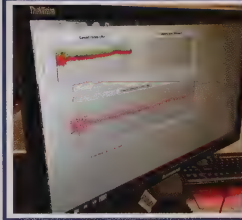
Captain of the Math Team: Anthony Leccese
Advisors: Ms. Hamerly and Mr. Bartolanzo

This club usually meets in room C320 and partakes in various mathematic competitions. This year, the Math Team also had the opportunity to compete at Harvard University.



The Math Team, with co-advisor Ms. Hamerly

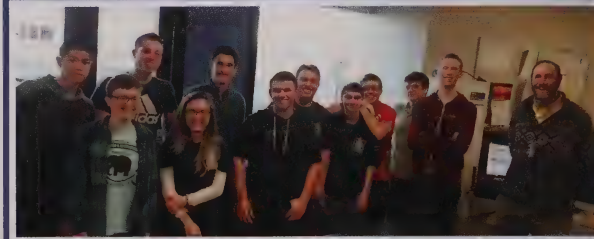
Particle Physics Club



Cosmic Ray Detector, used for analyzing data



The Particle Physics club consists mostly of seniors and has created an environment for students to explore their curiosity in the field of physics.



Co-Founders: Louis Tiger Chin, Joe Egitto, Alex Frankel, Sean Freeman, Anthony Leccese created the club with Dr. Wadnes

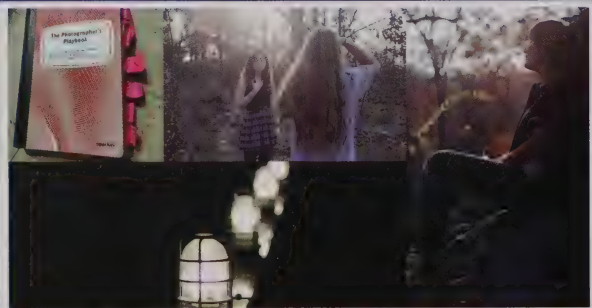
Photography Club



The photography club brings together all students that love seeing the world through a camera lens, from iPhone to DSLR!



Some of their work:



Tibetan Club



Students in Tibetan Club work with their advisor Mr. Bartolanzo in the hope of raising awareness about the Tibetan cause and to educate people on the various ways they may help support the cause; to expose students of MHS to the Tibetan language and culture.



Students (left to right): Leighton Helleberg, Zaryaab Shafiq, Tenzin Chodon, Tenzin Kunsang, Tenzin Wangden, and Kyle Quach

Fashion Society

All aspiring fashion designers, makeup artists, stylists, and more are welcome. Throughout the year, we do crafts and so have a fashion show in May. Come and express yourself!



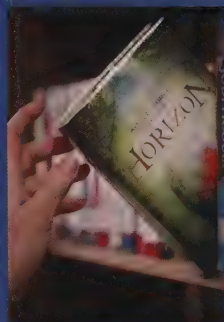
Garden Club

The Garden Club meets throughout the year to plan, maintain, and promote the community garden at MHS.



Readers Club

The MHS Reader's Club is a different kind of book club, where students may opt to use school-owned Kindles (at no cost), bring their own eReader, or choose a book in print.



FICTION



Roots and Shoots

Our mission is to foster respect and compassion for all living things, to promote understanding of all cultures and beliefs, and to inspire each individual to take action to make the world a better place for people, animals, and the environment.



ARABIC CLUB

Advisor

Ms. Melissa McIntyre

Arabic Club helps generate a community of support for Arabic culture and language at MHS. Arabic club is made up of people interested in learning about the Arabic people. During weekly meetings, members listen to Arabic music and discuss important events in history and their effects on the world. They bring fun to exploring Arabic culture at MHS.



INDIAN CLUB

Advisor

Ms. Faiza Khan

The Indian Club brings pride of a great ancient and yet modern nation to Medford High School. The Indian club provides knowledge of the cultural background of India. Weekly meetings allow members to discuss language, food, festivals, dances, and all other aspects that represent India.



Holi Celebration 2014



Henna design

MOVIE CLUB

Advisor

Mrs. Maria D'Orsi

"I am proud to say that Movie Club has access to films on DVD via members, and through Netflix and Amazon Prime. There is no commitment to attend every week - just come if you're available and if the movie appeals to you. Students select the movie weekly but if none is chosen in advance then Connor chooses, based on his personal and extensive knowledge of films. Popcorn is always served and other snacks are frequently donated." - Mrs.D'Orsi

President is senior Connor Smith, and Vice-President is senior Estefany Ramos.

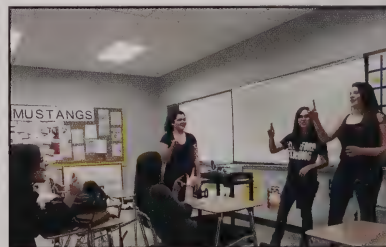


AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE CLUB

Advisors

Ms. Debra Barron and
Ms. Kathryn Cook

This club is an opportunity to learn American Sign Language and to connect with the ASL community. The President is sophomore Jasmine Dimaculangan.



"The American Sign Language Club is a new club at Medford High that teaches Sign Language, as well as deaf culture. This club was started by sophomore Jasmine Dimaculangan, Junior Kelly Irving, and junior Lydia Ryan. It meets every other Wednesday in B221 and hopes to expand as time goes on."

