



Matawan Regional High School

2026-2027 Weekly Updates

September 8, 2026

Greetings Huskies!!!

I just want to take a moment to thank everyone for a smooth transition back to school this past week. It was a great opening at the high school and I was so happy to have students back in the building once again.

As we settle into the school year, please continue to take extra caution and allow a few additional minutes for your morning and afternoon commutes. The safety of our students, staff, and families is always our top priority.

I would like to give a Big Shout-Out to the **Aberdeen Township Council** for working with our students of our **Students Against Destructive Decisions** organization to lower the speed limit in front of the high school to **25 mph** and for installing new speed limit radar signs. I would also like to extend a huge thank you to the **Aberdeen Police Department** for their continued support in keeping our arrival and dismissal running smoothly and safely. **Thank you for doing your part to keep our students safe!**

I have attached our [Attendance Information Sheet](#) which outlines important information regarding our attendance policy. Remember... **Attendance Matters!!!**

Remember to follow us on our new Instagram page [@mrhshuskies](#) and don't forget to mark your calendars for our **Back to School Night** on **Tuesday, September 15th**. We hope to see you there!!!

Let's Make it a Great Week!!! Go Huskies!!! *MCW*





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Upcoming Schedule

- School Closed - Monday, September 7, 2026
- 1st Full Day of School - Tuesday, September 8th
- 1st Day for Monmouth County Vocational Schools - Tuesday, September 8th

MRHS - Back to School Night

Our 2026-2027 [Back to School Night](#) will take place on **Tuesday, September 15th**. There will be a special presentation on **Financial Aid** in the Auditorium beginning at 5:00pm for those looking to gain insight into college funding options. This will be followed by a brief parent meeting at 6:00pm before visiting your child's classes at 6:30pm. We are looking forward to an exciting event that will be full of information to kickstart the new school year. Hope to see you there!!!

Welcome Nurse Zaineb Khan to our Husky Family!

Nurse Khan aka Nurse Zee holds a Bachelor of Science in Nursing and is currently pursuing her Master of Science in Nursing and Nurse Practitioner degree at William Paterson University. She brings valuable clinical experience from Old Bridge Medical Center, where she worked in both the operating room and medical-surgical units (and where she will continue to care for patients per diem).

Her passion for school nursing took root during her time as a substitute nurse, where she fell in love with supporting and connecting with students every day. We are thrilled to have her expertise, warmth, and dedication on our campus here at the high school. Nurse Zee can be reached via Email @ zkhan@marsd.org or by calling the Nurse's Office @ 732-705-5277. Please join us in giving Nurse Zee a warm welcome to the high school.

Remembering September 11th

In solemn remembrance of the **25th anniversary** of **September 11, 2001**, our school community is coming together to honor the victims, heroes, and families impacted by that tragic day.

Thanks to a generous grant from the **Matawan Aberdeen Educational Foundation (MAEF)**, students in **Mr. Carnovsky's** classes have been provided with American flags, one to represent every life lost. In the coming days, students will carefully place these flags on our front lawn, creating a powerful visual memorial for all who pass by.

As part of this meaningful project, students will also explore the individual stories and lived experiences of those affected, connecting history to humanity and ensuring the legacy of strength, unity, and remembrance carries forward to the next generation. We invite our entire Matawan-Aberdeen community to pause and reflect as you view the display on our school grounds.



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AttendanceMatters!!!

Student Attendance Guidelines

Daily attendance is essential for the academic success and personal development of high school students. Consistent participation enhances understanding of the curriculum, fosters a sense of community, and develops important skills such as punctuality and responsibility.

Students who attend classes regularly are more likely to complete assignments, perform better academically, and build positive relationships with educators. These connections provide valuable support as students navigate their high school experience. Prioritizing daily attendance is crucial for ensuring that every student has the opportunity to thrive and succeed in their educational journey.

2026-2027 Standardized Assessment Schedule

Please take a moment to review the [Parent Notification of Standardized Assessments](#) for the 2026-2027 school year. If you have any questions, please reach out to your [child's school counselor or case manager](#).

