



FISH TALES



September 16, 2022

Divine and Fortune Adekoya Recipients of MLK Scholarship



Divine and Fortune Adekoya, *New London*, are both recipients of this year's Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship. MSMHS is thrilled to celebrate these two amazing and talented seniors. The MLK Scholarship awards \$20,000 to the recipients over a 4 year period while the scholars remain in college. Both Divine and Fortune are looking to attend college in Connecticut next year. Divine will be pursuing a career in the medical field and Fortune intends to study aerospace engineering. MLK Scholars are chosen through a selection process designed to measure dedication to learning as well as an understanding of Dr. King's mission. The Adekoya brothers were informed of this honor during a zoom call with the MLK Trust Fund President and Board members. Divine and Fortune will be honored as Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Scholars at a special dinner ceremony at the Mystic Marriot on October 20th. Congratulations to them both!

I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin, but by the content of their character.
- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

MSMHS Goes to MANCA

This past weekend, aquaculture teachers Mr. Litvinoff and Mr. Guyot along with Ms. Amatruo and alumni aqua intern Eli LaChapelle, *class of 2017*, represented MSMHS at the Marine Aquarium Conference of North America (MACNA) in Milwaukee, WI. This national conference brings together industry professionals, hobbyists, and research scientists to work together to promote the aquarium industry. MSMHS had a vendor booth that allowed our staff to meet people from around the world and share marine science knowledge. Our school was also invited to participate in an aquaculture education panel that focused on promoting aquaculture and sustainability in K-12 environments. This experience will benefit MSMHS in a multitude of ways and we are excited to see how Mr. Guyot and Mr. Litvinoff take their new knowledge and help our students take our aquaculture lab to the next level.



UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS



MSMHS After School Clubs

Start Sept 19th

Back to School Night

Sept 22nd 6:00pm @ MSMHS

Financial Aid Presentation

Sept 29th 6-8pm @ MSMHS

PTO Family Fun Night—Amazing Race

Sept 30th 5-7pm @ MSMHS

Picture Day

Oct 3rd

Next PTO Meeting

Oct 4th at 6:00pm @ MSMHS

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