



Newsletter 10/24/24 MHS Calendar



Who

Should

You

Contact?

October

- 26 Monster Mash - MHS & NHS Jazz Bands @6pm MHS Commons
- 29 Fall Choir Concert MHS @7pm
- 30 Winter Sports Meeting MHS @5:30 pm

November

- 1 End of Secondary Marking Period
- 1 AP Exam Payments Due
- 2 Show Choir Supershow @Chi-Hi
- 15 & 16 Fall Play "Rehearsal for Murder" MHS@7pm
- 17 Fall Play "Rehearsal for Murder" MHS@1pm
- 25 No School for Students PL/IP Day for Staff
- 26 No School for Students - Certified Building Staff Directed Day
- 27-29 All Schools Closed - Thanksgiving

December

- 9 Songs of the Season Choir Concert MHS@7pm
- 13 Improv Show @7pm Little Theatre

Memorial Links

<u>MHS Website</u>	<u>GOFAN Tickets</u>	<u>Athletics</u>
<u>Lunch Menu (English)</u>	<u>Lunch Menu (Spanish)</u>	<u>Family Advisory Council</u>
<u>District Calendar</u>	<u>Bell Schedule</u>	<u>Facebook</u>
<u>Community Events and Resources Page</u>	<u>Ulrich Food Pantry Form</u>	<u>Parking Permit</u>

Old Abe News and Announcements



New construction is scheduled to begin at MHS

New Construction is set to begin before the end of October.

These projects will remodel and expand our music classrooms and expand the lunchroom. There will be staging for the construction equipment that will impact student drop off and the Visitor's Lot near Door #4.

All Student Transit AM drop-off and PM pick-up will be moved to Door #2 as of October 25th. If you transport your student to school and drop off on Keith Street, please be aware of the changes. (See Attachment).

AP Exam Payments Due November 1st

All students planning to take an AP exam will need to pay by Friday, November 1st. The preferred method of payment will be through your MySchoolBucks account. If a paper form is needed, the payment and form will need to be dropped off to the district office directly.

Paper forms are available in Student Services.

Interested in playing a WINTER SPORT?

The winter sports meeting will take place Wednesday October 30th at 530PM.

SPORTS REGISTRATION

****Please note: physical examination dates April 1 and thereafter is valid for the following two years; physical examination dates before April 1 is valid only for the remainder of that school year and the following school year.**

Physicals must be dated after 04/01/2023 to be valid for the 2024-25 school year.

INSTRUCTIONS CAN BE FOUND HERE:

1. Please read the 2024-2025 Athletic Code prior to completing the Online Registration
2. Click here for Online Athletic Registration
3. Click here for information on paying Athletic Fees..... Video instructions for paying fees: Click Here

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The Eau Claire Area School District has an operational referendum question on the ballot on November 5, 2024. Please visit our [Referendum 2024](#) website to learn more about the referendum. In addition, the district is providing information sessions along with outreach to many groups to share details and answer questions. If you were unable to attend an information session or presentation in the community, please view the recorded virtual Teams presentation from October 3 located on the website.

Don't hesitate to email referendum2024@ecasd.us with questions. Thank you, as always, for all you do for our schools!



Yearbook memories for the school year are currently on sale! You can purchase through this [link](#) or send a check made out to MHS Yearbook; please bring all checks to Mrs. Campbell de Loyo in room 1855.



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Current juniors, you have the opportunity to apply for the Cooledge Scholarship, a full-ride, four-year, merit scholarship that can be used at any accredited college or university in the United States. For more information, visit <https://coolidgescholars.org>. The submission deadline is Wednesday, December 11, 2024.

Families, if your student is interested in a career in government and/or law, they can register to see our guest speaker, Rick Eaton, Eau Claire County Corporation Counsel Attorney. He will be visiting Memorial on Tuesday, October 29th in the Little Theater during ELT. You can register through the following link: [Government & Law](#)

ACP Career
Speaker Series
Government & Law



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Thank you to everyone who helped make our staff conference meal possible last week!

