MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

September 10, 2026 Newsletter

MHS Calendar



September

1 First Day of School
8 Picture Day
16 Club Rush - during both lunches
28-Oct 3 Homecoming Week

October

1 Homecoming Pep Rally & Carnival
2 Homecoming Parade & Game
3 Homecoming Dance
7 Pre ACT Grades 9-11
8 Picture Retake Day
11 Marching Band Concert
12 Financial Aid Night
15 Family/Teacher Conferences -No School
16 All Schools Closed
24 Monster Bash - Jazz Concert
26 Choir Concert

MHS Class of 2027

SENIOR PHOTOS DUE NOVEMBER 6TH

Seniors can now submit their senior photos on the Josten's website or the QR codes in the English classrooms.

Old Abe News and Announcements

Welcome to the 2026/27 School Year!

We are ready for a great year at Memorial High School and look forward to seeing you throughout the year. The weekly newsletter will be sent electronically each Thursday to assist you in staying connected and informed at Memorial. Information for the newsletter is submitted by teachers, coaches, administration and MHS organizations. If you have Memorial News to share, please contact Memorial's Administrative Assistant, Kelly Prissel at: kprissel@ecasd.us.

ATTENDANCE

Attendance and academic performance are closely related. To benefit fully from the instructional program, all students are expected to attend school regularly and be on time for all classes, study halls, homeroom and Extended Learning Time (ELT). Further, the ECASD attendance policies are designed to develop students' punctuality, self-discipline, and responsibility. In Infinite Campus, student attendance for each period will be reported as P (Present), T (Tardy) or A (Absent.)

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURE

Parents/Guardians are expected to report an absence by contacting the attendance office, documenting in Infinite Campus, or providing school with a written verification of the absence. This is expected for an absence of either a portion of or a full day. If after 48 hours no excuse is provided, the absence will be considered unexcused.

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Parking Permits

Parking Permits are available for purchase from the Attendance Office beginning Tuesday, September 1st from 7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. The permit's non-refundable cost for the school year is $50. Please bring your completed application and all other required items. Applications are available in the office areas and the Memorial High School Website. All cars parked in the lot need parking permis on display starting September 18th.

ECASD Family Pass

If your family attends numerous events, you may be interested in our Family Pass. The cost of the family pass is $150 which allows anyone in the immediate houshold admittane to Memorial or North home activities that charge a fee. A pass can be purchased from the Athletic/Attendance Office. This pass does not qualify for WIAA tournament contests, but all regular season home constests. Remember, students get in free with their student ID for the current school year, so encourage your student to get their MHS ID. *(For contests prior to picture day, students can use last year's student ID for free admission)*

Student Services

Upcoming Events & Assessments

September 23 - Wisconsin Education Fair
October 1 - ASVAB
October 7 - Pre ACT Grades 9-11
October 12 - Financial Aid Night @ MHS 6:00 pm
October 21 - PSAT

THE WISCONSIN EDUCATION FAIR (WEF)

When: Wednesday, September 23, 2026
Where: Sonnentag Center
Time: 9:25 am - 10:50 am

Juniors in the Eau Claire Area School District have an amazing opportunity to attend the Wisconsin Education Fair at the Sonnentag Center. Students will be transported by Student Transit to and from the event. At the Wisconsin Education Fair, students will have access to representatives from: the UW Systems, Wisconsin's independent colleges and universities, Wisconsin technical colleges and out-of state institutions, community colleges, trade schools, and representatives from the armed forces.

Field Trip Permission/Authorization for Emergeny Transportation and Treatment Forms can be found in Student Services. All forms must be completed and turned in by: **Thursday, September 17, 2026** to **Student Services**

****late permission forms will not be accepted**

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MHS Copy Room Assistance



MHS needs copy room volunteers when school is in session. We are looking for one morning a week commitment for 1-2 hours. Days available are Tuesday and Wednesday.

Please contact Kelly Prissel:

kprissel@ecasd.us

SAVE THE DATE!

New National Honor Society members and their families are invited to join an induction ceremony on Sunday, September 20th at 3:00pm in the MHS Auditorium. A short reception will follow to celebrate our newest National Honor Society members. Students were notified in May of acceptance to National Honor Society.

