

# MHS WEEKLY BULLETIN

Phone: (660) - 385-5748 Fax: (660) - 300- 6164

Parents/Guardians | Please notify the school when your child will be absent by emailing attendance to **lmuncy@macon.k12.mo.us** or by calling the high school office.

Follow <u>Macon Activities</u> for the latest in sports and activities at MHS!

Get the latest in school announcements & cancellations through <u>Tiger Alerts</u>.

Spring sports schedules -> <u>Baseball</u> / <u>Boys Golf</u> / <u>Scholar Bowl</u> / <u>Track and Field</u>



Building a brighter future for our children and our community

### Monday, March 18

- \*NO SCHOOL Professional Development
- \*Baseball vs Mexico at Home at 5:00pm.

### Tuesday, March 19

- \*Baseball at Salisbury at 5:00pm. Bus leaves at 2:50pm. Players dismissed at 2:35pm.
- \*Tutoring from 3:30-4:30pm in Mrs. Shoemaker's room.

### Wednesday, March 20

- \*StuCo Meeting at 7:45am in Mrs. Hall's room.
- \*Tutoring from 7:15-7:45am in Mrs. McVicker's room.
- \*Tutoring from 3:30-4:30pm in the library.

### Thursday, March 21

- \*Macon Knights Meeting at 7:45am in Mr. Coffey's room.
- \*FCCLA Officer Meeting at 7:45am and 3:30pm in Mrs. Schaefer's room.
- \*Varsity Track at Home at 2:30pm..
- \*FFA to Trenton. Bus will leave at 6:55am.
- \*Tutoring from 3:30-4:30pm in the library.

# Friday, March 22

- \*NHS Meeting at 7:40am in the library.
- \*Golf at Home at 4:00pm.
- \*Welding to Brookfield. Bus leaves at 7:00am.

# Saturday, March 23

- \*Solo / Small Ensemble Music Festival. Band bus leaves at 7:00am.
- Choir bus leaves at 10:15am.
- \*Varsity Baseball at Kirksville at 10:00am. Bus leaves at 8:30am.

### **UPCOMING DATES:**

Mar. 29 - Good Friday - No School Apr. 1-5 - Spring Break - No School Apr. 22 - Professional Development - No School

May 17 - Last Day of School

### **ATTENDANCE**:

- Students <u>must</u> have their parent/guardian inform the school any day they will be absent by either calling the High School office at 385-5748 or by emailing both lmuncy@macon.k12.mo.us and sbothke@macon.k12.mo.us
- If a student needs to leave school early, parents/guardians need to call in ahead of time to let the school know students will be leaving. We <u>WILL NOT</u> let a student leave school with anyone unless we have heard from the parent/guardian. Students need to sign in/out at the HS office if arriving late to school and/or leaving school early.
- The attendance policy can be found in the Student Handbook. For any questions regarding attendance please contact the HS Office.

### **LUNCH INFORMATION:**

Breakfast - \$1.65 Lunch - \$2.35 per meal. For more information regarding lunches
please contact Brittany McKinney in food services at ext. 1101. We ask that all
families fill out a <u>Free and Reduced lunch application</u>. Applications are available
through the link provided, our Food Service dept., school website or in the HS office.

### CITIZENSHIP / SPORTS PHYSICALS:

• Forms must be turned in to the athletic department or high school office before students can participate in any extracurricular activity. All students participating in sports must have a current physical on file. If you have questions please contact our Athletic Director, Dale Devenport at ddevenport@macon.k12.mo.us.

### **ADMISSION PRICES:**

- Varsity Games Adults \$4.00 Students \$3.00 Senior Citizens \$2.00
- JV, 9th grade, & Middle School games Adults 3.00 Students \$2.00 Senior Citizens \$2.00
- Athletic passes <u>WILL</u> be available for purchase this year. The cost will be as follows and will need to be purchased in the High School Office. \$125 family, \$50 adult, \$30 student or senior citizen

### **HEALTH FORMS AND INFORMATION:**

• All immunizations need to be current and turned in to the school nurse, Mrs. Jenkins, prior to the first day of school. Updated immunizations can be faxed, emailed to jjenkins@macon.k12.mo.us, or dropped off at the High School office.

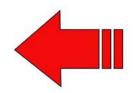
### **TIGER BIN**

The Tiger Bin is located in the High School Counselor's office and is stocked with clothing, shampoo/conditioner, deodorant, toothpaste/toothbrushes, soap, razors, feminine products, laundry detergent, school supplies & much more. All students are able to utilize the Tiger Bin. For assistance, email the Tiger Bin, stop by the counselor's office or speak with any staff member.

