

MGHS ANNOUNCEMENTS Tuesday, November 5th, 2024

General Announcements: Due to the construction on Monona Drive and Gordon Avenue, temporary “no parking” signs have been posted in the 4500 block of Gordon Avenue. The signs will be up for at least the remainder of the week. Allow yourself extra time in the mornings in case you have to walk further than normal. Please pay extra close attention to any signage when parking so you don't get your vehicle ticketed or towed.

Hola! Please Join Latinos Unidos and Spanish Club today in room 179 from 3:30-4:30 to learn more about día de los muertos. We will learn about this holiday and its traditions and also make calaveras or sugar skulls. Snacks will be provided, we hope to see you there!

Are you a student who wants a challenge in the area of STEM?! The Science Olympiad is a national competition based around Science, Engineering, and Technology. There are a number of challenge events that range from building something to stand up to a test, taking a test to see what you know, to events that combine some of these aspects. In all areas you are pushed to show your understanding of science and technology! This club is open to students who are serious about the competition AND those who just want some more opportunities to push their understanding of science. Do not feel like you need to compete to be a member of the club and you do not need to attend every meeting to stay a member. If you are interested in joining Science Olympiad, or just learning more about it, we will have an informational meeting today after school in Ms. Witt's room (301). If you are not able to attend please stop by Ms. Witt's room or email her.

Model UN will meet tomorrow. All members are encouraged to attend even if you're not going to CIMUN.

The HOSA blood drive is Thursday! Get signed up today by scanning the QR code on posters around school. All participants will receive a \$10 gift card, a t-shirt, and Chick-fil-A. A reminder that 16 year olds need a parent permission slip. Please see Mr. MacGregor in room 171 or a HOSA officer with any questions. Make sure you're eating healthy and getting hydrated in preparation to donate.

Representatives from The University of Wisconsin-Whitewater Broadcasting & Journalism Program will be in the AV Studio, Room 133, right after the morning announcements on Friday. Come down and watch the announcements and stay for a quick question and answer session to learn more about their program this Friday.

Attention students planning to take AP exams this year! Registration is due by this Friday. The registration form communicates which exams you will be taking this year and which exams you are choosing not to take this year. Be sure you have filled out the

registration form before Friday! If you have any questions please contact Mr. McLaughlin through email or talk with your AP teacher!

Seniors interested in retaking the ACT during a national testing date are reminded that the deadline for the December 14 testing date is this Friday, November 8. Many students find that taking the ACT more than once improves their scores and while many colleges are still test optional, submitting test scores may make you eligible for additional opportunities including scholarships, honors programs, transition programming, etc. Go to act.org to register today. Students who qualify for free or reduced lunch may request a fee waiver in student services.

Sports: Intramural volleyball will wrap up with the final showdown: the student champion playing against the staff on Wednesday morning before school at 7:15. Carson Coyle's "Volley Brawlers" will take on the staff for the ultimate bragging rights! Join us in the gym tomorrow morning to catch the last bumps, sets, spikes of the season!

Attention students interested in Girls Basketball, Boys and Girls Hockey, and Gymnastics! The registration deadline is fast approaching—please make sure you and your parents/guardians complete your registration by this Thursday, November 7, at 4:00 PM. Only students with completed registrations will be cleared to participate on the first day of practice. For a list of currently eligible students, contact the Athletics/Activities Assistant, Mrs. Priebusch, directly. Note: Any registration submitted after the deadline will delay your start until Tuesday, November 12 or after. Remember, physicals must be dated on or after April 1, 2023 to be valid for this school year—check MononaGroveAthletics.com for local walk-in sports physical options.

Lunch menu: Today in the traditional line we have a carnitas quesadilla with salsa verde & sour cream, refried beans, red pepper strips, Fritos, and diced pears.