



“Andover High School is committed to providing a safe, supportive, and equitable learning environment where students and staff alike lead by example, demonstrating collaboration, intellectual curiosity, effective communication, and real word application of skills. We believe that promoting physical fitness, co-curricular activities, and student-led initiatives cultivate active minds and foster school pride. We believe strongly in a challenging and diverse curriculum that encourages the creativity, innovation and risk-taking necessary to succeed in a global community.”

DAILY BULLETIN –THURSDAY – JANUARY 24, 2013 (GOLD DAY)

*Our school has been selected to participate in the National Assessment of Educational Progress, also known as NAEP. You may have heard of NAEP. The results are called The Nation’s Report Card because it measures student achievement across the country. It is important because the results help the President, Congress, and all of our educators make decisions about how to improve our education system. Not every student will be asked to take part in the assessment, so for those of you who are chosen to participate, we encourage you to take it seriously and do your best. You will represent thousands of other students like yourselves, and you have a chance to have an impact on the future education policy decisions in our state and across the nation. Every student that is selected to participate makes a difference. We will be providing more information for students and teachers in the upcoming weeks.

**Andover Auto School’s next driving sessions will be held:

Feb Vacation Week: Feb 18 - 22 8 a.m. - 2:30

Apr Vacation Week Apr 15 - 19 8 a.m. - 2:30

Saturday Session: Mar 02 - Mar 30 8a.m. - 2:30

Night Session: Mar 12 - Apr 11 6 - 8 p.m. (Tues; Wed; Thurs)

To register, please call Andover Auto School at 978-470-2060. They are located at 2 Dundee Park, Suite B03 in Andover.

* Attention all students who plan on taking the SAT this **Saturday, January 26th** or at any point this year:

Please be aware that you must have a current recognizable school or government-issued photo ID AND your admission ticket to be able to take the SAT. As has been announced repeatedly this year, driver’s permits are NOT acceptable photo ID for the SAT. It is the responsibility of each student to know what is and what is not acceptable photo identification. Please carefully consult your registration bulletin and the College Board website to be sure your ID is acceptable. If you do not have one of the typical IDs, such as a current driver’s license, school ID, or passport, please see the guidance department to obtain a certified ID letter immediately. The College Board has very strict guidelines regarding what must be included in this letter for it to be acceptable. All students should be in the high school lobby by 7:45 am at the latest on the morning of testing. If we must cancel testing because of weather conditions, a message will be posted on the APS and College Board websites that morning by 7am. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Waters at kwaters@aps1.net.

*AHS Boys Swim & Dive Team "Tanket" Fundraiser!!!! Keep your child warm and dry between at races, at the pool or at the beach with a tanket! Our tanket is made with a quick dry towel on one side and the warmth of a winter fleece on the other side. A great gift for any child!! The tanket dimensions are 4'4" by 2'4". The towels are blue and the fleece is gold. We will have AHS embroidered on them (included in the price). The cost is \$50 with \$10 for each tanket sold going to the AHS Boys Swim & Dive Team. We will have a table set up for orders at the Open House at the High School on **Wednesday, February 13** from 7 to 9 p.m. You are welcome to place an order through email with me now (fwimbar@verizon.net) which will enable you to pick up your tanket at the Open House (possibly before) or stop by to check out the merchandise at Open House and place your order there. Margarita Carroll

*A set of car keys was turned into the office on 01-09-13. If you have lost your car keys please come to the Main Office to claim.

*The Princeton Prize in Race Relations, sponsored by Princeton University Alumni Asso., is offering to the winners of this competition an award of \$1,000 and an invitation to Princeton University for an expense-paid weekend symposium on race. This program recognizes high school age students who are helping improve race relations in their schools or communities. Applications and additional information are available in the Counseling Office and online at www.princeton.edu/pprize. The deadline to apply is **January 31, 2013**.

*The Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Massachusetts is sponsoring a Poster Contest for high school students whose subject is: "Don't be a Bully, be a Friend." Three prizes will be awarded: \$300, \$200, and \$100. Detailed information is available in the Counseling Office. The deadline for entries is no later than **April 1, 2013**.

*Show your school spirit! Purchase your Andover Warriors SUPERFAN Tshirts for just \$10!! Contact a member of the track team to place your order!!

*High school junior and senior students are invited to participate in the 2013 Religious Liberty Essay Scholarship Contest. The subject is: "Using the Constitution and writings of the Founders, research and evaluate the claim that the United States was founded as a Christian nation." There are no requirements involving GPA, faith, or activities. The first place winner will receive a \$2,000 scholarship and a trip for two to Washington, D.C. Second place - \$1,000, and third place \$250. Submission deadline is **March 1, 2013**. Details are available online at www.BJOnline.org/contest and in the Counseling Office.

*Seniors: Scholarships are now being posted in Naviance in the 'Scholarship' section. We will continue to receive scholarships from donors throughout the school year and they will be posted as we receive them. Seniors should refer to Naviance often, and, if you have any questions, please feel free to see Mrs. Wholey in the Counseling Office.

*National Honor Society will be in the Café near the snack bar Tuesdays through Fridays from 7:00 am to 7:40 am if any student needs homework help or needs a paper proofread.

*Officer Dowd will be available in his office, room 107-1, everyday between 7:00am to 7:30am and after school from 2:15pm to 3:00pm. He can also be contacted in the lunch room or in the halls, if you need to set up a time to speak with him.

*Attention all block one teachers: Please remember to check your mailbox each morning for orange or blue Guidance passes for your students. If you cannot make it to your mailbox, please designate a student in your block one class to pick up your Guidance passes at 7:45 from your mailbox. This will greatly help the Counseling Department ensure all of their students receive their passes for their appointments all year. Thank you.

*There is **NO Parking** on Cuba Street between 7:00am – 9:00am. Anyone parked on Cuba Street will be towed and ticketed.

*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 – Ms Jordan

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

*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 2012-2013 school year are the following: Term 1- week of October 9-12, 2012. Term 2 – week of December 17-21, 2012. Term 3 – week of March 11-15, 2013. Term 4 – week of May 20-24, 2013.



JOB OPPORTUNITY

*Assistant to the Office Manager. \$10/hr. Duties are mostly filing, with some phone, data entry and inventory work. 4-6 hrs/week, must be able to come in a minimum of 3x a week. Must be organized and meticulous, and know the alphabet well! Junior or Senior with a minimum 3.5 GPA. 1stVision, 2 Dundee Park, Andover, MA. Send resume to jmh@1stvision.com

* **“After School Babysitter Needed Starting January 28th :** The pay is \$15/hour. We are looking for a mature and responsible person to serve as an after school sitter for our children who are in 5th and 4rd grade at West Elementary. The hours would be from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Job responsibilities would include meeting the kids at the bus at 3 p.m.; assisting them in doing homework and driving them to after school activities. A reliable car and clean driving record is required. We are looking for a commitment for the remainder of the school year. If interested, please contact Kristen at ka.morris@statestreet.com

*The Holiday Inn in Tewksbury is in need of a lifeguard. We have an indoor pool that is open all year. During the week we are open 4p-10p, on the weekends we are open 10A-10P. This position is available immediately. This is a 20 - 24 hour per week position. If interested please email me at PLEcornec@twintierhospitality.com or call me at 978-640-9000 ext 125. Must have all certifications.

1st Term Ends	Friday, November 16, 2012	3rd Term Ends	Monday, April 22, 2013
2nd Term Ends	Monday, February 4, 2013	4th Term Ends	Last day of school (June 25th)