

CHIEF NEWS

NORTH MYRTLE BEACH HIGH



September 20 , 2026

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Good afternoon, Chiefs. Thank you for another great week in Chief Nation! Our Varsity football team remains undefeated 5-0 overall and 1-0 in region play. Our JV and Varsity Cheer teams won first place in the Coastal Cheer Classic, and our Varsity Volleyball team won the Panther Invitational. Way to go Chiefs!

We have a busy week this week at NMBHS. Please be sure to join us for Literacy Under the Lights tomorrow afternoon from 5-6 pm at The Hank and for Club Rush on Tuesday from 8:30-11:30 am in the NMBH Gym. We look forward to showcasing all NMBH has to offer during these student-led events. Here's to a great turnout!

Ms. Morrow



CHIEF SPOTLIGHT

This week's Chief Spotlight goes to our Green Chiefs Club. These students volunteered their time over the weekend to pick up garbage, covering 10 blocks of beach and streets around 17th Ave South. If you are interested in joining this club, please join the Google Classroom by using the code Xpimyjyw.



Upcoming Dates:

Mon Sept 21st: Literacy Under the Lights 5-6 pm

Tues Sept 22nd: Club Rush 8:30 - 11:30 am Gym

Thurs Sept 24th: Chief Idol Finals: MS Division 6:00 pm

Fri Sept 25th: Football Away @Wilson

Chief Idol Finals: HS Division 6:00 pm

Band Camp & Preview Show - 7:00



Weekly Announcements

- Free tutoring is available Tuesdays in rm H201 (Ms. Giraldi) and Thursdays in rm H202 (Ms. Raymond) from 3:30 - 4:30. You don't need to sign up, just show up. All Subjects!
- Attendance make up will be on Tuesday and Thursday 3:30 - 4:30
Tuesday with Mrs. Chandler in room H206
Thursday with Mrs. Perlstein in room H205
Attendance make up will begin on Tuesday 09/22/26
- Attention students! Mrs. Ortuno is organizing a Japan 2027 student trip! If you are interested in traveling to Japan and experiencing its amazing culture, history, and traditions, please stop by K 209 and see Mrs. Ortuno for more information.
- September 15 marks the beginning of Hispanic Heritage Month! This month, we celebrate the rich cultures, traditions, history, and contributions of Hispanic and Latino communities in the United States and around the world.
- Applications for New Beta Club Members (Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors only) are available from Mrs. Hurley in E110 or Ms. Mitchell in E106. Applications are due by 3:30 on Monday, September 28th – no exceptions!
- The first Beta Club meeting for the year will be on Thursday, October 1 at 7:45 in the Main auditorium. All new and returning members are required to attend.
- Homecoming tickets are on sale now on MyPaymentsPlus. Cost \$10.
- Chief Idol: our school's solo singing competition is today at 6pm! Come watch your classmates compete in Round 1 for the most votes! Student tickets are only \$7 and adult tickets are \$10.
- DECA: A club for emerging leaders in marketing, business and entrepreneurship. Are you interested in participating in fun events and competitions together? Do you want to be a part of a group that does community and school service? If so, consider joining NMBHS DECA
Our next meeting is scheduled for 7:45am in J204 on Thursday, September 24. Bring \$30 dues to join which includes a DECA t-shirt. All interested students are welcome! DECA is a club open to all grade levels.

Additional Announcements:

DECA is collecting pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. Pop tab donations may be turned in at J204.

DECA is also collecting donations for the NMB Humane Society. Please bring donations for homeless cats and dogs to J204 before October 9.

· The visual art department is selling world's finest chocolate. Please stop by Mrs. Woodward's Room G114 for all your chocolate needs!

· Love reading and talking about books?

