

MSMHS FISH TALES



that are true from the desk of Dr. Spera

Week of December 8, 2014

Sydney Avena Wins Gator's Got Talent & Student of the Month

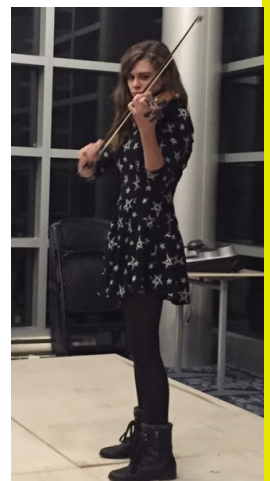


GROTON, CT - Two awards in one week! Last Friday, with over 200 people in attendance for the 2nd Annual Gator's Got Talent, Sydney Avena put all those in attendance in utter silence and awe throughout her violin performance. Her performance of "Czárdas" was done without any sheet music in front of her. Moreover, her winning performance was still being talked about throughout the halls and cafeteria tables today.

In addition to her masterful performance, Sydney Avena, *East Lyme*, is a high honor roll student who is a member of the Student Council and Unity Club. She is currently taking a rigorous class schedule including UConn ECE Maritime History. Sydney also participates in crew for East Lyme High School in the Spring.

A few weeks ago, Sydney competed against the region's best for a seat with the Eastern Region Orchestra. Her performance in auditions placed her in one of the top seats and qualified her for the prestigious All-State competition. The Eastern Region Orchestra will perform at the University of Connecticut in January. Congrats to Sydney!

Congrats to Mary Gregory (back-up dancers Maggy Walrath & Emily Gilot) and Eric 'Cocoa Bean Flow' Nardone for their 2nd and 3rd place finishes.



MSMHS Gear is Here for the Holidays

Official MSMHS gear is now available for immediate purchase in the main office.



- Long Sleeve MSMHS Flags
- 1/4 Zip Sweatshirts
- Ralph Lauren Rugby Shirts
- Navy MSMHS Sweatshirts
- MSMHS Family T-Shirts
- MSMHS Bumper Stickers
- MSMSH Lanyards
- Spirit Jerseys (*coming!*)

Stop by the main office before these items are gone!

MID-TERMS BEGIN NEXT WEDNESDAY

Mid-term exams begin on Wednesday, December 17 through the 22nd with make-ups or snow days scheduled for Tuesday, December 23rd. Each day, students will take 2 exams with lunch served at 11:50 am. In the case of a cancelation on 12/17 or 12/18, three exams will be administered the for the remaining testing days. This allows Tuesday, 12/23 as a make-up day for snow days on the 12/19, 12/22 or for student absences. Start studying students!!

Wednesday, December 17	Thursday, December 18	Friday, December 19	Monday, December 22
Periods 1 & 2	Periods 3 & 4	Periods 5 & 6	Periods 7 & 8



UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS

A/B SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 8th

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
B Day	A Day/ Advisory	B Day	A Day	B Day/ Advisory

NEASC Meetings - Wednesday, December 17 @ 2:15

Next PTO Meeting: Spelling Bee Planning Meeting
Tuesday, January 6th @ 6:30 pm in the Great Hall
SPELLING TEAMS & SPONSORS ARE NEEDED!

Remaining Project O Boat Trips for 2014

December 9th Trip: **CANCELED DUE TO WEATHER**

JUNIOR CLASS FUNDRAISER

Candy Grams - \$1 being sold in the café this week