Action Required: - 2026-2027 Free & Reduced Lunch

Now Accepting 2026-2027 Free & Reduced Meal Applications!! Fueling our students for success starts with a healthy meal! Applications for the 2026-2027 Free & Reduced Breakfast and Lunch Program are now available. *Please note that a new application must be submitted every school year, even if your family qualified previously.*

You can submit your application in one of two easy ways:

- **Online:** Complete the digital form quickly through your [Parent Portal](#).
- **Paper Copy:** Print, and submit a completed physical form to the Main Office.
 - [2026-2027 Meal Packet - English](#)
 - [2026-2027 Meal Packet - Spanish](#)

We encourage all eligible families to apply as soon as possible to ensure seamless meal benefits on day one. If you have any questions, please reach out to the **MRHS Information Desk** @ mrhsinfo@marsd.org or by calling 732-705-5200.

Mentoring Our Students Together (M.O.S.T)

The Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District is proud to announce the return of [The M.O.S.T Program](#). Students in Grades 2-12 within the MARSD will have the opportunity to work with certified staff members and dedicated community members as we work to **Mentor Our Students Together**. **The M.O.S.T.** Program will be held on select Tuesday & Wednesday afternoons from 3:00pm to 6:00pm in the [Matawan Aberdeen Middle School Cafeteria](#). [Click Here to Register](#).



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MRHS PTO

The [2026-2027 MRHS PTO Membership Drive](#) is now underway. Please help support our students and staff by joining the Matawan Regional High School Parent Teacher Association this year. Please join us for our **1st Meeting of the year** - **Wednesday, September 9th @ 6:00pm** in the Main Lobby of the high school. Your contribution is greatly appreciated.

- [MRHS PTO Vendor Fair](#) - **Saturday, November 14, 2026**
- [3rd Annual MRHS PTO Pocketbook Bingo](#) - **Saturday, February 6, 2027.**
 - [Click Here](#) to reserve your spot today!!!

MRHS Alumni Hall of Fame

Join Us for the 2026 Matawan Regional High School Alumni Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony! The Matawan Regional High School community is proud to invite you to celebrate our distinguished alumni at the [2026 Alumni Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony](#). Come honor these outstanding individuals for their contributions and achievements!

Congratulations to the 2026 Inductees:

Michael "Mickey" Deitz – Class of 1972
George "Skip" Deitz – Class of 1973
Richard Mendez – Class of 1974
Kaylen McNamara – Class of 2005
Julian Sonnenfeld – Class of 2007

[Dinner Tickets Information:](#)

Location: Gramercy at Lakeside Manor
Date: Thursday, October 15, 2026
Time: 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Athletics

The Fall Athletic Season is upon us. Come out to support your Huskies!!! Please check the [Matawan Regional High School Athletic Schedule](#) for up to date information on the fall sports season. You can also catch all athletic events scheduled for the Main Field or Main Gymnasium through our live-streamed [Hudl TV fan page](#). **No subscription needed.**

In order to provide a safe and orderly environment at all athletic events, we ask that you review and adhere to the [Spectator Code of Conduct](#). As a reminder, all guests are expected to:

- Be Respectful & Have Fun
- Signs/ Flags are not permitted in the stands, unless approved by administration
- Artificial noise makers are not permitted – (air horns, cow bells, whistles, etc.)
- Baby powder is NOT permitted as it causes significant health concerns
- Bags & Backpacks are not permitted and are subject to being searched
- There will be no admission after the third quarter. Re-entry will not be permitted.
- Students under the age of 13 should be accompanied by an adult.
- Please keep all the cheers positive, As always, profanity is NOT permitted
 - ***No Names, No Numbers, No Negativity!!!!***



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Shaping Our Future Together

Matawan-Aberdeen Regional School District —●—

We want to hear from you!

MARSD is evaluating school facility needs and considering a future bond referendum. Your feedback will help guide planning and identify community priorities.

Scan to take the Community Survey!



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—●— **Survey closes September 25**



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