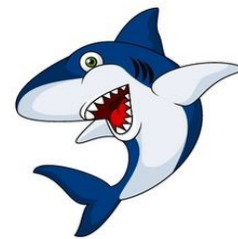


MSMHS FISH TALES



that are true from the desk of Dr. Spera

Week of January 14, 2019

Dana Goettler Selected for Governor's Scholars Award



GROTON, CT - Dana Goettler, *East Lyme*, 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, grades, course selection, and PSAT scores from this past Fall. Dana will have an opportunity to become a finalist where she will 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 East Lyme, scored in the 99th percentile amongst all PSAT takers in the United States. Moreover, she finished in the 99th percentile in the nation for reading and writing and 99% with a perfect score in mathematics. With her PSAT score of 1490 combined she becomes the 7th student in MSMHS history to receive the Governor's Scholars Award. Moreover, Dana will find out shortly if she is a National Merit Scholarship winner.

With all of the effort that Dana puts into her studies, it is no wonder that she ranks tops in her class with a GPA well over a 4.0. She has made high honors every quarter at MSMHS and is taking a rigorous course load of Pre-Calculus Honors, AP/ECE Literature & Composition, AP/ECE History, AP Chemistry, ECE Marine Science, and AP Statistics. Dana joins some incredible alums from past classes including senior Fiona LeMay, Maria Grillo, and Kate Green. Congrats and good luck to Dana on becoming our first-ever finalist!

Stephanie Weber Named December SOM



Junior Stephanie Weber was named the December 2018 Student of the Month. Stephanie is involved in a plethora of clubs and activities at MSMHS. Stephanie is a member of the Principal Advisory Committee, Interact Club, Varsity Debate Team, Newspaper Club, and Yearbook Club. In addition, Stephanie is a member of the Varsity Girl's Foil Team at MSMHS where she recently earned the number 2 position on the team. Stephanie also returns to Stonington High School in the spring where she competes in Varsity Doubles for the tennis team. All of these activities give Stephanie

an outstanding chance of acceptance into the National Honor Society this spring. She makes high honors every quarter with a rigorous course load that includes: AP/ECE US History, AP Literature & Composition, AP Computer Science Principles, ECE Horticulture & Design and ECE Marine Science. Congratulations to Stephanie!

MSMHS Blood Drive - Wednesday, January 23



American Red Cross

Wednesday, January 23rd from 8:30 to 1 pm, MSMHS will host the 1st blood drive of the 2019 calendar year. The American Red Cross is in a shortage and needs donations during these winter months. As an incentive, blood donors may receive a \$5 Dunkin' Donuts Gift Card (while supplies last) and will enjoy a food items at the canteen. If you are interested in saving a life and giving blood, please call Mrs. Alvarez at 860-446-9380 to schedule an appointment.

UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS



A/B SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 14th

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

Check the website for times and dates when all of the MSMHS Clubs and Teams meet. Get involved!

NEXT PTO MEETING

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23rd AT 6:30 PM

Upcoming Varsity MSMHS Fencing Meets

Wednesday, January 16 – Home vs. Old Lyme, 5 pm

Next American Red Cross Blood Drive

Wednesday, January 23 - 8 am to 1 pm

MSMHS Simulator Room - By Appointment



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