## EXTRA INFO...

- Cell Phones are not allowed in the building EXCEPT for lunch shifts. Please refer to the handbook listed on the school website for these policy changes.
- Like and follow Macon High School on Facebook
- All fines and fees must be paid before attending school sponsored events!
- Hats and hoods are not to be worn during school hours. Make sure that hats are off and hoods are down upon entering the school.
- Students are <u>NOT</u> allowed to leave to eat lunch or leave the building during lunch.
- Attendance information can be found in the handbook. Students arriving to school late or leaving early must sign in/out with the office.
- Parking Permits will be given to any student who drives a motorized vehicle. Parking permits are available in the High School office. You must have a parking permit and you must have signed the drug / citizenship policy.
- Students must have permission and a signed pass from a teacher or office staff in order to be in the hallways during class.





Reminder: All fines, fees, and lunch balances must be paid in order to attend prom. Tickets will not be sold until all balances are paid in full.







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Mar. 19	South Shelby OpenT	3:30
Mar. 20	Westran OpenT	1:30
	Westran RelaysT	1:30
Mar. 27	Macon OpenH	4:00
April 10	Marceline OpenT	4:00
April 17	Macon Relays	4:00
	Centralis OpenT	4:00
April 25	Murceline RelaysT	4:00
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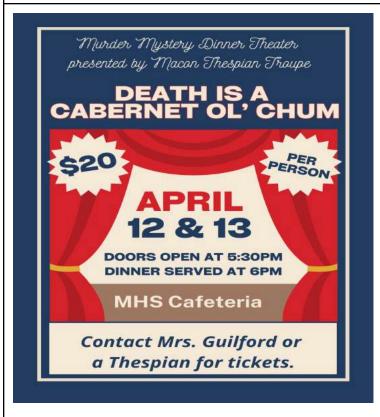
- MARCH 18: NO SCHOOL
- MARCH, 29 APRIL 5: NO SCHOOL SPRING BREAK
- APRIL 22: NO SCHOOL
- MAY 17: LAST DAY OF SCHOOL













# **VR Summer Work Experience**

The VR Summer Work Experience is a work-based learning experience in a competitive integrated setting for students with documented disabilities. The VR Summer Work Experience is provided in collaboration with approved

Missouri VR Community Rehabilitation Programs (CRPs).



Participants must be students entering their final two years of high school who have no prior successful paid work experience in a competitive integrated setting. Students must be 16 years old prior to signing the Summer Work Plan.

- Participants must be potentially eligible for VR services and each student, parent/ guardian (if appropriate), and authorized school district representative must complete and sign a VR Pre-Employment Transition Services Consent and Information Release form.
- The VR Summer Work Experience will consist of a six week, work-based learning experience.
- Total weekly hours will be 20 hours per participant. The majority of those hours, will be spent engaged in the tasks associated with the job the student was hired to do. Before, during or after the work day; there will be an expectation that daily discussions occur, highlighting soft skills, such as communication, enthusiasm & attitude, teamwork, networking, problem solving & critical thinking and professionalism.
- Participants will be paid at the rate specified by State or local minimum wage law, up to 20 hours per week, for the duration of the six week summer work experience. The student will be hired by the CRP as a temporary employee and will provide a job trainer on site. The CRP will serve as the employer of record and will provide liability and worker's compensation insurance.

Contact your local VR office for more information

Mbbie Farrington

### March 2024

Dear Parents and Guardians.

Our students have been invited to participate in the Clarence Cannon
Conference Track and Field Day at Monroe City High School on
Wednesday, May 1st 2024 with a start time of 10:00am. The event is free
to our students grade 6th-12th! Lunch and a t-shirt will be provided.
In order for your student to participate, you will need to complete the
attached forms and permission slip. No physicals are needed for participation this year!

Lunch will be served at 10:30, followed by the opening ceremonies (athletes will parade in front of the home football stands). After the opening ceremonies, the events will take place. T-shirts will be provided to all athletes at the meet when you arrive.

There are many different events that students can participate in Each individual can participate in up to 3 events (1 running, 1 throwing and 1 jumping)

Running event- 25m, 50m, 100m Throwing event- Tee Ball Throw, Softball Throw Jumping event- Standing Long Jump, Running Long Jump

There are no out-of-school practices required for participation.