- President Jasmine Dimaculangan

MUSTANG NEWS

Advisor
Mr. Max Heinegg

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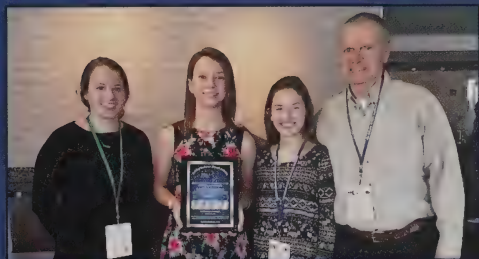
Anyone Interested in writing stories, doing interviews, or shooting videos is welcome to contribute to the Mustang News! The Mustang News covers a variety of school and community events, sports, food, restaurants, arts, movies, students, and teachers.



MUSTANG REPORT

Advisor
Mr. Jack Dempsey

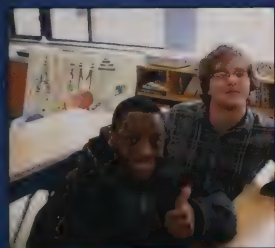
The Mustang Report is a club of MHS students who make videos such as the MIAA sportsmanship video focusing on Krystle Campbell, as well as the weekly Mustang Reports that help to keep the students and community of Medford involved and connected.



ANIME CLUB

Advisor
Ms. Karley Perrin

The Anime Club is a social group where students meet to share their interest in Anime (Japanese animation). We watch Anime videos, read manga, play games, and share experiences from the Boston Anime convention held in the spring. The President is Juliet Cruz and Vice President is Kathy Alvarez.



PING PONG CLUB

Advisor
Mr. Nick Kain

Ping Pong Club meets weekly on Wednesdays. The club is a fun way to learn and master the game, compete with friends, and test your skills.



Student Trips 2015

Study Abroad at Medford High School

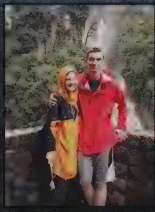
At Medford High School, students have the once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to travel abroad with their classmates and faculty. During the 2015 February school break, students took advantage of these amazing opportunities, as 25 students traveled to see the natural beauties of Ecuador, 38 others immersed themselves in the Western European culture.



ECUADOR



Students got to help a community in the Amazon by building a store for the women of the community to have an alternative source of income.



John, Michael, Simona, Eliana, Serana, Sherri



Anthony, Cali, Janelle, Joseph



Ethan, Victoria, David



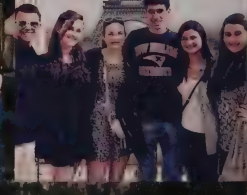
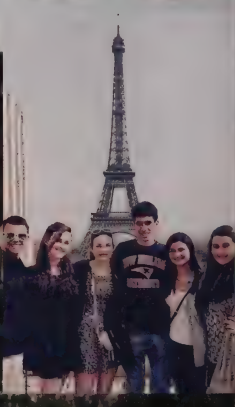
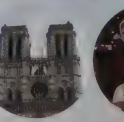
Samantha, Madison, Samantha, Molly



Simone, Vanessa, Michael, Serena, Eliana

EUROPE

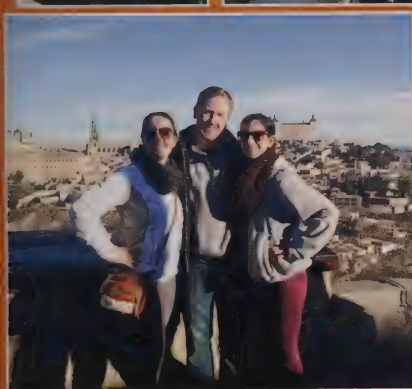
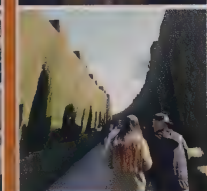
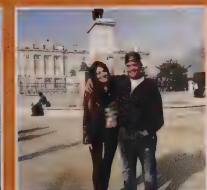
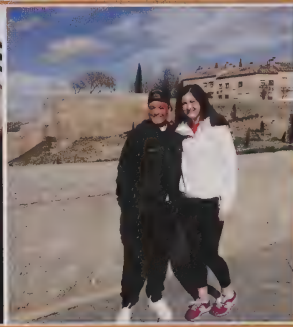
Students traveled to 12 breathtaking cities in France, Switzerland, and Italy over the course of 12 fun-filled days.





SPAIN 2015

Last February, students of Medford High embarked on a nine-day immersion into the vivacious and colorful culture of one of the most historic and enticing countries in Europe. Sponsored by the MHS Foreign Language Department, 22 students and 4 chaperones boarded a plane to Madrid, Spain, too excited to sleep and anxiously anticipating their international adventure.



Jillian McCarthy



Jillian, you are an amazing young lady. Forever pushing yourself to excellence and never settling. We are so proud of the wonderful person you have become and can't wait to see you conquer the world. All our love always, Mom, Dad, and Matt xoxo

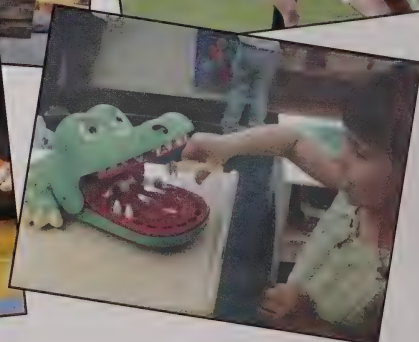
Alexandra Dzioba

Alexandra,
It is hard to believe how fast time has passed. From your first day of school to graduation, you have grown into a beautiful, caring young woman.

