



“The mission of Andover High School is to create 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 – DECEMBER 12, 2013 (BLUE DAY)

*The Gay Straight Alliance will be selling t-shirts from December 9th through December 18th at the kiosk for all lunches. Our hope is that people will buy them and wear them for the Day of Silence and other times next Spring. The cost is \$15.00. Please support the GSA!

*The bible club is collecting blankets and towels for homeless teens in Boston. Please drop off all donations in the cardboard Christmas box located in the foyer. Let’s help some of the several teenagers who must live in the cold.

*Come and enjoy a nice treat at Orange Leaf on **Monday, December 16** any time from 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Fifteen percent of the sales for the day will be donated to the AHS Boys Swim & Dive Team. Help our boys start the season out right and treat yourselves.

* Dina Roumeliotis, an AHS 2013 graduate, and currently a student at Rollins College, will be in the Counseling Office to speak with students and share her college experiences, on **Wednesday, December 18th** at 9:30. If interested, please ask Mrs. Wholey for a pass.

* **Reminder to Seniors: Don’t forget to frequently check out the scholarship listings on Naviance. During the course of the winter and early spring, the Counseling Office will receive over 200 scholarships from national, regional, local and private sources, with some deadlines coming soon. All will be listed on Naviance as we receive them. One example: right now Cumberland Farms “Believe & Achieve Scholarship” is offering up to 130 awards at \$1,000 each to seniors across its 11-state service area. This deadline is fast approaching **December 15th**. Check out the criteria on Naviance.**

*The Gaming Club is in urgent need of a club advisor. See Ms. Jordan if you’re interested. Club meetings are postponed pending a club advisor taking over the club.

*Kaplan Test Prep is offering a Season of Thanks Sale on all their offerings until **December 17th**. Save \$150.00 on SAT and ACT test prep courses. This is the best discount of the year. Call 1-800-527-8378 or online at kaptest.com/thanks to register. Enter promo code: THANKS150 at checkout.

*Dennis (BJ) Begos, AHS class of 2011, currently attending Carnegie Mellon University, will be in the Counseling Conference Room on **Thursday, December 19th** at 9:30 to speak with students about his college experiences. If interested please request a pass from Mrs. Wholey in Counseling.

***1ST DANCE OF SCHOOL YEAR: SEMI-FORMAL HOLLY BALL **Friday, December 13, 2013** from 7:00 – 10:30 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria. \$10.00 pre-sale tickets only! Come hear the Kiss 108 DJ sound of Dave Casanave! Catered Ice Cream Sundae Bar from 8:00 – 10:00! Tickets will be sold in the cafeteria during all 3 lunches starting Monday, December 2 through Monday, December 9. Buy your tickets early, so the total number of attendees can be given to the caterer on Tuesday, December 10, to guarantee this event will run. Class Board of Directors are Expected to Attend and we ask their assistance in making this the biggest 1st dance ever!**

*Scholarship for high school students, grade 9-12: Mark Bavis was a victim of the terrorist attack on September 11, 2001. The Mark Bavis Scholarship was established to preserve his memory and perpetuate the principles by which he lived. High school students in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts are eligible to apply for these awards ranging from \$1,000 to \$5,000 to be used as specifically requested for school tuition, summer programs and other appropriate extracurricular activities. 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. Applications are available in the Counseling Office.

*To all students and parents regarding **DISMISSALS**: All dismissals require a note before leaving the building unless accompanied by a parent. Parents should have photo ID at time of dismissal. If your child doesn't have a note, please fax a note to the main office 978-623-8663 or send an email to any of the office secretaries. mriviera@aps1.net cpilla@aps1.net rcamilo@aps1.net

*Andover Auto School is offering a one week session the week of December 23rd-31st (23, 26, 27, 30, 31). The session runs from 8:30am-3:00pm Monday through Friday. Andover Auto School is located at 2 Dundee Park, Suite B03. To register for the session, call 978-470-2060.

*The Bible Club meets on Wednesdays at 2:15 in room 133.

*The UNICEF Club meets on Thursday afternoons from 2:15pm-3:00pm in Room 311. All are welcome.

*Math team will meet Thursdays at 2:20 in room 347.

*Recycling volunteers needed. If you would like to help to empty the recycling bins around the school, meet Mrs. Cutler in room 217 after school on Fridays. The job should only take about 20 minutes/week.

*Politics club will begin meeting on Tuesdays at 2:15 in room 112 beginning this Tuesday. If you are interested in a relaxed environment to discuss modern issues, this is the club for you!

*The cafeteria has a table set up to receive lunch deposits early in the day. Please bring your deposits to the cafeteria before lunch. This will speed up the lunch lines for all.

*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.



FACULTY

*Please see the following for:

Teacher Supplies – Roseann Camilo
Teacher Parking Space Issue – Mickey Rivera
Building Issues – Dr. Valverde
Keys – Dr. Valverde

Address Forms – Diane Costagliola
Teacher Parking Forms – Mickey Rivera
Field Trip Forms – Cindy Pilla
Security tags – Dr. Valverde

*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 2013-2014 school year are the following: Term 1- week of September 30-October 4, 2013. Term 2 – week of December 9-13, 2013. Term 3 – week of March 3-7, 2014. Term 4 – week of May 12-16, 2014.



JOB OPPORTUNITY

* IM Wireless in Andover center is looking for a part time weekend mascot-style costume. It would involve dancing and waving to traffic. Looking for an energetic student who wants to make some money on weekends, in the morning. Please feel free to contact me at this email address, natel@imwireless.net or call me or Manny at 978-623-0011. Thank you!

*Looking for a female babysitter for a 4 year old girl at \$10.00 per hours. Hours will vary during the weekdays and may need weekend hours as well. If you are interested please call Kelly at 617-875-6429 or email Kelly.filocco@bostonartinc.com

*Teatone and Mootone Restaurants are looking for high school student for cashier's positions. Please contact Ms. Eva [978-809-0783](tel:978-809-0783) or stop by at the restaurants.

*Madox Jewelry is Hiring! Days, Nights, Weekends! Great Pay Huge Employee Discounts! Send all Applications to Customerservice@madoxjewelry.com

1st Term Ends Monday, November 4, 2013
2nd Term Ends Thursday, January 23, 2014

3rd Term Ends Thursday, April 3, 2014
4th Term Ends Last day of school (June 16th)