Thank you to the Eastridge Toppers for sponsoring this meal.

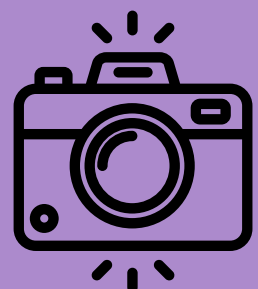
Thank you families for the donations towards the pizza and wings as well as the donations of the delicious desserts and beverages.

We are so appreciative of you!



SENIORS!

Your senior photos are due November 1st. You can submit them with the QR code on flyers throughout the school and in all English 12 rooms. You can also go through the yearbook link on the Memorial home page or [CLICK HERE](#). Let's get them in!



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National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day

Unused or expired medications should never be flushed, poured down the drain, or tossed in the garbage. Safely dispose of prescription medicine, over-the-counter medications, ointments, patches, creams, non-aerosol sprays, vials, and pet medications at a Prescription Drug Take-Back event on Saturday, October 26th from 10a.m. to 2p.m.! Drop off sites will be available in Altoona and Eau Claire.

National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day Event

Saturday October 26th
10am - 2pm

Altoona Emergency Services
1904 Spooner Avenue


Eau Claire County Government Center
721 Oxford Avenue



This information is provided by the Eau Claire Health Alliance - Substance Misuse Action Team, which works to prevent alcohol, tobacco, and other drug misuse.

Learn more at: EHealthAlliance.org/News

Give blood.
Every 2 seconds someone
in the U.S. needs blood.
American Red Cross



Blood Drive
Memorial High School
Gym

Tuesday, October 29, 2024
8:15 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: Memorial High School to schedule an appointment.

Treat yourself: Come give blood in October for a \$10 Amazon.com Gift Card by email. PLUS, automatically be entered for a chance to win a \$5,000 gift card; there will be three lucky winners! Terms apply; rcblood.org/treat

1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | redcrossblood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

Information This form must be completed by a parent or legal guardian. Parental permission is required for

- All donations by 16-year-olds
- Donations by 17-year-olds as required by state law or blood drive sponsor

[Click HERE for Parental Consent Form](#)

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Discover Your
Future
at CVTC

Hey students! Are you ready to explore your college and career options?

Join us at Chippewa Valley Technical College's Fall Open House on November 7th!

Whether you're just starting to think about your future or are ready to take the next big step, this event is a must-attend.

What's in store for you at the Open House?

- Career Simulations:** Get hands-on experience and see what different careers are like.
- Meet the Instructors:** Chat with the awesome instructors who can guide you on your journey.
- Explore Programs:** Learn about the diverse programs and resources CVTC offers to help you succeed.

This is your chance to get a taste of college life, ask questions, and find the path that's right for you. Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity to plan your future! Find more information at cvtc.edu/foh

See you there, and let's start building your future together!

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CROSSTOWN ATHLETICS **COMBINE**

EVENTS:
POWER CLEAN
BACK SQUAT
BENCH PRESS
40 YARD DASH
PRO AGILITY (5-10-5)
VERTICAL JUMP

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CROSSTOWN ATHLETICS **COMBINE**

**WHAT IS THE CROSSTOWN
COMBINE, AND WHAT WILL MY
ATHLETE BE DOING?**

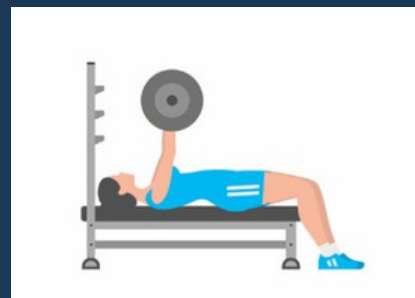
The Crosstown Combine is a strength and conditioning competition where athletes will compete in six events: Power Clean, Back Squat, Bench Press, 40-Yard Dash, Vertical Jump, and Pro Agility. Athletes earn points based on their performance in each event. The Combine has been happening between the fall and winter seasons for the past decade. It is a unique event that brings together all North athletics programs through Strength & Conditioning. This year, Memorial athletes are joining the competition, so the stakes are higher than ever before!