A graceful gymnast and enthusiastic cheerleader to a tenacious defender in lacrosse.

We are very proud of you and look forward to your next journey.

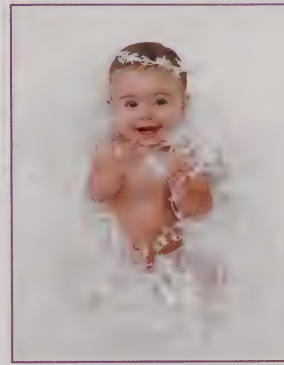
Love,
Mom and Dad



Mackenzie Madigan



Mackenzie, it has been an amazing journey watching you grow, learn, and laugh as you chase your dreams with the power to achieve anything. We are so proud of you and remember to always "sit up straight and be passionate about something." Love you always, Mom, Dad, and Jackie.



Hannah McGillicuddy

Hannah,

Your Mother and I are so very proud of you. We wish you continued success in college. Above all, know that you are loved.



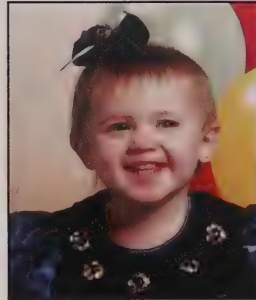
Connor Smith



Connor,
We are so proud of the
young man you have
become. Follow your
dreams and believe in
yourself and your abilities
(and don't forget to give
us a cameo in one of your
movies).
We love you!
Mom & Dad

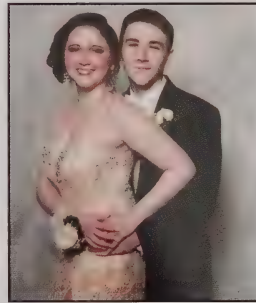


Aislynn Richardson



Dear Aislynn I love you
with all my heart, I am
very proud of you and all
of your accomplishments.
You have turned into a
beautiful young woman,
but you will always be my
little girl.

Love, Mom



Kelsey Anna Ferreira

Dear Kelsey,

Graduation Day is a day to mark a tremendous accomplishment. You could not have come to this day without a lot of hard work. There may have been days when you felt that you could not continue, and yet you did. The moment when you are called up to the stage to receive your diploma, resplendent in your cap and gown, is a moment to savor. You cannot lose what has now been given to you, as this achievement will be yours forever.

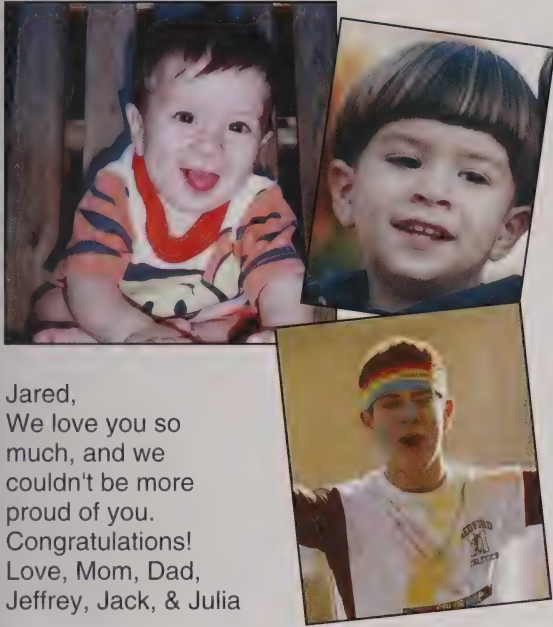
Now go and take on the world!

We love you very much,

Mom, Elaine, Karen, Pam, Michael, Tom, Mark,
Alex and Nana



Jared Fargo



Jared,
We love you so
much, and we
couldn't be more
proud of you.
Congratulations!
Love, Mom, Dad,
Jeffrey, Jack, & Julia

Renee Staude

Renee-We are so proud
of you! You will always be
our crazy little girl. "Use
your smile to change the
world-But don't let the
world change your smile."
Love Mama, Daddy,
Rayann, Michael & Nicole



Joseph A. Cicoria

Joseph...
Congratulations on your
graduation from MHS! We
are so proud of you. Keep
reaching for the stars and
may all your hopes and
dreams come true!
Love,
Mom & Dad XO



Guarino Vilar

With a lot of effort and hard work, you
can achieve anything you set your
mind on. Congratulations on your
graduation - a great achievement.
May your future be all you dream of.

Love Always,
Mom, Dad, and
Isabella

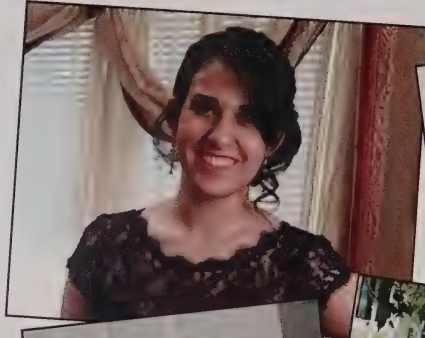


Ariana Chiarenza

Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, you have within you the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars, to change the world.

