

#### MHS SOCCER ENDS SEASON WITH LONG-SOUGHT DISTRICT TITLE

Written by guest writer Ben Schlaff

Although losing a hard-fought battle in last night's Regional Semi-Final, Manistee boys soccer can hold their head high. For the first time in nearly 15 years, they are District Champs, after defeating Hart in the District final last Wednesday.

Both teams entered the finals with respectable records, with Hart at 13-6-2 and Manistee at 15-3. Hart and Manistee met earlier in the season in conference play. Manistee came back from a 0-2 deficit to win 3-2.





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Going into halftime on Wednesday, Manistee found themselves down 0-1. That wouldn't last long, however. 12 minutes into the 2nd half, a penalty kick from Luke Smith (11) leveled the game out. Manistee struck again 4 minutes later when Gres Mandeli (12) scored on a rebound off of a corner kick. With around 11 minutes remaining, Hart knotted the score again with a shot from outside. Again, Hart's lead would not last long as Jacob Scharp (11) netted the game winning goal less than a minute later. The Chippewas were able to keep their lead for the last 10 minutes to win the game 3-2.



#### **SPORTS CONTINUED**

#### SOCCER CONTINUED

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This win was special for more than one reason. This was the first time Chippewa soccer brought home a district trophy since 2008. "It really means a lot to be able to win with this group of guys," remarked **Will Somsel (11)** when asked about the win.

The Chippewas ended their season 16-3 and a 9-game winning streak. What a great end to a great season. They bid farewell to Seniors **Ben Schlaff, Ethan Edmondson, Jared Wright, Johannes Reuting, Rafael Gonçalves, Henrique Stancioli, Yann Robin,** and **Gres Mandelli.** 



#### SENIOR WREATHS

The senior grad bash is selling beautiful wreathes, just in time for the holidays. They are 25 dollars and are a perfect addition to any home! **To purchase one, contact any senior** 

# STUDENT LIFE

#### MANISTEE MIDDLE/HIGH HALLOWEEN CONCERT!

Written by Jaz Madsen

To celebrate Halloween, the Manistee bands grades 6-12 had their first concert of the year! The sixth grade kicked it off with "Embark", "Count Trickula", and "Cardiff Castle".

Following the 7th grade was a stunning duet performed by seniors **Lola Piper (12)** on the violin and **Emily Sullivan (12)** on the piano. Finishing the middle school portion of the concert was the 8th grade with "Starfire Fanfare", "El Relicario", and "Dr. Rockenstein".

The high school band came in strong with a song titled "Danse Bohemian" featuring **Sarah Huber (10)** on Mallets. Next they slowed it down with "Annabel Lee", which featured **Cady Brown (10)** on the flute. They then sped it back up with one we all know and love, "Phantom Of The Opera". This song featured many students including seniors **Brenna Lind (Flute)** and **Jazlyn Madsen (Baritone)**. "Bald Mountain", conducted by senior **Tug Thummel (12)**, was the last song of the concert, leaving the audience wanting more.

Excellent concert everybody!



#### WHERE'S WALDO?

Hidden somewhere in this edition of the Chippewa Hereld is an image of Waldo. If you find him, send a screenshot to 23judlau@manistee.org to have your name in next weeks paper!

#### STUDENT LIFE CONTINUTED

#### WALKING TO SCHOOL - CHANGING YOUR LIFE ONE STEP AT A TIME

Written by Dylan Madsen

Walking to school may seem below most people, especially when they have cars of their own, but this doesn't have to be the case as there are many benefits to walking.

I mean, just think about how much gas your car or truck uses. Walking, on the other hand, is completely free. Not only that, the mornings are one of the most beautiful times of day (thanks to the beautiful sunrises rivaled only by our beautiful sunsets). Still, these get unnoticed if you are preoccupied with driving. Walking is calmer, allowing you to soak up the beauty of the morning.

Other than it being beautiful, walking is a lot healthier than driving a car. According to the *CDC*, walking can help you not only lose weight but also causes you to live longer and have a lower risk for heart disease, stroke, diabetes, depression, and even some cancers! On top of all that, it can also increase your natural energy levels and boosts creativity. This means in one morning walk you could think of an A+ paper topic for Joseph while also getting the energy boost needed to get through his class without passing out!