For more information, you can contact Katrina Stewart, Special Services Director by kstewart@macon.k12.mo.us or call 660-385-2118.

Please have permission s 2024.	returned to your special education teacher by March 25
school rules and will be a my student behaves inapp	has permission to attend the Clarence and Field Day on May 3, 2024. He/She will abide by all bood example of a Macon R-1 School District. If at any time opriately, he or she will be returned to school. In case I R-1 staff has permission to transport my student to a t.
Parent/Guardian Signatur	Date:
Student Signature:	Date:

# **COUNSELOR'S CORNER**

Counselor - Mrs. Sheila Gingrich - sgingrich@macon.k12.mo.us Counselor's Secretary / Registrar - Mrs. Deidre Ritter - dritter@macon.k12.mo.us

**FAFSA:** (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is for any financial aid for college. Seniors applying, may start applying December 31, 2023 using their 2022 tax return information. Before you can access the application, you will need a FSA ID. Please go to fafsa.ed.gov and click on "FSA ID" to get started. This is an ID and password that you will need to remember as long as you are a college student, because you and your parents will have to fill out a FAFSA every year. Therefore, put your ID/Password in a safe place - your tax packet is the perfect place! Once you have your ID and password, you are able to get started filling out the FAFSA at Studentaid.gov

# ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

(RYLA) - for Sophomores & Juniors

The Rotary Youth Leadership Academy is accepting applications for this years' Leadership camp. Macon County Rotary would like to send some of our MHS service hearted students that want to learn leadership skills this summer.

Sessions are at University Central Missouri and there are two 4 day/3 night camps! June 23-26, 2024 and July 7-10, 2024. Sessions fees are all covered by Macon Rotary.

If you are interested, please contact Tracy Vincent, 573-355-8732 or via email tvincent2k4@gmail.com.

Marketing video:

Missouri RYLA Academy Promo (youtube.com)

Missouri RYLA Academy Information: www.missouriryla.com



**JUNIORS & SENIORS:** If you would like to go on a college visit please pick up the College Visit Form outside the High School Office. All Juniors or Seniors must complete the form prior to the proposed college visit. Check with the college prior to scheduling a visit to make sure they are allowing visitors on campus. The bottom portion of the form must be signed by a college official verifying the visit and turned into the office for it to be counted as an excused absence.

The ACT (American College Testing) Program assessment is a college entrance examination which reports capabilities in the areas of English, Math, Reading, and Science. An optional writing test is also available for an additional cost. This test battery is given at an ACT test center up to seven times a year on a national test date. There is a registration fee, and the test may be taken more than once. Those qualifying for Free and Reduced lunches are also eligible to take it two (2) times for no charge. If you qualify, stop by the counselor's office for a waiver. Students should begin taking the test no later than their junior year. Registration information can be found online at www.actstudent.org.

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration
Sept. 9, 2023	August 4, 2023	August 10, 2023
O <del>ct 28, 2023</del>	Sept. 22, 2023	Oct 6, 2023
Dec 9, 2023	Nov 3, 2023	Nov 17, 2023
F <del>eb 10, 2024</del>	<del>Jan 5, 2024</del>	Jan 19, 2024
Apr 13, 2024	Mar 8, 2024	Mar 22, 2024
Jun 8, 2024	May 3, 2024	May 17, 2024
Jul 13, 2024	Jun 7, 2024	Jun 21, 2024

**Next Test Date: April 13, 2024** Registration Deadline: March 8, 2024

# SCHOLARSHIPS



### Check out these scholarship resources:

- https://myscholarshipcentral.org/
- https://www.fastweb.com/
- http://www.collegescholarships.org/financial-aid/
- https://myscholly.com/
- https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/

### Associated Electric Cooperative, Inc. Scholarship LOCAL

Deadline: March 22, 2024

Technical Occupation Scholarship (Note: Stronger consideration will be given to students specializing in technical skills applicable to power plant operations, including but not limited to: electronics, electricity, technology, heavy equipment operator, mechanic, machinist, welding.)

For more information and to apply: AECI Application

### **Horizon Credit Union LOCAL**

Must be a member in good standing at Horizon Credit Union. Five \$500.00 scholarships will be paid directly to the institution of choice upon award notification and acceptance. Application and letter of recommendation must be mailed or hand delivered to Horizon Credit Union.

Deadline: April 1, 2024.