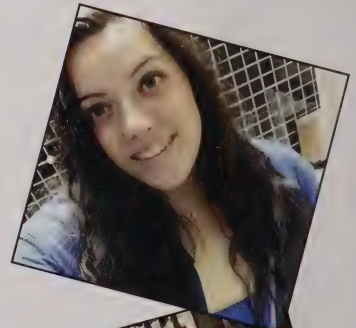
Congratulations, Ari. We are so proud of you.

Love,
Mum Dad and Joseph



Ashley Eisnor

Not sure where the time has gone but we have loved watching you grow into such a beautiful talented young lady. You have amazed us every step of the way and we are so proud of you. Keep reaching for your dreams. Good Luck at the University of Bridgeport! We all love you so much! xoxo Dad, Mom, Kenzie, Dawn, Rosie Papa, Ma, Grammy & P. You will always be our sunshine!



Brooke Parziale

Congratulations on your journey and your accomplishments. We are so proud and honored to have you as our daughter. Continue to challenge yourself, keep believing in yourself and all that you're capable of, and all of your dreams will come true. Remember hard work and perseverance will lead you to a bright future. We are so proud of all of your achievements, Brooke! We love you!

Love, Mom, Dad,
Katelyn, Lauren, Alyssa, and David



Jennifer Radigan

An Adorable Punk



Our hearts burst with pride
and love for our little girl.
Mom and Dad

Camila Ribeiro

You made it! This is just the beginning of a long, successful journey that we know you are very capable of pursuing. You have dreams, and dreams become real when we believe in them!

You are a very special girl with incredible determination that will take you very far! We are so proud of you, Camila!!!

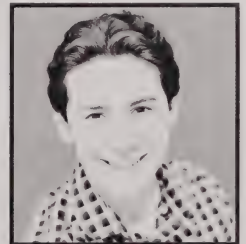
With love,
Mom, Dad, and Raphael!



Marcus Mazzotti

Keep up your groove, Marcus! We love you and we're so proud of you!

- Pap, Mum, Lucas, Gabe, Scootie, and all
the rest of the family



Victoria and Katrina Raschi



My two beautiful little girls
who have grown into two
beautiful young ladies. I am
so proud of you. I wish you
health and happiness and that
you will always be best
friends! Continue to keep
God in your hearts.

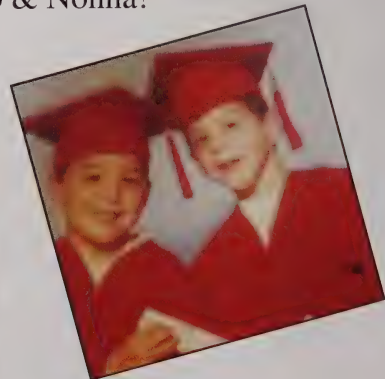


Congratulations Massimo & Matteo!

We are very proud of both of you!

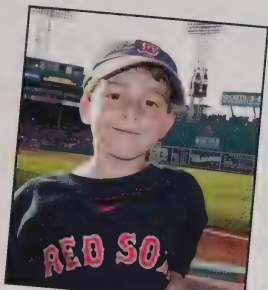
Our wish for you, as the next chapter in your lives begins continue
reaching for the beautiful bright stars!!!!

Love, Dad, Mamma, Mikey, Marcello & Nonna!



Justin Brown

You have given us so much to be proud of! Now its time to go out and show the world what we already know. Congratulations! Love Always, Mom, Dad, Alyssa & Jake



Congratulations,
Dr. Owen Bailey!



Love, Mom and John

"You miss 100% of the shots you don't take."
-Wayne Gretsky



Liam
Paul
Jacques



We are so proud of you, Liam. Love you all the days.
Always, Mom, Dad, Hannah, and Niamh
~Onward and Upward~

"Try to learn something about everything and everything about something" - Thomas Huxley

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MHS Class of
2016!*



Dear Victoria,



We are so proud of
you, and we love you
very much!

Love,
Nonny, Papa, and Ava

Sammie McLaughlin

Samantha, Sammie, Sam, Squeegie, Babycakes. You were born with a great sense of humor and your wit and zest for life is contagious! As you start this new adventure, we pray that God will keep you safe. Stay true to yourself. Continue to make good decisions and surround yourself with friends that are as loyal to you as you are to others. Love your biggest fans... Mom, Dad, Jackie, Wally and Sophie.



I think of you and I have plans for you. Prosperity and a future filled with hope. Jeremiah 29:11



