

Daily Announcements

Friday, November 20, 2009



TODAY'S EVENTS:

| Event | Time | Location | Information |
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| Juniors! Do none of you think you can be Mr. Masco? | | Sign up in the House Offices C & D | Because as of now, none of you have signed up! Do you really want to give the title away to possibly a freshman? SIGN UP NOW in the House Offices if you think you have Mr. Masco potential |
| Attention Model UN Team: Harvard Delegates | By this afternoon | Mr. Magner or Ms. Noon | Remember to turn in your security waiver forms to Ms. Noon or Mr. Magner by this afternoon! The forms need to be mailed out ASAP! |
| All night dance marathon- TONIGHT Support your class | | Tickets sold during lunch today | Tickets are \$5.00 and will be sold in front of the café at lunch Friday. Come and dance from 7pm – 10 pm |
| Available at the Masco Variety are the “junior” and “senior” eye blacks for the junior and senior powder puff footballers! Hurry on down and get yours! | | Masco Variety | |
| To support the scholarship fund in Mike Doherty's name, | | | Please stop at the table in the link during A and B lunches or see Lauren Vorwald or Abbey Casey! |

[See below for TODAY's SPORTS Announcements](#)

SPORTS:

With the exception of the football lockers, all boys' lockers have been cleaned out.
Please see Mr. Scarpaci or Mr. Hartan for any items that you had left behind in your locker.

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| Coming up soon is the annual Thanksgiving Day Football game. Tickets will be on sale at the Athletic Office in advance | Tickets will be on sale – Mon/Tues Tickets sales on Wed. | 11:00 am- 3:00 pm 10:00 - 11:30 am | Tickets are at the Athletic Office | Tickets will be available for \$3 for students and \$5 for adults during this time. HOWEVER, the price for tickets at the gate on Thanksgiving will be raised to \$5 for students and \$7 for adults. |
| Attention all swimmers. | | | | Remember to get your winter registration forms turned in as soon as possible. Also, you can purchase your swim suits and other apparel on the website at: mascoswimstuff.com |
| Attn: Snow Board Members – We still need more members! | | | Email: rlagana@mascoswimstuff.com | Once we have 25 members we will go to Waterville Valley Deadline: Nov. 25 – Day before Thanksgiving break |

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| | | | | Ticket Cost - \$130/per person Covers 5 trips Cost of Coach Bus: TBA Dates: After Holiday December Vacation |
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It is imperative that you lock up all belongings in your locker—

DO NOT leave any clothes, backpacks, or any other possessions in the locker room unless they are locked in a locker.

Take care of your possessions --- there are thieves out there!!

Anyone with information regarding thefts should see Mr. Delani (Hs. B) or Mr. Czarnecki (Hs. D)

Do you have a question about life in or out of Masco that you just don't feel comfortable asking an adult? Would you like an honest answer from your peers? Then submit your anonymous question to the Dear Masco box located in the Guidance Office, and members of the Tri-Town Council Student Board will answer them ASAP during weekly meetings. Start submitting questions now!

SENIORS

Attention Seniors! **JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAYS, YOU CAN ORDER AN EXCLUSIVE "MASCO SENIORS" HOODED SWEATSHIRT FOR ONLY \$35. THESE SWEATSHIRTS ARE AVAILABLE BY ORDER ONLY THROUGH THE MASCO VARIETY. ORDER FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN YOUR HOMEROOM, THE HOUSE B AND D OFFICES AND AT THE MASCO VARIETY. BUT HURRY - DEADLINE FOR ORDERS IS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30**

THERE ARE LOTS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES OUT THERE FOR YOU!

Seniors, it's already time to start working on those community service hours to get your transcript up to date before it is printed with an incomplete on it and sent off to colleges.

