



“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 – WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2017 (BLUE DAY)

“All our dreams can come true if we have the courage to pursue them” – Walt Disney

* **FREE** after school tutoring is available for students preparing for the February Biology MCAS exam. These review sessions will meet on Wednesdays and Fridays throughout January in room 225 for one hour beginning at 2:15 pm. Again, these sessions are free and could offer a very helpful refresher for next month's Biology MCAS exam. Come when you can! Please see Science Program Coordinator Mr. Sanborn or Ms Holm-Andersen for more information.

*Andover High School has reserved five entries at the Region IV Science and Engineering Fair that is taking place on Saturday, March 18th at Somerville High School. If you are interested in participating in this event, please inform Mr. Sanborn as soon as possible. A deadline for safety committee review of project proposals is coming up soon.

*As strange as it might seem at this point in early January, now is the time to start considering summer programs for high school students in science and engineering offered by colleges and other organizations during the summer of 2017. Information and applications for many of these programs are becoming available and a growing list of possibilities can be found on the APS web site. Find a list of programs and website links on the APS1.net website under Curriculum - High School - Summer programs.

*Online registration is now open for the 2017 US Biology Olympiad Open Exam will take place at Andover High School on Tuesday, February 14, 2017 (Valentine's Day) at 2:15 pm in room 323. The Open Exam is a 50 minute multiple choice exam. The top 10% of exam takers nation-wide move on to the Semi-final Exam. The exam is free but students must register online. For more information about the US Biology Olympiad, visit <https://www.usabo-trc.org> To register for the Open Exam, visit <https://www.usabo-trc.org/student/register> Additional information can also be found online at AHS Science page of the APS website under Academic Competitions and Programs. Contact Mr. Sanborn if you have any questions.

*Join SADD for a Trivia/Pasta Night on Thursday, January 12th at 6:30pm in Room 326.

* **Reminder to students who drive to school:** West Middle School will tow cars that do not have authority to park in their lot.

***Reminder:** All students must have their IDs on them at all times.

*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.

Scholarship Opportunities:

The Hood Milk Sportsmanship Scholarship Program awards 18 New England high school student athletes with a \$5,000 scholarship toward furthering their education at a two- or four- year accredited college or university. To apply visit Naviance or <https://hood.com/scholarship>

Please continue to check Naviance for all Scholarships, as they are updated frequently.

Opportunities Abroad:

Youth Exchange Program – Germany: The Congress-Bundestag Vocational Exchange Program – Provides and opportunity for U.S. high School graduates who have undertaken vocational training to spend their 13th year

abroad pursuing their vocational interests. Application deadline is: January 31, 2016. For more information and to apply visit: www.nacelopendoor.org

USA GAP Year Fairs – Dynamy Internship Year & USA Gap Year Fairs is pleased to invite students to attend several Gap Year fairs near you. For more information, visit: www.dynamy.org or www.usagapyearfairs.org

Contest:

The Princeton Prize in Race Relations – Recognizes the high school age students who are helping improve race relations in their schools or communities. Apply online or by mail. For more info. go to: www.princeton.edu/pprize

Northern Essex Community College – Peace Poetry 9th Annual Contest and Reading
Submission deadline is: March 15, 2017. Reading Event Date: May 5, 2017. Pick up application form in the Guidance office and send entries to: peacepoetry@necc.mass.edu For more information visit: <http://www.necc.mass.edu/academics/enrichment/service-learning/peace-poetry>

Middlesex Community College – Presents: Transition Program Information Session, Thursday, January 19, 2017 at the Bedford Campus from 9:00-11:00. www.middlesex.mass.edu

*Summer Opportunities: University of Southern California (USC) Summer Program offers 4 and 2 week courses in a variety of subjects. For more information visit: www.summer.usc.edu (Add to bulletin) Carnegie Mellon Summer Pre-College Programs, July 1st – Aug. 11th 2017 For more info. visit: www.admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/pre-college

*Other Opportunities: Jan. 22nd McGill School of Music will be holding auditions at the Walnut Hill School for the Arts, at Boswell Hall, 12 Highland St., Natick, MA. For more info. visit: <http://www.mcgill.ca/music/admissions/undergraduate/auditions> (Add to bulletin) Contest!: Make College Happen Contest. Deadline Dec. 31st at 5:00 PM. To enter, visit: www.makecollegehappenchallenge.com/rules



FACULTY

*Please see the following for:

Teacher Supplies – Diane Costagliola
Teacher Parking Space Issue – Mickey Rivera
Building Issues – Roseann Camilo
Keys – Caitlin Brown

Address Forms – Diane Costagliola
Teacher Parking Forms – Mickey Rivera
Field Trip Forms – Diane Costagliola
Security tags – Scott Darlington

*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 2016-2017 school year are the following: Term 1- week of October 4-7, 2016. Term 2 – week of December 12-16, 2016. Term 3 – week of February 27 - March 3, 2017. Term 4 – week of May 15-19, 2017.



JOB OPPORTUNITY

The Holiday Inn, Tewksbury, has numerous lifeguard openings available. We have an indoor pool that is opened from 4p-10p M/F and from 10a-10p S/S. The starting pay is \$12 per hour with experience. If anyone is interested in applying for these positions please go to: <https://recruiting.talentreef.com/twin-tier-hospitality> to apply. Please be sure the select Tewksbury when applying. Any questions, please call the hotel at 978-640-9000.

*Babysitter wanted to meet two school children (ages 10 and 12) after school Monday through Thursday. Sitter is needed immediately after school until approximately 5:30pm. Sharing these hours with a fellow student is also possible. Great pay and sweet, fun children. Promptness and reliability is a must. Driver's license and transportation is required to drive children to local after school activity on most days. Please call Jennifer at 978-475-0218 or email jenniferesloan@icloud.com if interested.

1st Term Ends Wednesday, November 9, 2016
2nd Term Ends Wednesday, January 25, 2017

3rd Term Ends Wednesday, April 5, 2017
4th Term Ends Last day of school (June 16th)