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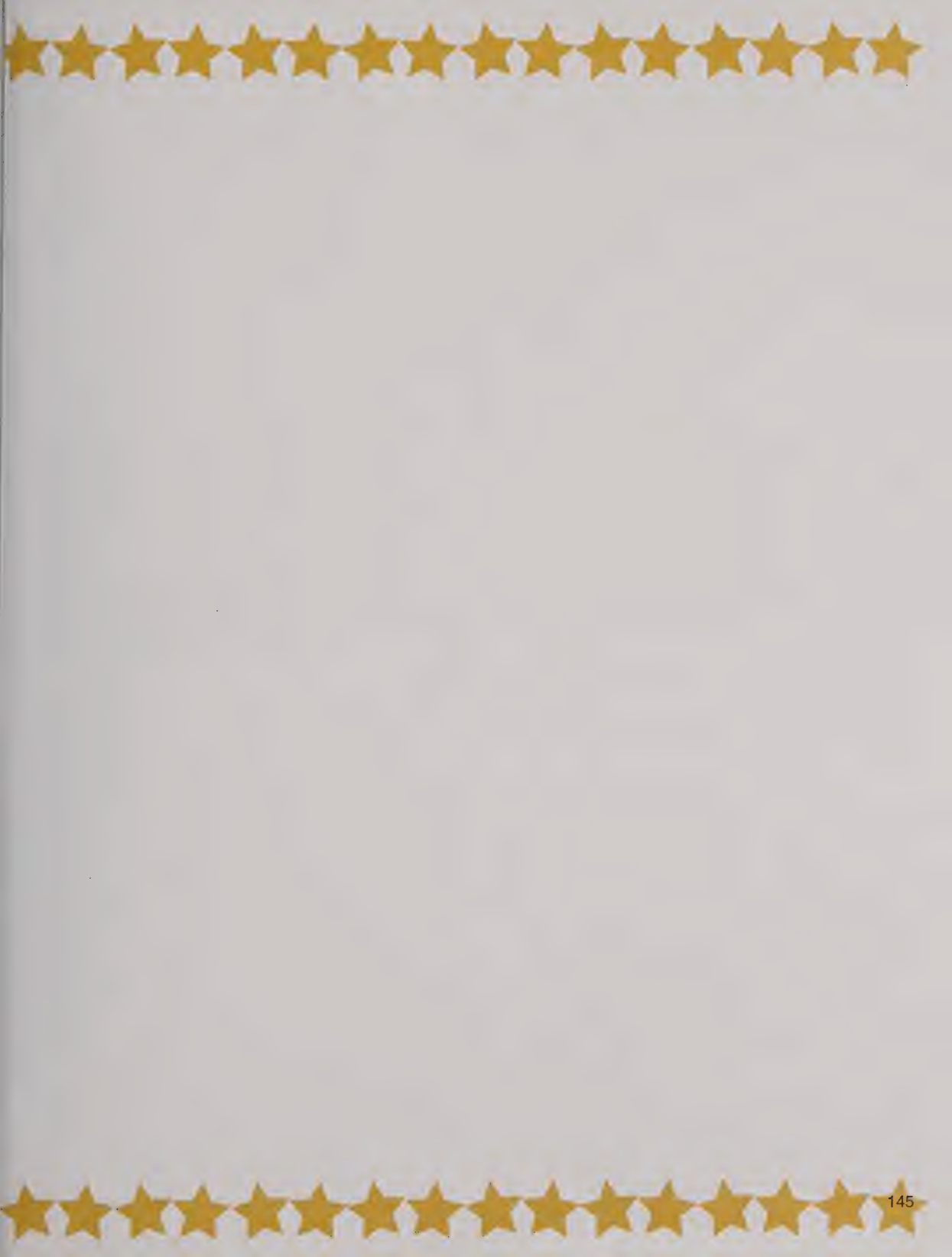


LOLA'S
Italian Groceria



Can I have your autograph?





Mock Trial

Advisor: Mr. McMahon

The MHS Mock Trial Team will participate in competitions with other Massachusetts high schools in partnership with the Massachusetts Bar Association. Students will collaborate in interpreting evidence and data, as well as building cases for an assigned criminal or civil trial.

Special thanks to Mr. McMahon and Mr. Kain for helping the club tremendously.



The members are Sabrina Alpino, Omayma Bentalha, Danielle Cardillo, Shubhecchha Dhaurali, Adam Dunn, Sophie Liu, Kaela Malone, Matt McComiskey, Maha Shafiq, Jennifer Zuluaga

Ethics Bowl

Advisor: Mr. Esner

The Ethics Bowl team works to break down a variety of morally questionable cases and develop arguments to defend our opinions of them. We explore the ethical gray areas of real-world situations, local and global, and try to form a solid stance and argument for each case.

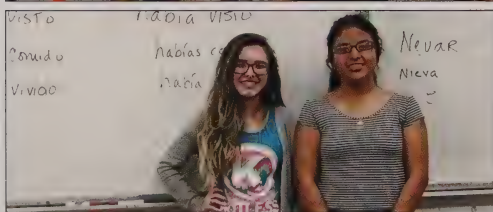
Ultimately, we compete against other regional schools for an opportunity to go on to the national competition, something we plan to finally do next year! While our primary goal is to prepare for the annual Ethics Bowl competition, we also engage in regular discussion of ethical conflicts we see in the world around us. Ours is a collaborative, intellectual, and inquisitive endeavor and we have a lot of fun in the process.



Foreign Language Club

Advisor: Mrs. Lepore

Foreign Language Club was made to provide a foundation for students to learn more about the French, Italian, and Hispanic speaking worlds. Through our enrichment activities we strive to achieve a realistic impression of these cultures and their contributions to society.



Science Team

Advisor: Mr. Lazzaro

The Science Team is a member of the North Shore Science League (NSSL) of about thirty schools of the North Shore of Boston, from Chelsea to Amesbury and including Cape Elizabeth, Maine. The League meets at various schools on the second Tuesday of each month. Each meet consists of three events of no more than four students per event. Events span all fields of science, from Biology, Chemistry, and Physics, to Engineering and Building. Students compete head-to-head in competitions that include lab-based events, stations work, pen and paper, and testing designs of built models. The Medford High Science Team had a successful season coming in third in three out of their six meets.