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| Attention Seniors: The AFL-CIO scholarship test will be given to any interested students – You must sign up | Test takes place on Wed., Feb. 3 | | You must sign up with Mrs. Simi in the Guidance Office no later than Monday, Dec. 14, 2009. | If you are interested in taking this test, If you don't sign up, you won't be able to take the test. |
| Attention Seniors! Are you interested in participating in an all-night dance marathon? | Nov. 20 – Nov. 21 | 6:00 pm to 6:00 am | | Tri-town Council will be hosting a marathon from 6pm to 6am Nov. 20 to Nov. 21. The Senior class is looking for 25 couples. Each couple must raise \$75 for charity. Sign up in Senor Pierce's room 303. |

GENERAL:

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| Poetry Out Loud | Mon., Nov. 23 | After school | Room 326 | Poetry Out Loud is a national poetry recitation contest. Competition begins at the classroom level and proceeds all the way to nationals. The national winner receives a \$20,000 scholarship! Even if your English class is not participating in the competition, you can still compete. Ms. Murphy is holding a contest in room 326 after school on Monday, November 23. The winner from this contest will go on to compete at the school contest on December 3. If you think you have what it takes to be a poetry superstar, sign up this week in room 326 and then memorize one poem from the Poetry Out Loud website, www.poetryoutloud.org . |
| Attention all students taking part in the | Mon., Nov. 23 | 2:30 pm | Rm. 320 | |

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| New York trip in December. – Important | | | | |
| WBMT Meeting | Tues., Nov. 24 | Immed. after school | Small Cafe | Attendance is mandatory. |

The Library is open after-school until 4:00 pm Monday through Thursday, and until 3:00 on Friday



ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB REMINDERS: Hey Masco! We all know you love your bubblers, but there is now a water purifier in both dining halls, where you can get **FREE** purified water! So walk, don't run, with your water bottles to get some during lunch!

Attention all students! The Environmental Club would like to bring to your attention the fact that trash is ending up in the bottle and can recycling bins! The bins that say recycling with the wooden tops are for BOTTLES AND CANS ONLY! Please be responsible and put your trash, bottles and cans in the appropriate bin The Environmental Club would like to encourage the use of the paper and plastic recycle boxes found in the classrooms. Also, please use the bottle bins in the cafeteria for all your bottles and cans

LOST AND FOUND:



A gold necklace was found on Nov. 3 – see the main office

Zip Drive has been found ---- see the main office

A set of keys found – see the main office

A Silver Bracelet found ---- see the main office

A Silver ring found - see the main office

Necklace found – macramé –see the main office to claim

Lost – Ring with two stones/yellow & green – If found bring to main office

Found – Bracelet on Tues., Oct. 13– See House C if you have lost a bracelet

If you have lost an item, check with the house offices, main office, athletics and the cafeteria

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

See Ms. LaRosa for Community Service Hours and Questions

Important: Please be aware that community service hours must be performed after school hours or during lunch in order to count for community service.

Important: If you are doing community service hours, they can only be counted for school credit if the hours are through a non-profit agency. Beware of giving your time to a “for profit” agency.

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| Boxford will be hosting the Holiday Breakfast! | Sat., Dec. 5 | 7:30 am-12:00 pm | Your help is needed to run the moon bounces, be an elf and help kids take their pictures with Santa, and to serve pancakes! If you are interested email Debbie Adam at deb.adam@verizon.net! |
| The West Boxford Winter festival. | Friday, Dec. 4 & | | Your help is needed after school on Friday, December 4 th setting up |

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| | Sat., Dec. 5 | | <p>tables, posting notices about parking, decorating and posting information around town.</p> <p>On Saturday, help is needed from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. to help with the lines for the horse drawn carriage ride around the village. Help is also needed after the festival at 3:30 to take down decorations, put away tables and take down signs. Any help would be greatly appreciated!</p> |
| Volunteers are needed for a swim program at the Aquatic Therapy of New England Center in Ipswich | The Programs are on Fridays – | 5:00-6:00 pm | For children ages 3 -7. Volunteers will need to be in the water helping with the lessons. The program began Friday, Sept 11th., but we would be happy to have a volunteer start whenever they can |
| Volunteer opportunities in the First Steps child care Center in Danvers | | | There are several different classrooms...an infant room, two Toddler rooms and 2 pre-school classes. This is a great after-school volunteer opportunity |
| Join Masco's Mentoring Program where High School students are given the opportunity to mentor Middle School students. | Tuesday's and Thursday's | 2:15-2:53pm | Help Middle School students with homework, shoot hoops, or just hang out! The program will run on from, commit to one day or both, your choice. High School students will earn community service hours for their time and involvement. This also looks great on resumes and college applications. If interested come see Ms. Gould in room 202 or Ms. Barlow in room 204. |
| Are you are interested in shoveling snow for senior citizens in your neighborhood this winter? | Informational meeting for Masco's helping hands program afterschool on this Thursday. | | Contact Katie Gikas or Ms. Markos for more information! |