



Manchester Essex Regional High School

Upcoming Dates

- 5/21 Grade 10 Math MCAS
- 5/22 Grade 10 Math MCAS
- 5/30 Senior Scholarship and Student Awards Night*
- 5/31 Junior/Senior Prom
- 6/4 Grade 9 Biology MCAS
- 6/5 Grade 9 Biology MCAS
- 6/6 Baccalaureate 7pm
- 6/7 Class of 2019 Graduation 4:30pm
- 6/11 G & F Block Final Exams – half day
- 6/12 E & D Block Final Exams – half day
- 6/13 C & B Block Final Exams – half day
- 6/14 A Final Exam (Last day of school) – half day

*Invitations were sent to students and their families receiving awards. The invitation requests an RSVP to acknowledge receipt. Unfortunately, we are unable to notify families of seniors receiving scholarships prior to the event because we are notified of award winners up to the day of the ceremony.

Junior Auction: [Click Here](#)



Green Team News

The MERHS Green Team is conducting a survey of the students' and parents' views regarding the environment and global warming. The survey should take less than five minutes and is completely anonymous.

[Student Survey](#)

[Parent Survey](#)

Green Team – Orchards

The MERSD orchard behind the Middle High School is now complete. Green Team students under the direction of Nils Taylor and Lars Birkeland have completed the installation of fruit trees and berry bushes. The orchard will supply the cafeteria with fresh fruit and berries starting in the spring and fall of next year. The initial concept was to have a zero emissions source (Zero Carbon) of fresh food, grown onsite, for the students and faculty to have incorporated into the lunch offerings by the Cafeteria staff. The Manchester arborist, Tom Henderson, has already done one seminar to show students how to properly take care of the trees. The planted fruit trees range from a variety of apples, pears and plums. The berries are several blueberry varieties, thorn-less blackberries and raspberries. All of the plants were supplied by Wolf Hill garden Center and Corliss Brothers Nursery. All funding for the orchard was through the Spaulding Education Fund. Through the generosity of the community partners and the efforts of the Green Team students, this project is now complete.

Library News

NEW TEEN LOFT IS OPEN!

It's OPEN! After years of planning, and months of construction and moving collections, our beautiful new Teen Loft is open.

Whenever our MERSD students are not in school, this space is reserved for teens in grades 6-12 only. Finally, the entire YA collection can be found upstairs, all in one place. There are comfortable lounge chairs and ottomans, a couple of Yogibos, a work table and chairs, a stunning café-style counter with stools, and plenty of outlets and charging stations. We're working on gathering board games and craft supplies for the rolling craft cart.

Stop in soon and take a look. And, if you're a teen, stay awhile and enjoy!

Girls Lacrosse

Our girls Varsity Lacrosse team will be participating in the Harlem Lacrosse Third Annual High School Showcase at Tech Boston Academy on Saturday, May 11th at 12:00 pm. This is a non league game on our

schedule and we will be playing Concord-Carlisle, a Dual County league team and Division 1 East qualifier for the past several years in the MIAA tournament.

A press release from Harlem Lacrosse is also attached that outlines their program and the history of this showcase. There is parking located at the school – 9 Peacedale Road, Dorchester.

There will be a food truck on site from 11-3:30 for those interested in purchasing food.