With benefits like these, it's hard to imagine why more people don't walk to school. I know it isn't always an option for some people, but if you can, I highly suggest you give it a try, even once. However, with winter quickly approaching, how long I continue to walk is a toss-up.



#### **NEW TEACHER HIGHLIGHT : CHRIS ELDRIDGE**

Written by Lauren Judkins

Students who pass by the Middle School hallway have probably seen Mr.Eldridge sitting in his glass office in the 6th grade hallway. We intervied him to get to know him better as he is a new staff member this year.





- Q. How did you start working at MMHS, and what did you do before?
- A. I was asked by a friend to consider working with the school in a new position. I currently own a business, with a business partner, based out of Ludington called Northern Clinical and Diagnostic Associates. We provide psychological evaluations in multiple counties through the middle and upper part of Michigan for Individuals, Community Mental Health Centers, Courts, and The Department of Health and Human Services. We also work with various law enforcement agencies in West Michigan and provide counseling services out of our Ludington and Mansitee offices.
- Q. Have you enjoyed working at MMHS?
- A. I absolutely love working with the students, teachers, and staff of MMHS and find it a real privilege!
- **Q**. What do you do at MMHS?
- A. My position here is as a Behavioral Consultant. I have the privilege of working with students and helping them with various issues, providing assistance to their families, supporting teachers and staff, and working with Mentors.
- **Q.** Any fun facts or something you want the school to know about you?
- A. I was born and raised in "the Natural State", Arkansas. I was also a page in the Arkansas Senate when Bill Clinton was Governor of Arkansas.



#### **PUTTING THE "PEP" IN PEP-BAND**

#### Written by Tug Thuemmel

The Manistee Marching Band is a long-running tradition that shows no sign of slowing down. The marching band does everything from parade marching to playing tunes in the bleachers, and even sendoffs. Practice for the marching band started on August 25th, ending with their final performance at the Manistee vs Montague football game on October 14th. Throughout this time many students showed dedication to the band and helped their section be the best it could possibly be.

Vincent Wang (11) did a great job helping the freshmen Mellophones through their first year in the marching band. Another honorable mention is **Gavin Yeager** (11), who made sure the Trumpets were loud and proud. Finally, Junior Drum Major **Annika Arendt (11)** stepped up to the plate when the band needed someone to conduct. She will also fill the role of Senior Drum Major in the next marching band season.

#### We asked a few students for their favorite marching band experience this year...

"Being able to still enjoy the game while playing" -Drew Mendians (11)

"Having the student section, band, and cheerleaders all by each other" -Ben Schlaff (12)

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"The first touchdown at the homecoming game, when we scored in the first 15 seconds" -Lena Herberger (19)





#### **STUDENT LIFE CONTINUTED**

#### "PEP" BAND CONTINUED

Written by Tug Thuemmel

### **PIT THEMES RECAP**



PIT THEME: NEON 9/9/22

PIT THEME: FRAT BOY 9/16/22





PIT THEME: BLUE AND GOLD 10/7/22

#### **STUDENT LIFE CONTINUTED**

#### **STUDENTS OR TEACHERS?**

Written by Cecil Postma



High School students walk the hallways of MHS every day, but three individuals can be seen as teachers in the halls of Jefferson or MMS. **Kaleb Shoemate (11), Kateri Ceplina (11),** and **Brandon Sullivan (12)** are a part of West Shore Community College's Educator Academy. This means they get to spend an hour or more of their day in an elementary classroom as an assistant teacher.

While they all mentioned that they love the relationships they build with the kids, this is still an assigned class for them. There are assignments, weekly check-ins, and even tests, all about the skills of becoming an educator. Despite the workload, the 9-week hands-on experience of assistant teaching seems to be worth it! To gain some insight into the WSCC Educator Academy program we asked the three of them questions: **Brandon**:

- Brandon works with Ms. Huber in her 6th-grade classroom. This is his second year in the program and he was lucky enough to move up a grade with the kids so he has continued connections with his students.
- He helps the students with daily homework, small group reading, and tasks to lessen Ms. Huber's workload.
- Brandon's students refer to him as Mr. Brandon.

