



"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 - WEDNESDAY – JANUARY 30, 2013 (GOLD DAY)

*The Math department will be sponsoring the American Mathematics Competition on **Tuesday, February 5, 2013**. All AHS students taking Enriched Math classes and BC Calculus, past and present are required to participate. The competition will start at approximately 7:45 am and last 90 minutes. Students should go directly to the cafeteria. The cafeteria will be closed during the competition.

*The USA Biology Olympiad open competition will be held **Wednesday, February 6th** in room 225 starting at 2:30 pm. The first round of this national competition consists of a 50 minute multiple choice exam. The competition is open to any student grade 9-12 but requires online registration by **Tuesday, February 5th**. Those students who score in the top 10% will qualify for the second round exam which will determine who moves on to the National Finals later this year. Online registration for the test can be completed at <http://www.usabo-trc.org/registration.php?s=st> See Mr. Sanborn, Science Program Advisor for more information.

*AAA Southern New England's *Traffic Safety Message Contest* is inviting high school students to create a poster and/or Public Safety Announce ("PSA") video illustrating a powerful creative message about safety in and around traffic. Grand prize is \$1,000, with 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners receiving \$300, \$200, and \$100 respectively. Honorable mentions receive \$50. Details are available in the Counseling Office, and online at AAA.com/safetymatters. The deadline to submit entries is **April 1, 2013**.

*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.

*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

*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

1st Term Ends Friday, November 16, 2012
2nd Term Ends Monday, February 4, 2013

3rd Term Ends Monday, April 22, 2013
4th Term Ends Last day of school (June 25th)