For more information and to apply: **Horizon Credit Union** 

### Charles L. Bacon Memorial Scholarship

Deadline: April 20, 2023

Eligible individuals who are currently members of The American Legion, the American Legion Auxiliary, or the Sons of The American Legion, or a descendant\* of a member of any thereof.

For more information and to apply: Charles L. Bacon Scholarship

### Joseph J. Frank Scholarship

Deadline: April 20, 2023

Five awards of \$750.00 are given annually to individuals who are descendants of a veteran.

For more information and to apply: Joseph J Frank Scholarship

### Lillie Lois Ford Scholarship Fund

Deadline: April 20, 2023

Two awards of \$1,000 each are given each year.

For more information and to apply: Lillie Lois Ford Scholarship

### M.D. "Jack" Murphy Memorial Nurses Training Fund

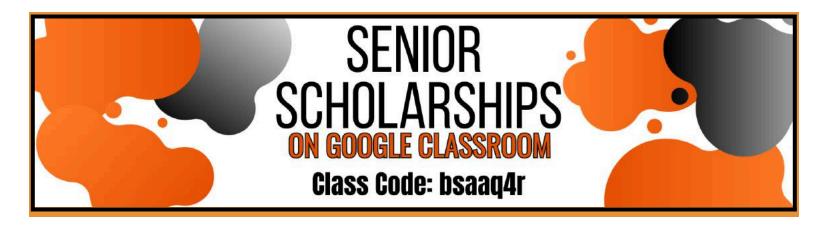
Deadline: April 20, 2023

This award is available to a Missouri boy or girl training to be a Registered Nurse, and may be used in their freshman or subsequent college years. For more information and to apply: **M.D. Jack Murphy Scholarship** 

### Erman W. Taylor Memorial Scholarship

Deadline: April 20, 2022

Given to a student planning on obtaining a degree in education. For more information and to apply: **Erman W. Taylor Scholarship** 



<u>Alberta Hauser Harris Memorial Scholarship</u> was established to honor a senior class student who has achieved the highest academic honor. In order to apply, students must have at least a 4.0 cumulative GPA. Due: April 15, 2024

<u>Bryon Halterman Scholarship</u> This scholarship is provided by Daniel & Denise Pagliai, in memory of their friend and former Macon graduate, Bryon Halterman. This is a one time scholarship in the amount of \$1,500 Due: April 15, 2024

Catherine Miller Memorial Scholarship - based on good citizenship and academics. Due April 15, 2024

# <u>Come Home Scholarship - Macon County Economic Development</u> Due March 22, 2024

<u>Crossroads Cruiser's Scholarship</u> is awarded by the Crossroad Cruisers' Car Club to a graduating senior who plans to pursue their education in automotive, heavy equipment, welding, building trades, or agriculture. Must mail in application. Due April 1, 2024

<u>David E. Gray Memorial Scholarship</u>-awarded to a graduating senior of Macon R-I who is interested in business or business education. Due April 8, 2024

<u>David Henry Memorial Scholarship</u>-Must have attended Macon Area Career and Technical School and are planning to attend an agricultural or technical program. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Don and Barbara Wells Memorial Athletic Scholarship</u>-must be a Macon R-I graduate and participated in athletic programs. Due April 8, 2024

<u>Doris Walkup memorial Family and Consumer Science Scholarship</u>-must be pursuing a degree in the FACS field. Due April 15 2024.

<u>Dwain & Polly Wright Scholarship</u> must have completed two English/Language Arts or Vocational classes and have been accepted to attend a two or four year college, university or technical school. Due April 1, 2024

Elks #999 Scholarship - must be a Macon County R-I graduate and show financial need. Due March 4, 2024.

<u>Everett Croucher Scholarship</u> is given to a senior who will major in an agriculture-related field at a post-secondary institution. Due: April 15, 2024

#### First State Community State Bank's William H Cooper Leadership Scholarship

Plans to further education in a business related field at a 2-year or 4-year college. Application must be printed and turned in to the Counselor's Office. Due: February 1, 2024

**Gary McQuitty Memorial Scholarship**-must be a Macon R-I graduate with a minimum GPA of 2.5. Must have belonged to a shooting sport; i.e. FFA Trap Shooting, 4-H Archery Club, etc. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Garry Wooten Scholarship</u>-goes to a participant of the Macon Tiger Football Program. Must display leadership and have a strong work ethic. Due April 15, 2024.