#### Kateri:

- **Q** Who is your host teacher and what grade?
- A- Mrs. Slawinski is my host teacher; she teaches kindergarten.
- **Q-** What does a regular day in the classroom look like for you?
- A- On a typical day in the classroom, I assist the students with breakfast and get them ready for the day. I generally then take the children to the back table for one-one learning.
- **Q-** What do the kids call you?
- A- The students refer to me as Ms. Kateri or Ms. K.



#### **STUDENTS OR TEACHERS CONTINUED**

Written by Cecil Postma

#### Kaleb:

- Kaleb's host teacher is Mrs. Vein, in a kindergarten class.
- Kaleb appreciates that he teaches the first-hour class so he doesn't have to do too much driving back and forth. When he gets to Jefferson in the morning he helps the kids open up their breakfast and then assists with small group learning.
- Kaleb's students call him Mr. Kaleb, which he adores.

#### NEW TABLES!

#### Written by Lauren Judkins

Every student is buzzing about the new tables in the Commons. These tables are nothing like circular tables and chairs that stay in the commons all day long. These tables resemble classic lunch tables. They are bigger and longer with benches built into them. They are only out at lunch on one side, while the other side has the circular tables all day long for lunch and students with online or independent classes. **Mr.Huber** explained the reason for the change:

"This isn't a reaction to anything students were doing wrong," he wrote, but managing the chairs has always been challenging for our custodial staff for two reasons." He cites that many studnets move the chairs to sit in bigger groups, and these tables already accommodate that. Secondly, the new tables allow for easier clean up. Huber wrote, "Not only is it much faster to wipe down the long table and benches, it's easier to spot mop without so many chair legs in the way, and finally the ability to fold and move the attached seating tables makes it much quicker to machine wash the floor."







## GOLDEN STATE

#### THE WARRIORS: REPEAT GREATNESS

Written by guest writer Mason Gunnett

Golden State Warriors have been champion 7 times in the past 10 years. This year isn't going to be any different.

I believe that for many reasons like last year they beat the Boston Celtics easily. Now this year they have James Wiseman. In my opinion, he's a very big part he can shoot, he's a big man and he can do everything they need him to do.

Another big part of the team is Jordan Pool. I feel like he's the next big playmaker in the league. Pool averaged 13.7 potins-- that's all they need him to get when they have Steph Curry on the team.

Golden State had a lot of injuries last couple of years, but this year they are 99% healthy. This year they have one player that's out and that is Andre Iguodala. He's a part of the team but in my opinion, they don't need him that bad.

So that's why I feel like the year isn't going to be any different. The Golden State Warriors shouldnt have any issue with this season if they all stay healthy. They just need to keep their heads in the game every time they play.





#### **UPCOMING CONCERTS FOR ALL**

Written by guest writer Cameron Mitchell

Going to a concert can be one of the most exhilarating experiences of a lifetime. Whether it's a hard rock concert, a country concert, or even a polka number, you're sure to be pleased with what you hear. The sounds, ambiance, and people just make for the perfect good time. If you're interested in attending something of the sorts, here's a couple good options coming up soon.

For you orchestra/rock lovers, The Trans-Siberian Orchestra is performing their "The Ghost of Christmas Eve" show in **Grand Rapids at the Van Andel** 

Arena on December 4th.

(TSO Tickets Here)

Now possibly you don't like orchestral pieces. That's alright! There's plenty more opportunities for all music listeners alike. For instance, on November 21st, bbno\$ and Yung Gravy, two rap prodigies, are performing in **Detroit at The Fillmore** for their "Baby Gravy" tour <u>(Baby Gravy Tickets Here)</u>

You think that's all? Think again. We'd never leave you hard rock lovers out. Five Finger Death Punch will be performing on **November 9th** with Brantley Gilbert at the **Van Andel Arena in Grand Rapids**. (FFDP Tickets Here)



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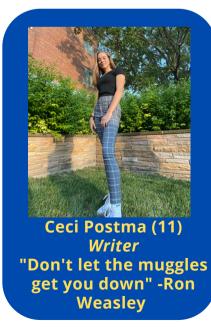
Lauren Judkins (12) *Editor/Writer* "Treat people with Kindness" - Harry Styles



#### Avery Vaas (11) Co-Editor/Writer

Jaz Madsen (12) *Writer* "You can make up a quote for me" - Jaz







Tug Thuemmel (12) *Writer* "Savor the moments, they pass by quick"





### **GUEST WRITERS**

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