Join BOOK CLUB! Sign up in the library with Ms. Mac

This Week In Athletics:

 CHIEFS ATHLETICS	
21 MONDAY	
22 TUESDAY	• Girls Golf vs Aynor/Myrtle Beach (4:30 pm) • Girls Tennis vs St. James (5:30 pm) • Girls Volleyball vs St. James (5:30 pm) • Boys Volleyball @ St. James (6:00 pm) • B-Team Football vs Black Water (6:00 pm)
23 WEDNESDAY	• Cross Country - Home Meet #2 (5:30 pm)
24 THURSDAY	• Girls Golf vs Socastee (4:30 pm) • Girls Tennis vs Wilson (5:30 pm) • Girls Volleyball vs Wilson (5:30 pm) • JV Football vs Wilson (6:00 pm) • Boys Volleyball @ Wilson (6:00 pm)
25 FRIDAY	• Varsity Girls Volleyball @ Dorman TOC (TBD) • Varsity Football @ Wilson (7:30 pm)
26 SATURDAY	• Varsity Girls Volleyball @ Dorman TOC (8:00 am) • Cross Country @ PeeDee Classic (8:30 am) - Freedom Florence • Swim @ Myrtle Beach - Pepper Geddings (9:00 am) • Cheerleading @ Irmo Yellow Jacket Invitational (11:00 am) • HOME • AWAY
Tickets available @ www.gonmbchiefs.com	



**FRIDAY
NIGHT
LIGHTS**

2026

GAME THEMES

**GLOW
CRAZY**

AUGUST 21

NEON

AUGUST 28

WHITE OUT

BBQ

SEPTEMBER 4

**Soccer Mom VS
BBQ Dad**

SEPTEMBER 11

USA

SEPTEMBER 18

CAMO

SEPTEMBER 25

**COUNTRY VS
COUNTRY CLUB**

MNTB

OCTOBER 2

CHIEF PRIDE

HOME

OCTOBER 16

SAFARI

OCTOBER 23

PINK OUT

OCTOBER 30

LOVE ISLAND

HOME

AWAY

@NMBCHER

Student Leader of the Week



This week, we are proud to recognize Aiden Smith as the recipient of the Dew's Chief Leadership Award!

Aiden is an outstanding student who demonstrates leadership, kindness, and dedication both inside and outside the classroom. He gives 100% in his classwork, genuinely wants to learn, and works hard to understand the content and do his very best. Whether working independently or with a group, Aiden is respectful, supportive, and encouraging to his classmates. He is always willing to lend a helping hand, and his great sense of humor makes him a joy to have in class. His genuine care for others is evident in the small things, such as asking his teachers how they are doing each day. Aiden also exemplifies exceptional leadership through his involvement in NMB JROTC. As the JROTC Air Rifle Team Commander, he leads a fifteen-person team, trains cadets in safety and marksmanship, manages equipment, organizes competition travel, and mentors new team members. His leadership is highly respected by his fellow cadets and command staff. He has also earned the rank of Cadet Chief through his continued dedication to the JROTC program.

Aiden is a hardworking, responsible, and compassionate young man who consistently strives to make a positive difference. His commitment to learning, willingness to serve others, and strong leadership make him a wonderful representative of what it means to be a Chief.

Congratulations, Aiden Smith! We are proud to name you this week's Chief Leadership Award recipient, sponsored by Dew's!

GOOD STORIES CHANGE THE WORLD

Write
Imagine
Share
Belong

CREATIVE SPIRITS

STORIES

POETRY

IDEAS

CHARACTERS

WORLDS

POSSIBILITIES

Creative Writing Club

Are you interested in creative writing?
Stories ... novels ... poetry ... graphic novels ...

Poetry Out Loud!

Everyone is welcome!

From beginners to experiences writers



Build a writing routine



Create community



Boost confidence



Improve writing skills

- ★ Publishing opportunities, contests, microfiction, Poetry Out Loud
- ★ Meetings featuring writing prompts, games, or timed exercises to spark creativity
- ★ A "safe space" to write and share your writing!

A BRIGHTER WORLD THROUGH BRAVER STORIES

The poetry of the earth is never dead—
John Keats

Ideas
Drafts
Revisions
Progress

You got this!

DREAM

WRITE

REVISE

REPEAT

Room E109 – Calder-Green's room
(Wednesday mornings & other times TBA)

BETTER WRITERS ✦ BRIGHTER PEOPLE ✦ A MORE CREATIVE WORLD



GET INVOLVED!

