

MSMHS FISH TALES



that are true from the desk of Dr. Spera

Week of May 9, 2016

Emily Powell Named President and Student of the Month



GROTON, CT - At today's Great Hall meeting, Emily Powell, *Mystic*, was named the MSMHS Student of the Month. Emily excels in the classroom at the highest level making High Honors and ranking in the top tier of her class with a GPA above a 4.0. Throughout her career at MSMHS, she has taken the most rigorous schedule possible each year including this year's selection of: AP/ECE Environmental, AP/ECE English Language & Composition, AP/ECE US History and UConn Marine Science. She is an incredibly hard worker who is respected by the entire faculty and student body.

Emily is the current treasurer of the MSMHS Student Council and serves as a major contributor on the Executive Council. Yesterday, the Principal Advisory Council comprised of twelve teachers appointed Emily as the 3rd Student Council President in school history. Furthermore, Emily will be inducted as a member of the National Honor Society at the NHS Induction Ceremony on Wednesday, May 18th at 6 pm. Emily is a member of the Peer Mediation Team, Student School Improvement Committee, Crew Team, and Fitch Varsity Swim Team. A few weeks ago, Emily lead the organization and implementation of the New Student and Family Orientation to our next year students and parents. Moreover, Emily has been a leader for the open house tours at MSMHS.

Emily is looking to attend a top ranked college after MSMHS such as: Georgetown University, Boston College, and University of Southern California. Congrats Ms. President!

2016 PTO Spelling Bee Raises Over \$12,500



A few Fridays ago, the Great Hall of MSMHS was filled with energy and excitement for the 5th Annual PTO Spelling Bee. Over 200 MSMHS Family members joined together for some great food, tremendous prizes, and lots of laughs!

The PTO raised over \$12,500 beating last year's record by \$2,000! Each year the PTO uses the monies raised at the Spelling Bee to support MSMHS programs and initiatives, college scholarships, and MSMHS families in need. A big thank you to all of the MSMHS parents, students and faculty members who volunteered their time to transform the Great Hall into a tremendous environment that was impressive to all who attended. Thank you all for a great bee!

Hendrik Khoury Named Northeast Pitcher of the Week



Junior Hendrik Khoury is having a tremendous baseball season at Fitch High School. He ranked #1 in the state for batting average and is one of the top pitchers in Southeastern Connecticut. A few weeks ago, Hendrik was named the USA Baseball/MaxPreps Northeast Pitcher of the Week. Khoury pitched a complete game win while striking out 11 batters faced! Congrats!



UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS

A/B SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 10th

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

MSMHS PROM

Friday, May 20, 2016 at Water's Edge Resort

MSMHS GRADUATION

*Thursday, June 9, 2016
6 pm at UConn Avery Point*

American Red Cross Blood Drive

*Wednesday, May 25, 2016
Call the Main Office to Sign Up*

AP & ECE SIGN-UP NIGHT

*June 1, 2016 at 6 pm
Mandatory Meeting for all Families of a Student
Taking an AP or ECE Course Next School Year*