





"The mission of Andover High School is to <u>create</u> an environment in which every student has the opportunity to use his or her mind well to become personally responsible for his or her academic, social, and civic growth and physical growth and physical well-being."

## DAILY BULLETIN – THURSDAY-JANUARY 26, 2012 (EXAM DAY)

- \*Congratulations to the Andover High School Mock Trial Team! The team won their first competition against Methuen High School in the 2012 State Tournament sponsored by the Massachusetts Bar Association. The team will compete again Wednesday, February 1 against Tewksbury High School.
- \*Kaplan Test Prep is announcing free online test prep courses for SAT, ACT, and PSAT. The free online promo codes, needed to register, are available in the Counseling Office. Also, Kaplan is offering students in the free or reduced lunch program a scholarship for free tuition in their SAT Prep program. Forms are available for this program in the Counseling Office.
- \* A representative from ITT Technical Institute will be in the Counseling Conference Room on Friday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am to speak with students. If interested, please request a pass from Mrs. Wholey in the Counseling Office.
- \*For students grade 9-12: Camp Cardiac-Boston 2012 invites students, grades 9 through 12, to apply for their 1-week summer day camp. This non-profit program serves as an ideal introduction for any high school student interested in exploring a career in medicine. With a focus on both education and real world experience, it provides students with a unique opportunity to learn directly from experts in the medical field. It also provides a foundation for heart healthy living with an emphasis on both diet and exercise. Apply at <a href="http://www.campcardiac.org">http://www.campcardiac.org</a>
- \*The Andover High School Robotics Club is holding a fundraiser at the Ninety Nine Restaurants (464 Lowell Street, Route 133) in Andover, from 5:00 -8:00 pm on Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>. Voucher required to participate. Available at the main office, Mrs. Reidy's room 359, or <a href="https://www.andoverrobotics.com">www.andoverrobotics.com</a>.
- \*Starting January 12<sup>th</sup> the AHS Environmental Club will be starting an electronics drive. Hand us all of your unused old electronics and we'll take care of the rest. Boxes will be on the landing on the font stairs until February 7<sup>th</sup>.
- \*Bottle Drive for the AHS Marching Band is on Saturday, May 12, 2012 at West Middle School parking lot from 9:00 AM -1:00 PM.
- \* AES Engineering Services is offering a \$500 scholarship to high school students in grades 9 through 12. This scholarship will be awarded on the basis of character, as determined by evaluating the essay that is submitted. Students essay should be no more than 1000 words on "What are your dreams for your future? When you look back on your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful?" Please go to website: <a href="http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm">http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm</a> for additional information on applying. The deadline to apply is October 5, 2012.
- \*New Fitness Room Hours are now Tuesdays, Wednesdays. & Thursdays only from 2:35-3:35.
- \* Best Buy is offering 1200 scholarships at \$1,000 each to students in grades 9 through 12. This program rewards students for all of their work inside and outside of the classroom. Criteria is based on solid grades plus community service or work experience. Apply at: <a href="https://www.bestbuy-communityrelations.com">www.bestbuy-communityrelations.com</a> OR <a href="https://www.at15.com">www.at15.com</a>. Application deadline is <a href="#February 15">February 15</a>, 2012.
- \*The alumni association of Princeton University announced the "Princeton Prize in Race Relations," an award program "to promote harmony, understanding, and respect among people of different races by identifying and recognizing high school age students whose efforts have had a significant, positive effect on race relations in their schools or communities. Winners are awarded up to \$1,000 and invited to Princeton University for an expense paid weekend symposium on race. Visit <a href="www.princeton.edu/pprize">www.princeton.edu/pprize</a>. Email <a href="mailto:pprize@princeton.edu">pprize@princeton.edu</a> or call 1-800-742-1036. The application deadline is <a href="mailto:January 31, 2012">January 31, 2012</a>.