NOVEMBER 4-8

CROSSTOWN ATHLETICS **COMBINE**

3:00-5:30PM



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BENCH PRESS
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CROSSTOWN ATHLETICS **COMBINE**

REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN:

Registration ends the Friday before the Combine at 3:00pm. Late registrations are not allowed. Athletes **MUST** register if they want to compete (link in bio).

Athletes must check in with the data entry volunteers before registering any attempts. Athletes will receive a number that must be displayed all week.

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Want an easy way to support Old Abe Athletics?

Just stop by and fill up with Gas at Hy-Vee Fast and Fresh, pump #4, 2308 E Clairemont Ave. 2 cents of each dollar spent will go towards MHS Athletics.

WWW.EAUCLAIREHMONGNEWYEAR.COM

2024-2025 EAU CLAIRE
HMONG NEW YEAR
OCT 26 - OCT 27
7AM - 5PM
THE SONNENTAG EVENT CENTER
1075 MENOMONIE ST. EAU CLAIRE, WI

\$7/PERSON
FREE (CHILDREN UNDER 16 YEARS OLD & SENIOR CITIZENS 65 YEARS+)

WHAT TO EXPECT

- LIVE MUSIC**
COMMUNITY PERFORMANCES
- FOOD**
AUTHENTIC VENDORS
- SHOPPING**
CRAFTS, TOYS, APPAREL & MORE
- CULTURAL EXHIBIT**
FASHION, CULTURE & HISTORY

COMPETITIONS

- DANCE**
1ST: \$2,000 / 2ND: \$1,000 / 3RD: \$500
*PRIZES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE IF LESS THAN 10 TEAMS REGISTER
- SINGING** SPONSORED BY 35K RECORDS
1ST: \$500 / 2ND: \$300 / 3RD: \$200
- TSHUAB QEEJ**
1ST: \$500 / 2ND: \$300 / 3RD: \$200

NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT
SAT. OCT 26TH
7PM - 12AM
\$25/PERSON

VICHAH CHENG & BAND
MUSIC • BEER • FOOD • DANCE

SPONSOR A TABLE
\$250 or \$500
FOR EXCLUSIVE PRIZES

PRESENTED BY:

SPONSORS & COMMUNITY SUPPORT:

CHRISTMAS
IN THE
Northwoods
CRAFT & VENDOR SALE

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 9TH 9AM-3PM
3600 NORTHWOODS LANE EAU CLAIRE, WI 54703

60+ local vendors
apothecary, art, crafts, home decor, gifts & much more
Raffle baskets
Bake sale

Memorial Highlights

Check out this great article from our new student newspaper, The Talon.



www.memorialtalon.wordpress.com

Introducing Women's Wrestling

by Sophia Thao

The sport of women's wrestling is growing steadily, and Eau Claire Memorial wants to build a community around it. Wrestling is a challenging sport which requires mental and physical skill, but with the memories and friendships you make, those sacrifices will make it worthwhile.

Anne Green, a student wrestler, said of the sport: "Immediately after I started wrestling I knew it was for me. I was in a community that valued hard work and respect, and everyone from state qualifiers to rookies were working together to help each other learn and grow. I was helped by so many amazing people at the beginning of my journey and I know the support from my friends and the team is going to make for a great year this year! I'm ready for some wins and I'm going to take it as far as I can!"

Open mats are at Memorial @5:30-6:30 PM on Mondays and Wednesdays in the wrestling room. Although not required, the opportunity is recommended for learning new skills before the season begins.

If you are interested in joining wrestling, you can attend the winter sports meeting on October 30th @5:30 PM, and text 715-577-0417 or 715-210-5578. OR message the women's wrestling page on instagram: @mhs_womenswrestling

Join us as we approach the 2024-2025 wrestling season. We look forward to seeing more girls in wrestling this year!