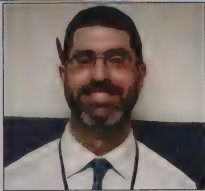
Members in picture
Left to right: Tiger Chin, Sean Freeman, (Advisor) Mr. Lazzaro, Fez Sharma, Joe Farah
Additional Members: Ben Candee, Mackenzie Madigan, Jill McCarthy, Bilan Osman, Jack Lazzaro

Chess Club

Advisor: Mr. Kain

"Come and learn the sport of Kings and Queens, Knights and Bishops, Rooks and Pawns. It teaches you to play by the rules and take responsibility for your actions, how to problem solve in an uncertain environment."

- Former World Chess Champion Garry Kasparov



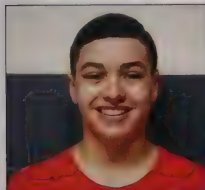
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Members of the Blue and White Yearbook Staff

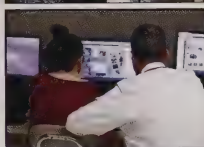
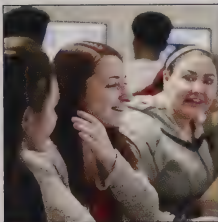


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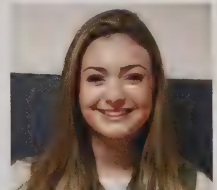
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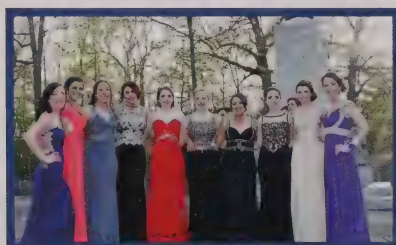
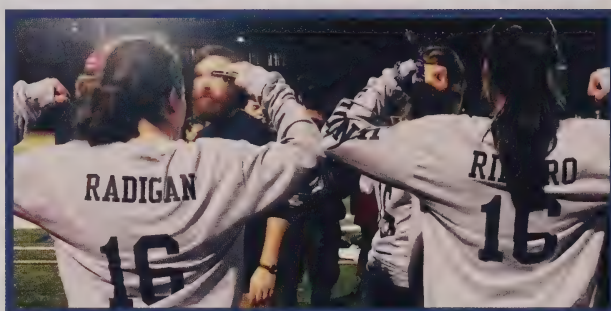
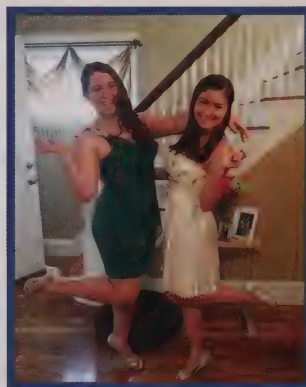
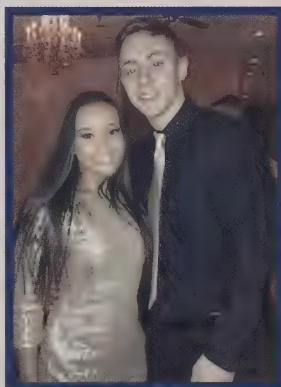
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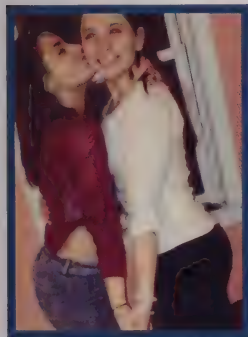
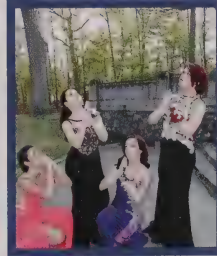
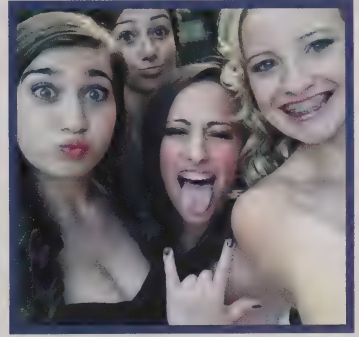
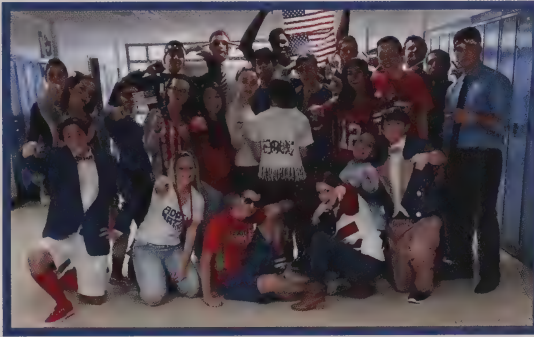
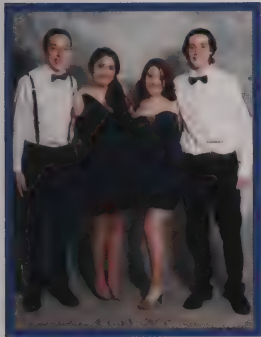
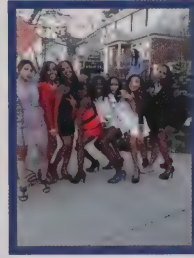
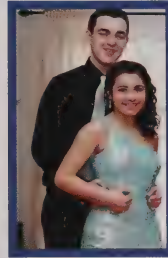
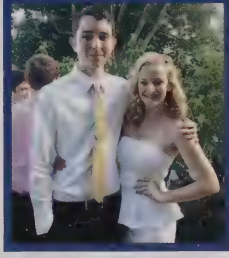
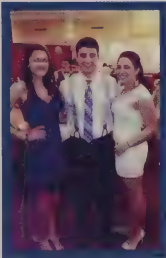
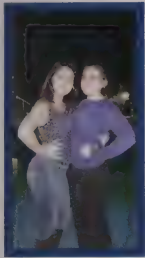