<u>Harrington Memorial Scholarship</u>-must have below a 4.0 GPA. Must have taken 2 years in the Macon Area Career and Technical Center. Due April 15, 2024..

<u>Hilman and Betty Knapp Scholarship</u>-must exhibit a strong work ethic, good citizenship, and have below a 4.0 GPA. Due April 15,, 2024.

<u>Horizon Credit Union</u> - Must be a member in good standing at Horizon Credit Union. Five \$500.00 scholarships will be paid directly to the institution of choice upon award notification and acceptance. Application and letter of recommendation must be mailed or hand delivered to Horizon Credit Union by April 1, 2024.

**<u>Hugh Dunn Memorial Award</u>** - offered annually to a senior male athlete that has demonstrated outstanding leadership and character on and off the field. Due April 15, 2024.

<u>Jim Maloney Memorial/Knights of Columbus Scholarship</u>-2 applicants will be selected. Preference will be given but not limited to someone going into electrical or heating and cooling programs. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Judge Ronald M. Belt Community Scholarship</u>-will be awarded to a graduating senior from either Macon or Shelby County. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Kisor Family Scholarship</u>-must be planning to attend a four-year college or university. Due. April 15, 2024.

Laurence E Phelps Scholarship-must be planning to attend a technical school, college, or university. Due April 15, 2024...

<u>Loch Haven Scholarship</u> - must be a graduating senior who is seeking a career in a medical field (e.g. physician, nurse, therapist, technologist, pharmacist, ect.) Due: May 1, 2024 (Application must be mailed)

Lucille Rietcel Memorial Scholarship-must go to a graduating Macon senior who shows financial need. Due April 15, 2024.

<u>Macon Co Cattleman Scholarship</u> - must be a current member of a Macon County 4-H club, a Macon Co. FFA chapter, the Macon County Cattlemen, or an active member of the Macon Co. Junior Cattlemen and/or have a parent, grandparent, or spouse that are current members of the Macon County Cattlemen's Association.

Due April 1, 2024.

Macon CTA-must be going into the education field. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Macon Kiwanis Club</u> - must be a graduating senior who plans to attend a college or university, good scholastic standing, and not receiving numerous other scholarships. Due April 1, 2024

<u>Marjorie A. Norton Scholarship</u> - Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and plan to attend a 2 or 4-year college. Must have good citizenship and leadership skills. Due April 15, 2024.

Mayers Family Memorial Scholarship - must have a 3.87 GPA or higher. Due April 15, 2024.

Moms Breaking the Silence Scholarship Award - graduate of Macon County R-1 High School, attend two year, four-year or trade school, includes essay. Due March 3, 2024

<u>Neff Family Memorial Scholarship</u>-must have a 2.5 GPA or higher, have good citizenship, and participate in extracurricular activities and community service. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Optimist Community Involvement Award</u> - This is a cash award and has no continuing education requirement. Due April 1, 2024

Peg Dunn Scholarship-Two females will be awarded. Must support our Macon Tiger Athletic programs. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Prenger Family Scholarship</u> -applicants must demonstrate strong work ethic and the potential to enter a business- related vocational or academic program of study. Due April 8, 2024.

Robert Hastings (Rotary Scholarship) - Must be planning to attend a college, university, or technical school. Due April 8, 2024.

<u>Samaritan Hospital Medical Staff Scholarship</u>-Awarded up to 3 graduating seniors planning to attend the medical field. Due March 1, 2024. Must mail in application.

<u>Shane Hall Memorial / Macon Rotary Club Scholarship</u> -must be a high school senior who has demonstrated an interest in community involvement and service, and who will be pursuing post-secondary education or training. Due April 8, 2024

<u>Shelter Insurance Foundation Scholarship</u> – annually awards scholarships to graduating seniors in communities where there is a Shelter Mutual Insurance Company agent who participates in the program. Due April 8, 2024.

St. James Episcopal Church Scholarship-must be going into seminary, medical field, or education. Due date April 15, 2024.

<u>Thelma Jo Christy Scholarship</u> - One Macon resident and One Callao resident will be chosen. Must be majoring in Education. Due April 15, 2024.

# Seniors -

The High School Counselor's office wants to know your plans for the future. Whether it is joining the military, going to College, Tech School or starting in the workforce, we want to celebrate with you!

Stop by the Counselor's Office to let Mrs. Ritter know your plans. We'll either take your picture or you can submit one to us to put on the announcement TV outside the Counselor's office.

