Dear MHS Parents & Guardians,

Happy Halloween!

We have so many wonderful accomplishments on our campus these days that it becomes difficult to keep track. Whether it is a scholarship that a student receives, a community project undertaken by a class, or a formal award, I am so proud of our students and teachers. Speaking of teachers and award, I want to share that Mr. Alf Bergesen has been selected as a Finalist for the UA Circle K Outstanding Secondary Teacher Award. This is quite a large honor in Southern Arizona, and Marana High students are lucky to have such a talented and committed teacher.

Our school is undertaking the process of revising our vision statement. Besides being a good practice to review a vision, this was one of the recommendations from AdvancEd, our accrediting body, after their visit last year.

The vision statement helps a school to look to the future about what the school should look like, feel like, focus on, and strive to achieve. To help us with this effort, I have linked a short Google Form to this email that will ask you three questions. The spaces for answers are limited to 140 characters because effective vision statements are short.

[CLICK HERE FOR FORM]

Thank you for completing the form and sharing your input about our vision.

Have a great week, and I look forward to seeing you on our campus.

Dr. David Mandel
Principal
Marana High School
Announcements

Bookstore

MHS has a new Bookstore Clerk, her name is Nancy Marchus. We are really excited about welcoming her to our school. Feel free to come by and introduce yourself to her.
CTE SPOTLIGHT
MHS Photo/Yearbook

At MHS we are very proud to offer a diverse array of CTE/JTED programs. The Integration of these programs throughout our curriculum is just one of the many opportunities for students that our comprehensive high school provides. Throughout the year we will be sharing glimpses into the programs with you.

Take a look at our Photo/Yearbook program…

Photography students learn how to create dynamic and unique photographs for both the artistic and professional settings. In the classroom, the students will utilize professional-grade equipment and cutting-edge image processing software for post production editing. Photography students will also create a professional portfolio for college or employment to showcase their strongest work. Students will work hands on with studio lighting and will learn how to print their photos on a professional wide format printer. Students completing the program will take a the Arizona State Photography test and will receive a certificate highlighting the photo standards they have mastered.

Our yearbook staff produces the largest publication on campus that records the written and pictorial history of our school. The yearbook team not only demonstrate creativity by capturing beautiful photographs, they also layout and design high quality work. The job requires tremendous responsibility, and working well in a team is a must. Our staff acquires skills with real world projects in page design, publishing techniques, photography, editing, problem solving, and time management. Our 2016 yearbook won a First Place award in the American Scholastic Press Association's annual yearbook competition. Our yearbook showed excellence in the fields of writing, photography and page design and is a great program to become a part of in your high school experience.
Mr. Alf Bergesen has been selected as a finalist for the 23rd annual Arizona Department of Intercollegiate Athletics and the Circle K Corporation “Outstanding High School Faculty Awards Program,” which honors outstanding high school teachers in Southern Arizona. Congratulations Mr. Bergesen!
10/31/16 MHS Career Center News

University of Arizona Representative
The University of Arizona Representative will be on campus 11/9/16 during 3rd period next Wednesday to help with applications and answer questions. Senior interested in attending U of A who have questions or have not yet applied should definitely sign up to attend. Seniors can sign up by stopping by the Career Center or emailing.

Arizona State University Representative
The Arizona State University Representative will be on campus 11/10/16 during II period next Thursday to help with applications and answer questions. Senior interested in attending ASU should definitely sign up to attend. Seniors can sign up by stopping by the Career Center or emailing me at kj.corner@maranausd.org.

SAT & ACT Sign up Deadlines
December is a great time for college bound juniors to take the SAT / ACT for the first time, and for seniors who need it, to get in one more try. The deadline to sign up for the December 3, SAT is November 3, and the deadline to sign up for the December 10, ACT is November 4. You can sign up online at http://www.collegeboard.org for the SAT, or http://www.actstudent.org for the ACT.