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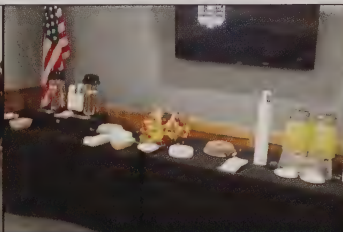


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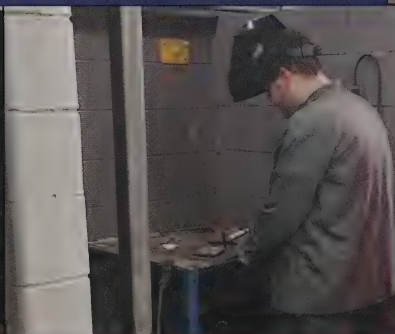
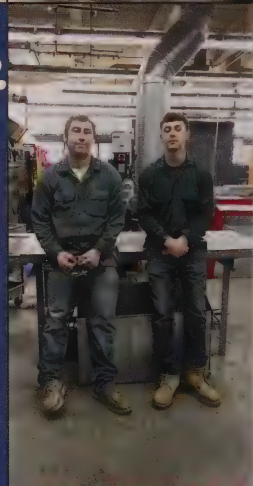
Culinary

Culinary & Hospitality students have had a rich, full year. While honing their skills, they've engaged in several cross-curricular, interdisciplinary projects. From Mexican themed luncheons for Señor Skorker and the Spanish Language Department, to a Victorian High Tea for Mr. Brophy's AP European History classes, to Ms Hamerly's Pi Day celebration. Along with this, C & H students maintained weekly service in Cafe Electra, our student run restaurant. They hosted the Chamber of Commerce for a buffet, supplied the Mustang Mall with delicious cookies, provided the preschool tots with a weekly pizza lunch, and, of course, ran our annual Holiday Bake Sale.



HVAC/Metal Fabrication

"This is the best group of seniors I've ever had. Some areas of work include plumbing, sheet metal, and welding. A lot of the graduation seniors go on to work in their trade and/or start their own businesses." - Mr. Small



Health Assisting

Four years have flown for the Health Assisting class of 2016!

Senior year was a series of "firsts" for our students. Adriana Costa, Ana Rauda & Stephanie Santos were the first to go out on co-op as Certified Nursing Assistants. Alyssa DeRienzo worked in a rehab unit, and Courtney Lynch pursued her interest in social work through her co-op with a women's initiative project. Layla dos Santos, Adriana Costa and Ketty Toussaint were accepted into Bunker Hill Community College's S.T.A.N.D. Program, where they earned college credits while preparing for their careers in health. Also at BHCC, Layla completed an EMT program. Ketty also worked successfully in a co-op position, while Kylie McGaffigan and Layla dos Santos interned at an Elementary school nurse's office. Ashleigh Fanning and Layla dos Santos educated the ACCESS program students on hygiene techniques and collaborated with Early Childhood Education on growth and development while working with the pre-schoolers. Back at school, the newly renovated learning lab opened!

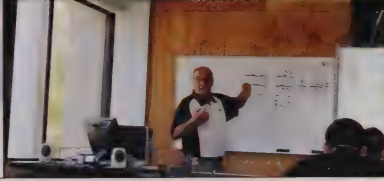
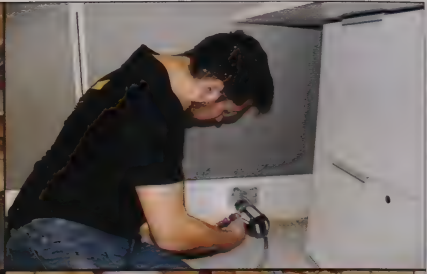


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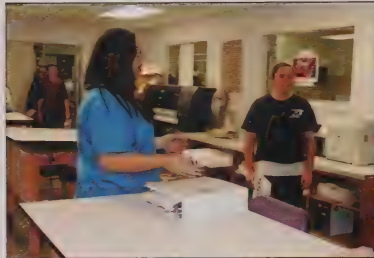
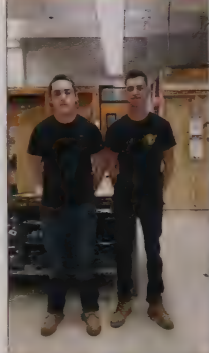


Electrical



The 2015-2016 school year has been a very busy one in the electrical department. Seniors Isaac Cardoso and TJ O'Brien both sat for the IBEW local 103 Electrical Union exam, and both have been working for electrical contractors on a Co-Op since the beginning of the school year. Jared Fargo, Jonathan Whalen, and Brendan Sheehy have also held jobs in the Co-Op program.

