# **MSMHS FISH TALES**



that are true from the desk of Dr. Spera

Week of February 24, 2014

# **MSMHS Sophomore Daric Johnson Wins State Championship**



Daric Johnson wrestles down the student from Foran during the 220 lb. Championship Match (picture taken by Tim Cook/The Day).

MILFORD, CT - This Saturday, MSMHS sophomore Daric Johnson, Ledyard, became the Class M 220 State Champion beating the top-seeded wrestler from Foran High School. In addition to being named State Champion, Daric's win propelled Ledyard to their 20th state wrestling title!

Daric was the number 6 seeded wrestling entering the state tournament before winning all of his matches on Saturday. After winning his championship match, Daric ran over to hug his parents and grandparents who were in attendance.

Daric said that at the beginning of the season, his coach told him that if he worked hard, he could be a state champion. Daric didn't think it was possible.

Well Daric, it is possible! You proved that effort creates ability. Well done Champ! We're proud of you!

# Maggie Walrath January Student of the Month



GROTON, CT - Those who know MSMHS sophomore Maggie Walrath know her as a hard working, intelligent, and caring student. Maggie is a wonderful student who exemplifies the meaning of effort creates ability.

Maggie is admired by her peers and teachers. In addition to being a six-time high honor roll student who is enrolled in honors level courses along with the University of Connecticut ECE course, Maritime History, Maggie participates in

interscholastic athletics for Fitch High School. Maggie is also a member of the MSMHS Interact Club which affiliated with the International Rotary Club. Congrats to Maggie!!

#### **MSMHS Dance Team Performance Tops in the State**



Hamden, CT - The MSMHS Dance Team are now officially known by those in the field of CT dance. The team comprised of a multitude of dancing experience finished 3rd in overall performance in the Small Hip-Hop Division. In just their first State Championship

appearance, the team proved that they belong amongst the state's best. Congrats to the entire team!



#### **UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS**

### A/B SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 24th

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

#### WE NEED SPELLING BEE TEAMS!!!

We need teams for the upcoming PTO Spelling Bee.

For \$100, (\$33.33 a person) you and two others could dress up and participate with other parent teams for the Battle of the Parents.

Awards for the event are given for best team name, best costume, most spirit and best speller. Please sign up today!!

## FIND OUT ABOUT DELAYS OR CLOSURES 1ST!

Did you know that MSMHS calls NBC30 before sending out the SperaGram messages?

Be sure to sign-up for NBC30 Early Weather Alerts