MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS March 7, 2022

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH: March 1st was the start of Women's History month. Our focus is to celebrate and honor the influential women in education and in the world. Malala Yousafzai (**yoo-zahf-SAI**) was born in Pakistan in 1997. In 2012 she spoke out publicly on behalf of women and girls' right to education. This unfortunately made her a target for the Taliban. In October 2012, on her way home from school, she was shot. Malala survived and continues to share her story with the world. Malala said "I share my story not because it's unique but because it is the story of many girls." In 2014, she received the Nobel Peace Prize, making her the youngest Nobel laureate. In 2020 Malala graduated from Oxford University and strives to create a world where all women and girls can learn and lead.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Reminder Meistersingers should be dismissed from class at 10:00 AM today to get on the bus for their competition and Chorus should be released at 12:30 PM to get on the bus.

The annual Saginaw Valley Teacher of the Year Award will be presented this Spring. One teacher from each high school in the Saginaw Valley League will receive the award. Your Midland High teachers who have received this award are Mrs. Monique Albright, Ms. Becky King, Ms. Amy Rankin, Ms. Katy Stearns, and Mr. Jeff Yoder. If you would like to nominate a teacher for the award. Please complete a nomination form and submit it **by Friday, March 11**, 2022. Nomination forms can be found in the main office, media center, counseling center, and on the MPS website.

Calling All Artists! There will be a National Art Honor Society meeting on Tuesday, March 8 from 2:30-4:00 in room 320. We will be working on our FDR mural. New members are always welcome.

There will be an important Green Club meeting tomorrow morning at 7 am in the Exploratorium. This will be our last meeting before the "Blue Goes Green" week.

A reminder that chorus members are NOT called to rehearsal today for "Beauty and the Beast."

Students: We have over 85 overdue library books! It's time once again to check under your beds, in your cars, lockers and classrooms to locate these missing books and either renew or return them to the Media Center ASAP! If the books are not returned or renewed, you may receive a fine and a hold will be placed on your report card.

Hey Chemics! Don't forget Mr. Midland High is tomorrow night at 7 pm in the main gym. Come see some of your favorite Chemics, including Jordan Warner, Cal Stearns, and Joey Pelletier, fight for the honorable title of "MR. MIDLAND HIGH." The cost is \$3 at the door and all proceeds go towards a senior breakfast and senior sunset for the class of 2022. See you there!

If you are planning on joining a Spring sport, you must complete the registration process this week. All sports will begin try-outs or first practices on Monday. You must complete the online registration, have a current physical on file and have satisfied the Activity Fee requirement in order to participate. Stop in the Athletic Office if you have any questions.

Seniors! The senior portrait proofs are hanging in Eyeball Alley near the main office - make sure to stop by to double check your name spelling and picture. This is what it will look like in the yearbook - unless you contact us with any issues. See Editor Paige North or stop by room 325 with any corrections. And be sure to order your yearbook before the price goes up! Right now it's \$65, but on March 15 it will be \$70. Order today at www.yearbookforever.com

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IN SPORTS ACTION:

It was a great showing for the Boys Bowling team on Friday at the MHSAA State Competition. The team bowled 8 baker games and 2 Peterson games. The boys averaged 209 for 8 bakers then 207 per man in the 2 Peterson games. The Chemics were led by Nate Palmateer averaging 234, followed by Nick Kruger at 216 and Colin Terrill with a 213. After that round, they placed 1st out of 18 teams. Next was match play. Their first opponent was Jenison and the Chemics beat them 1435 to 1168. Next was Eisenhower and that is where the Chemics day ended with a score of 1616-1348. The teams final result of 3rd place is the farthest in school history for any bowling team, girls or boys.

The Chemic Hockey team won another nail biter 1-0 on Saturday night to advance the MHSAA Division One state semifinals. Midland's Cole Carpenter found the back of the net during a scramble in front of the Cap City goaltender late in the third period for the game's only score. Midland will face #1 ranked Detroit Catholic Central on Friday at 5:00pm at the USA Hockey Arena in Plymouth. This is the Chemics' first trip to the semifinals since 2011. Tickets are \$11 and are only available using the <u>MHSAA GoFan online platform</u>.

This past weekend, 5 Chemic wrestlers went to Ford Field to compete in the state finals. Coming home with medals and "All State Honors" were Morgan Ludwig who placed 5th in the Girls Division, Arden Eschtruth who placed 4th in the Girls Division, & Cole Schelb who placed 7th in Division 1.. Also competing and winning a match but falling short of "all state" were John Hine and Niobe Marchalant. Great job to all these Chemic wrestlers for representing Midland High on the highest stage.

ACTIVITIES: There are no activities tonight.