

MSMHS FISH TALES



that are true from the desk of Dr. Spera

Week of February 9, 2015

Maggy Walrath Selected for Governor's Scholars Award Program



GROTON, CT - Maggy Walrath has been named a nominee for the Connecticut Association of Schools Governor's Scholars Award. The award is given to the top 80+ juniors in Connecticut based upon class rank and PSAT scores from this past Fall. Maggy will have an opportunity to become a finalist where she will be invited to attend the Governor's Scholars awards presentation, receive a plaque and have the opportunity to enrich her studies on a college campus before graduating.

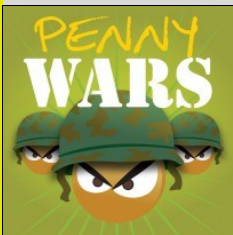
The junior from Mystic, is the secretary of the junior class and is an active member of the Interact Club, Music Club, and Dungeons and Dragons Club at MSMHS. In the Fall, she is an accomplished varsity swimmer for Fitch High School.

With all of the effort that Maggy puts into her co-curricular activities, she still gets it done in the classroom. Maggy ranks first in her class with a 4.35 GPA. In addition, Maggy scored higher than 95% of all juniors in the United States and finished tops at MSMHS. She has made high honors every quarter at MSMHS and is taking a rigorous course load of AP/ECE US History, AP/ECE Literature, AP Chemistry, and ECE Marine Science. Previous semi-finalists from MSMHS include Abby Plungis, 2013 and Kate Green, 2014.

Congrats and good luck to Maggy!



Penny Wars for Charity On Hold Until Mid-March



With the number of cancelled and delayed school days, the Interact Club has decided to postpone Penny Wars until mid-March. The collaboration with the Student Council, Penny wars will be held in mid-March during the next MSMHS Spirit Week.

All donated monies up to this point will remain in the jars of the classes. Currently, it looks as if the Juniors are in first place with the Seniors and Freshmen battling for the opportunity to sing classic love songs to the school.

Newfield Places 6th at Novice Tournament



Freshman Luke Newfield, *Clinton*, is having great success in his first year fencing. This Saturday, Luke placed 6th at the 1st Annual Inigo Montoya Novice Fencing Invitational held at Waterford High School. Over 100 fencers from the region competed in this one day tournament.

Freshmen Olivia Gonzalez and Chris Currie finished 13th and 16th respectively for MSMHS.

The next Varsity Fencing meet will be on Friday, February 20th at 5:30 pm at MSMHS. Our senior fencers will be honored this evening for their commitment and excellence.



UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS

A/B SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 9th

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

PTO Meeting Postponed to Feb 24th

Tuesday, February 24th @ 6:30 pm in the Great Hall
PTO Social from 6 to 6:30 pm

SPELLING TEAMS & SPONSORS ARE NEEDED!

4th Annual PTO Spelling Bee

Friday, April 24, 2015

Featuring Host George Colli, NBC30 Reporter

School Improvement Committee Meetings

Parent Committee on February 24th @ 5 pm

Student Committee on February 25th @ 7:30 am

Applebees Fund Raiser in Groton, CT

Saturday, February 14th

Tickets \$7 each - 7 to 10 am