College & Career Calendar
There is a master calendar of scheduled college and career events for Marana High School and the community. You can access this document via the web at any time. Changes are made live on the internet so that parents and students who like to plan can keep track of upcoming opportunities. Please bookmark the College & Career Calendar and add it to your favorites to stay up to date regarding these great opportunities. Here are the College and Career Opportunities available this week:

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<td>December 3, 2016 Check in 11 am Portfolio Review 12pm-4pm</td>
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<td>Mesa Community College 1833 W Southern Ave Mesa, AZ 85202</td>
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**Text Alerts**

Please sign up to receive text alerts from Dr. Corner regarding scholarships, testing, college planning, career planning, etc. You can text @marana-cc to 81010 to get up to date information via text, and also follow him on twitter @Dr_KevinCorner.

**PBIS News**

Here is some news for our Freshman,

We are excited to announce a friendly competition! As you know, attendance is critical in achieving your academic success and future goals. Your teachers and administration have noticed the effort you are making becoming responsible, respectful, and safe TIGERS! At Marana, we want to recognize when our students are making positive choices for themselves and encouraging their peers to maintain a school we are proud to call our home!

The contest will have two opportunities to win.

- First, the FSA class that has the fewest referrals for the month of November.
- Second, the FSA class that has the highest attendance rate for the month of November.

Both FSA winning classes will be rewarded with a class party and several prizes.

Show your Tiger Pride and Good Luck!!
## ATTEND
Campus & Community Events

Visit us at [www.maranausd.org/mhs](http://www.maranausd.org/mhs)

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Marana Athletic Events

Friday, November 4th
MHS Varsity Football vs Kellis High School @ 7 pm (1st Round)

Friday, November 4th
Saturday, November 5th
MHS Swim at Skyline Aquatics, Phoenix @ 9:30 a.m.
ATHLETIC News

Our Winter sports season begins tryouts October 31, 2016 after school from 3:45-5:45 pm. You MUST have your complete athletic packet turned in to the Athletic Office prior to that date in order to tryout. This includes having a current physical on file. Please do not wait until the last minute to take care of this.

Athletes of the Week

Boys Golf: Coach Moreno says, "Jakob finished off the year with his two lowest scores of his career by shooting a 37 against Sunnyside and Desert View and then another 37 against Sunnyside again. Way to finish strong Jake."

Cross Country: Coach Atkins says, "Kyle Partin led the way for the MHS boys xc team at this past weekend's AIA sectional cross country meet. He improved his time by over 20 seconds on the course from two weeks ago. He comes prepared every practice and is always looking for ways to get better. We are excited to see what Kyle will do next weekend at the AIA State cross country meet."

Announcements

Congrats to the girls volleyball team who finished their season with 20 wins this year! Congrats also to the boys cross country team who qualified for State for the first time since 2004. Additionally, two athletes from the women's team have also qualified for State. Our girls golf state qualifiers tee off October 31 and our boys golf state qualifiers tee off next week in Phoenix. Our swim team has members from both the boys and girls squads who will be competing in Phoenix this weekend at the State tournament.

Lastly, our football team will be hosting Kellis High School for the first round of the state tournament on Friday, November 4. Come out at 7 pm and support the team.

The fall sports have done a tremendous job of setting the tone performance wise for all we hope to accomplish throughout the year and into the future. October 31 is the start of the basketball, soccer, and wrestling seasons. Best of luck to all athletes trying out to earn positions on these teams.
**AIA State Tournament Dates**

**Football:**

1<sup>st</sup> round: Nov 4 at High seed site  (Marana vs Kellis @ MHS @ 7 pm)

2<sup>nd</sup> round: Nov 10 at high seed site

Semis: Nov 18 (bracket determine site)

Final: Nov 26 (venue)

**Volleyball:**

1<sup>st</sup> round: Nov. 2 6:30 pm at high seed

2<sup>nd</sup> round: Nov 5 6 pm at high seed

Semis: Nov 8 5:15 and 7 pm at MDHS (Phx)

Final Nov 9 5:15 pm at Mesquite HS

**Golf (boys):**

Nov. 7 7:45 am at Grand Canyon University

Nov. 8 7:45 am at Grand Canyon University

Golf (girls):