2027 MHS Yearbook



Click here to order a yearbook

Spring 2026 Sports and Event Supplements for the 2026 Yearbook

If you or your student purchased a 2026 yearbook, you can now get the supplement that includes **all** spring sports and activities, as well as the full index. These will be available at lunchtimes; exact dates will be shared during ELT homeroom. *(Seniors who graduated in the spring will receive their copies in the mail.)*

DENTAL OUTREACH PERMISSION SLIP

NorthLakes COMMUNITY CLINIC

Children's Health Alliance of Wisconsin | Wisconsin Seal-A-Smile

About Our Program

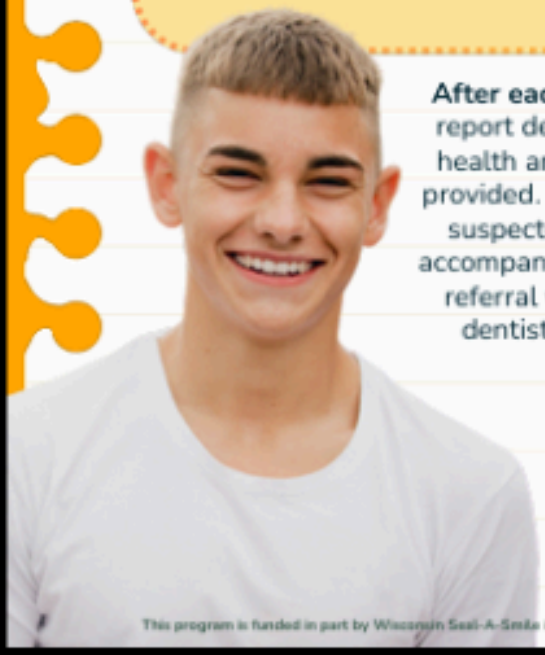
NorthLakes Community Clinic is excited to offer a school-based preventative dental program to **all children** enrolled in your school! A Registered Dental Hygienist will come on-site to provide dental services at **NO COST** , meaning families will never receive a bill for services. This program is designed to complement your child's regular dental care and can be used alongside services provided by your family dentist. If your family does not have a regular dentist, we would be happy to assist you in finding one.

NOW SERVING MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL!

There's still time to sign up! Click here or scan the QR code.

This Program Includes:

- Oral health education
- FREE dental supplies offered at each visit
- Oral health assessment by a Registered Dental Hygienist
- Fluoride varnish applications (2-3 per year)
- Dental sealants & sealant replacement when needed



After each visit, you will receive a report describing your child's oral health and the services that were provided. If any dental concerns are suspected, a dental referral will accompany the report. A copy of the referral will be shared with your dentist and the school nurse.

What is a sealant?

A sealant is a thin, tooth-colored protective coating that is painted on a tooth to help prevent cavities. Receiving sealants is painless and does not require any numbing or drilling.

What if my child already has sealants?

Our Registered Dental Hygienist will check your child's sealants and replace or repair any if needed.

What is fluoride varnish?

Fluoride varnish is a topical gel that is painted on the teeth to make them strong. Repeat applications have been proven to strengthen the enamel and prevent decay.



For further questions contact:
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This program is funded in part by Wisconsin Seal-A-Smile in collaboration of the Children's Health Alliance of Wisconsin and the Division of Public Oral Health Program.

MHS Theatre Dept.

2026-27 Season

Semester 1:

RADIUM GIRLS
by D.W. Gregory
November 13th, 14th, & 15th

MHS Improv Show
December 18th

Semester 2:

Comedy Weekend!
THE INTERNET IS DISTRACT-OH LOOK A KITTEN!
by Ian McWethy

MHS Improv
Original Student Sketches
February 12th, 13th, and 14th

MHS Improv Show
April 23rd

Summer:

NYC July 2027

Join Ms. Dernbach, Mr. Pankratz (North), and 16 Theatre students from both high schools for 5 days of Broadway shows, art museums, and workshops. **Ten spots remain**- see Ms. Dernbach for more info!

Memorial Highlights





Link Day 2026! Welcome Freshmen!



Class of 2030!