CLUB RUSH

MAKE AN IMPACT!



NMBHS

CHIEFS



SEPTEMBER 22ND 8:30 - 11:30 AM GYM



FIND YOUR CREW. JOIN THE FUN.

- ★ Academic Team
- ★ National Art Honor Society
- ★ Beta Club
- ★ Blue Crew
- ★ Book Club
- ★ Board Game Club
- ★ Chick-Fila Leadership
- ★ Drama Club
- ★ Engineering/3D Printing Club
- ★ Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- ★ Gaming Club
- ★ Athletic Training Student Aides
- ★ Sports Managers
- ★ Bible Study Club
- ★ Debate Club

Interact Club/Christmas Angels
International Thespian Honor Society
Marching Band Colorguard
(Flags/Rifles/Dance)
Mock Trial Club
Mu Alpha Theta
National English Honor Society
National Honor Society
Science National Honor Society
Student Ambassadors
National Technical Honor Society
Student Ambassador
Chess Club
Creative Writing Club
Chief International Club

Social Studies Honor Society
Spanish Honor Society
Student Council
Students in Action
The Green Chiefs (formerly known
as Tree Huggers)
HOSA
Key Club
Surf Club
Catan Club
DECA
Dungeon & Dragons
Sewing Club



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WELCOME DESK IN THE LOBBY ON FRIDAY.



Join us for a

HOMECOMING DANCE

Saturday, October 3rd

7-10 pm

North Myrtle Beach High School
Cafeteria

Open only to NMBH students including our
academy students. Clear bags only.





The NMBHS **GREEN CHIEFS** Club

NMBHS' home for GREEN SERVICE for ~15yrs!

Protecting our environment, working with nature,
and growing a better future—through conservation,
agriculture, and community. ♡

WHAT WE DO



RECYCLE & REDUCE

Help keep our school
and community
clean and green.



WORK WITH NATURE

Learn, grow, and
connect through
gardening and
hands-on projects.



BEACH SWEEPS

Keep our beaches
and oceans
beautiful.



LEARN SUSTAINABLE / AGRICULTURAL SKILLS

Learn about farming,
crop science, and food
production while
gaining real-world
experience.



ENVIRONMENTAL MEETINGS

Every Tuesday

3:20 – 4:30 PM

In Ms. Giraldi's Room (H201)



RECYCLING EVERY TUESDAY IS WORTH
1 HOUR OF COMMUNITY SERVICE EACH TIME!



AGRICULTURAL MEETINGS

TIMES TBD

Details will be released in
the Google Classroom!

Location: H201

Live calendar:



Questions? Contact our leadership for more
info at: KGiraldi@horrycountyschools.net
or jasonreardon@g.horrycountyschools.net



**Google Classroom code for
more info: xpimyjyw!**

Attendance Policy & Reminders

South Carolina State Policy: Please be reminded that high school students earn Carnegie units towards their high school diploma and must meet the required seat time guidelines set by the State of South Carolina. Failures due to attendance or FA's will be counted each semester for the 26-27 school year. If you have questions about your attendance please see your grade level administrator.

Failure due to Attendance Guidelines

Semester Guidelines:

Any student over 5 unexcused absences (UNEX, UEPN) per class at the end of each semester will fail due to attendance.

Quarter Based Classes:

Any Student over 3 unexcused absences (UNEX, UEPN) per class at the end of the each quarter will fail due to attendance.

An FA does result in a student not receiving credit and re-taking the course, the FA does supersede any passing grade.

Medical Notes:

Students are allowed 10 medical notes throughout the year. Any medical notes over 10 will be coded as Medical, but the student must recover the time for that class.

Parent Notes:

Students are allowed 6 parent notes for the year. 3 parent notes are permitted per semester.

Attendance Recovery

Students may stay after school Tuesday & Thursday from 3:30pm-4:30 pm to make up attendance.

Students will need to make sure they have a ride home, transportation is not provided.