October 31 8 am at Del Urich Golf Course

Nov 1 8 am at DGC

**Swim**

Nov 4 9:30 am Skyline Aquatics

Nov 5 9:30 Skyline

**XC**

Nov 5 1:30 pm Cave Creek Golf Course
NEW SPORTS ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

We have a new program we are implementing here at Marana High School. It is called REGISTERMYATHLETE.COM. This online program will allow parents to register their students for sports. Once you have registered, your update the following year will be significantly easier. **If you plan to participate in winter sports or thereafter, you must complete the online REGISTERMYATHLETE.COM process.** This is pertinent even if you have already turned in a packet to the athletic department. (If a physical is already on file from a packet being turned in, please complete the rest of the enrollment online and the physical portion will be cleared in the athletic office.) Thank you, and we hope this will expedite your enrollment process!
End of season parent meetings:

11/3 5:30-6 pm in library: girls golf
11/8 5:00-5:30 pm in library: swim
11/14 5:00-5:30 pm in library: boys golf
11/14 5:30-6:15 pm in library: volleyball
11/14 6:15-7 pm in library: cross country

Football: to be determined
Marana High School & Lady Tigers Basketball present the

2nd Annual

POLICE vs. TEACHERS

Fundraiser Basketball Game

Wednesday, November 9th

Doors open at 6:00pm
Tip off at 7:00pm
Marana High School
Tiger Pride Gym
12000 W. Emigh Road

Students: $3.00  Adults: $5.00

**NO PASSES, All proceeds to benefit the Lady Tiger Basketball Program

MHS PEP Band
And
MHS Cheerleaders!
Come and join the fun!!

Questions?
Email:
c.s.dozier@maranausd.org
Marana Dance Team Hosts...

Fall Dance Show
Thursday, Nov 10, 2016
7:00pm—MHS Auditorium

Celebrating Our Military Veterans

Come see Southern Arizona’s best dancers in:
JAZZ/LYRICAL
ROM
HIP HOP
BALLET
TAP
MUSICAL THEATER...and more!

Tickets On Sale Now!
$5/presale; $10/door; MHS Students $3.00

Food for Sale:

Contact: Cyndi Barnett (520)664-7402
to sign up your dance group or get tickets to attend.
Kindness is Key

Join us for Kindness is Key Day November 2\textsuperscript{nd} in the commons at lunch for:

- An art contest depicting messages of kindness
- Various booths hosted by clubs, local businesses and organizations where students can pledge to be safe, respectful and responsible at school and in the community.
- Tweets of kind messages.
- Performances by MHS choir and band.
- Opportunities to redeem prizes including t-shirts, anti-bullying wrist bands, cups and footballs etc.

Please wear blue in support of kindness on November 2\textsuperscript{nd}. We can’t wait to see you there!
MEN’S SOCCER TRY-OUTS

DATES:  10/31, 11/1, 11/2, and 11/3 (Mon-Thurs), teams announced on 11/4 (Friday morning).

TIME:  3:45pm to 5:45pm

LOCATION:  MHS Tiger Pride Field

Bring:  Soccer cleats, running shoes, shin guards, socks, 2 shirts (1 blue/1 white), soccer ball (if you have one), and water.

Requirements:  Physical package (to include: physical & AIA head concussion test), & transfer paperwork – if needed, and grade check. All paperwork must be turned into Mrs. Young in the AD’s office.

TIGER PRIDE!
The Big Green Event
Free Community Event
9am-3pm
Saturday, November 5, 2016
Crossroads Park in Marana
Cortaro / Silverbell Roads

Presented by the Marana Chamber of Commerce

Bring Books to Exchange and Help Set a New World Record!

- Fun For All Ages!
- Clean Out Your Closets and Offices:
  Bring your E-Waste, Paper Shred, and Gently Used Books!
- 6 Local Food Vendors Plus a Microbrew Beer Garden for the Adults!
- Scavenger Hunt/Nature Walk at 9 am!
- Three Bands and National Speakers!
- All-Day Kid’s Activities!
- People and Pet Wellness!
- Learn How to Save Money Going Green!
- Check out our Green Exhibitors!
- Recycled Fashion Show!

thebiggreenevent.com