- \*The Massachusetts Office of Student Financial Assistance is pleased to announce the Christian A. Herter Memorial Scholarship. This scholarship was created by the Massachusetts Legislature to identify and recruit disadvantaged high school students in the 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> grades who display strong academic promise but whose socio-economic background and environmental conditions may inhibit their ability to attain a post secondary education and degree. Each year, 25 deserving students are selected as Herter recipients. Scholarships may be awarded for a maximum of 4 years. Andover High can nominate 2 students. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. Deadline is March 1, 2012.
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- \* The Mark Bavis Leadership Foundation has established a scholarship for all high school students in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to be used for school tuition, summer programs, and other appropriate extracurricular activities. This award ranges from \$1,000 to \$5,000. Mark Bavis was a victim of the terrorist attack on September 11, 2001. This scholarship was established to preserve his memory and perpetuate the principles by which he lived. It is not academically based, but is awarded on the basis of need. In addition, the committee will give more serious consideration to those students who have made efforts to make a difference in their communities and/or have shown leadership qualities within their school. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. The deadline to apply is March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012.
- \*The School of Fashion Design, Newbury St., Boston is holding a "High School Fashion Prep Program" beginning of Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup> and running through Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. If interested please see their website at <a href="http://www.schooloffashiondesign.org/hsprepflyer12springc.pdf">http://www.schooloffashiondesign.org/hsprepflyer12springc.pdf</a>
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- \*AAA Merrimack Valley is inviting high school students to enter the "Annual AAA School Traffic Safety Poster Program." The deadline to submit entries is February 1, 2012. More information is available in the Counseling Office, or you can call 978-946-0334.
- \*The Mock Trial Team meets every Wednesday in the media center at 2:15 p.m.. Are you interested in learning more about the legal system and how to conduct a trial? Would you like to participate in a state tournament with other area schools serving as a defense lawyer or a lawyer for the plaintiff? Would you like to learn from a local area lawyer how to follow legal procedures? If learning how to analyze and present a legal case interests you, come and learn more about the Mock Trial Team. See Ms. Berard if you have any questions.
- \*The After School Club is seeking student volunteers. The After School Club is set up for students in both the EXCEL and ABA Programs and meets every week after school on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 2:15 to 5:00. During this time the students are engaged in various fun, social and recreational activities. Please consider volunteering your time being a "Peer Pal" to students in this club while gaining a valuable community service experience in return. If you are interested please see Ms. Vukovic in room 375 for more information.
- \*NHS will resume before school academic support on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:05-7:35 in room 203. Students can drop in without an appointment and get help in any academic area. It is always better if a student comes with a specific assignment or question for the tutor.
- \* Andover High School Gay-Straight Alliance!!! The Gay-Straight Alliance meets every Wednesday in room 321 after school from 2:20 until 3:20. Membership in the GSA is open to all students. Refreshments will be served. Help us plan an active year!! Please see Ms. Burch or Mr. Sousa for additional information.
- \* Environmental Club will meet on Wednesday mornings at 7:15am in room 217. All are welcome. See Mrs. Cutler or Mrs. Shenker for more information.

\*Any student who finds an illegally parked vehicle in their parking spot please fill out an Incident Parking form in the Main office. Please be sure to have the Plate number of the illegally parked vehicle in your spot and the parking space number you parked in.



\*New Fitness Room Hours are now Tuesdays, Wednesdays. & Thursdays only from 2:35-3:35.

\*Please see the following for:

Teacher Supplies – Diane Costagliola Teacher Parking Space Issue – Mickey Rivera Building Issues – Mr. Phillips Keys – Ms Jordan Address Forms – Cindy Pilla Teacher Parking Forms – Mickey Rivera Field Trip Forms – Roseann Camilo Security tags – Mr. Phillips

\*Faculty: When using AESOP please leave your parking spot number, so the person covering for you may have the correct spot to park.

\*Progress Report dates for the 2011-2012 school year are the following: Term 1- week of October 3-7, 2011. Term 2 – week of December 12-16, 2011. Term 3 – week of March 5-9, 2012. Term 4 – week of May 14-18, 2012.



\*Babysitter Needed for an Andover family close to Merrimack College for 2 elementary school kids ages 7 and 9. Must arrive no later than 3pm to get them off the bus. Duties include giving them snack, play a game or watch a movie. Starting on January  $23^{rd}$ . Monday and Wednesday 3-5:15 at \$10-\$12 an hour depending on experience. If you are interested please contact Fernanda or Ryan at 978-470-0519 or email  $\underline{nandcardoso@live.com}$ 

- \*\_An accounting firm in Andover is looking for a mature, responsible high school junior or senior to work 2 hours a week for \$10/hr. handling light office work. The office is within walking distance from the high school or you must have own transportation. If interested please contact either Deanne or Judy at 978-470-2027.
- \* The Lantern Brunch has a job opening after school on Fridays, all day on Saturday and on call for rest of the week. Contact George at 978-475-6191.
- \*Appointment Setters Needed: DC Distributors is looking for Enthusiastic people to work in the telephone department, scheduling carpet cleaning appointments in our Wilmington office. No sales involved, no experience necessary, part time nights and \$8.00 \$16.00 per hour plus bonuses. Must be organized, punctual and have a positive attitude! Call today, start tomorrow 978-570-2901 or stop by to fill out an application at DC Distributors 66 Concord Street, Suite J, Wilmington, MA 01887. Main office hours are 11:00 am 6:00 pm.
- \* Local family looking for some help after school with two children, an 11year old, 5th grade and a 3rd grade...ASAP. Looking for a high school student, reliable and responsible, who can help after school picking up and watching two children at our house (homework, snack, etc...) four days a week until the end of the school year. Sanborn Elementary ends at 2:45 and Early Release Days are once a month at 11:45am. Depending on the weather, our children can be picked up by car or walked home, which is a little over a half mile. If you are interested please call Denise at 858 775-9142 cell or 978-474-1036 home. Also a friend who also needs help lives on Greenwood Drive, which is close. Her email is tkessel@thekessels.net

OFFICE DETENTION DUTY – 1/23/12-1/27/12

Monday 1/23 Iascone, F Tuesday 1/24 Ioannides, D Wednesday 1/25 Jannetti, J Thursday Friday 1/26 Finals-Early Release

1/27 Finals

1<sup>st</sup> Term Ends Monday, November 14, 2011 2<sup>nd</sup> Term Ends Monday, January 30, 2012 3<sup>rd</sup> Term Ends Tuesday, April 10, 2012 4<sup>th</sup> Term Ends Last day of school