Meanwhile, seniors Ryan Alves, Samuel Cruz, and Jonathan Murphy were busy with projects around the school such as wiring a new auto lift in the Auto Body shop, finishing the wiring for the new Health Assisting suite, installing an electric hand dryer in the boys' bathroom and due to a larger than expected freshman class, they redesigned and rewired the new freshman work stations.



Graphics

The Graphic Communications Seniors are quite a group. As a program, they constantly produce work for the school and community. We wish our seniors the best of luck in the future.

Sooky is a dependabut, bright, mature young man and a worker who can be counted on.

Haley is eager to help and has the ability to help others and can be very nuturing.

RJ is a trustworthy and very nice young man. There is something indescribably likeable about him that his teachers appreciate.

Chris loves food and is strong in his beliefs. He is a constant within the program.

Kedler is personable, fun, and respectful. He livens up the program.

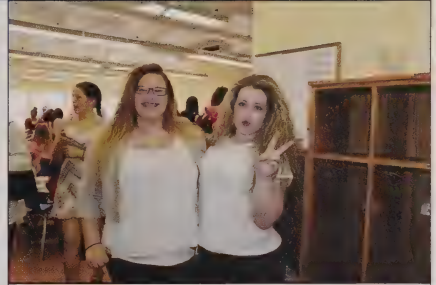


Cosmetology

The Cosmetology Department is very proud to announce that five of our seniors have successfully acquired their 1,000 hours and are getting ready to take their State Board Exams. Upon passing the exams they will have the privilege of joining forces with the real world of working, licensed, professionals and some will also be going off to college.

Cosmetology students work on clients from the community and are involved in many community service programs. Two of our seniors, Jasmine Bell and Megan Follis are actively involved in SKILLS USA, (a statewide competition program). Jasmine received the silver medal in 2015 and Megan received silver in 2016 in their field.

All of our senior students have done us proud. Jasmine, Gabby, Kayla, Megan, Rita, and Katelyn are great people with wonderful characteristics, good work ethics, and are eager cosmetologists. Good luck to all!



Early Childhood

Our Early Childhood Education seniors are two wonderful and caring young women. Both have been on co-op placement throughout their senior year.

Victoria is responsible, focused and always goes the extra mile. She is very creative.

Makayla is our energizer bunny, she just keeps going and stays at it. She has a great ability for perseverance.

Both are focused, determined, energetic, and professional. We are excited for them to continue their education and know they will be successful educators in many ways in the future.



Construction

In 2015-16, Construction Craft Laborers were the "go-to" shop for general construction around the school and community. Seniors helped provide demolition, repair and remodeling of school bathrooms and classrooms. They also collaborated with Carpentry Students on such projects as the Brooks Shed and Boston Cares Bed Project. Both these projects involved manufacturing pre-cut components in our shop for later assembly into the finished product. Additionally, senior Jack Malloy worked with Junior Valery Sajous to provide plans and construction documents for various projects, while Seniors Vance Battersby and Paul Bellino got hands-on field experience with masonry and storm drain systems.



"Carpentry students have had a very successful experience in their program. They participated and were recognized as the People's Choice award winners for two years in a row in the Furniture Trust's Annual Carpentry Competition. Their winning entries were the Frozen themed child's bedroom set and the bar with stools and TV stand.

Other memorable moments were the demolition of the house and the dressing rooms in the shop and working with Mr. Grinley.

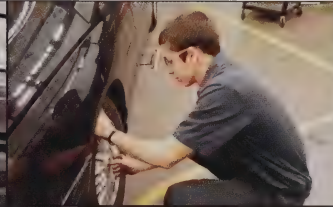
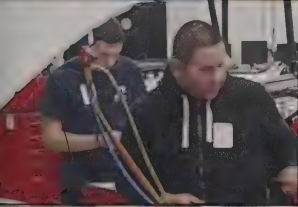
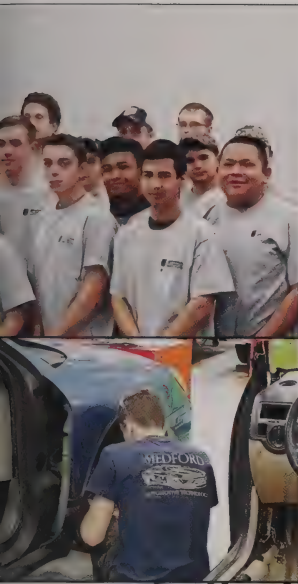
Best of luck to the seniors, Anthony, Moose, Derek, Balz, Joe, Sully, Bubba, Chris and Zizzo!" -Mr. Word



Carpentry

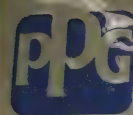
Automotive

"We work on live cars everyday. A lot of caution is involved to ensure the vehicles are safe to be taken out. Students independently make phone calls for appointments, take apart and reassemble cars before we, the teachers, double check the conditions." - Mr. Dell'ova



Best of luck in all future endeavors to our Automotive Collision Repair and Refinishing students, Isaiah, Henry, Kyle, Manny, Alton, and Stephen!

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