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## RECOGNITIONS *(continued on next page)*

### December Students of the Month:

Macy Appleby with Mrs. Terri O'Neil  
Zachary Malay with Mr. Daniel Riggs

## EMPLOYMENT

Jacob Barrett, Kitchen Assistant in the Work Experience Program  
Chris Hughes, Youth Basketball Coordinator for MARA

## RESIGNATIONS

Maryann Saylor, Lunch Room Monitor (Kunkel)

## RETIREMENTS

Sue Bracht (Reid Elementary Teacher), effective June 30, 2020

## VOLUNTEERS

Ann Dorrance  
Leshia Fox  
Amber Hoffner  
Daniel Horst  
Kerri Schaaf  
Karen Williams

## APPROVALS

The Board approved the following contracted bus/van drivers for the 2019-2020 school year:

1. Louis Hanford (Boyo)
2. Tesha Link (Boyo)
3. Brandon Riegel (Boyo)
4. Corrine Suthers (First Student)

The Board approved the following policies as part of the PSBA Policy Review process:

1. Policy 822 (AED/CPR)
2. Policy 201 (Admission of Students)
3. Policy 904 (Public Attendance at School Events)
4. Policy 702 (Gifts, Grants, Donations)

The Board approved an in-house field trip contract with Cosmic Adventures, LLC for planetarium visits in the LGI Room at Kunkel Elementary School by the second and fourth grade classes with the cost of \$570 paid by the PTO.

The Board approved a contract with Ski Roundtop for a 7th grade field trip in June 2020 at a cost of \$3,100 using Student Activity Funds.

The Board approved MOU #2 to the professional negotiations agreement between the District and Middletown Area Education Association.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Dr. Suski congratulated Head Varsity Football Coach Brett Myers on the publication of his article on the website X&O Labs – A Football Research Company for Coaches. Coach Myer's article titled "Complete Installation: Shotgun Buck Sweep Concept" details his most fundamental, offensive play.

Dr. Suski congratulated Senior Alexis Habbershon for her Public Service Announcement video on the benefit of the Safe2Say Something. Alexis placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the state.

Dr. Suski announced that on December 7, 2019, seven MAHS students auditioned for PMEA Upper District 7 Band at Eastern York High School. All seven students were successful and made the honor band, which will be held February 13-15 at Annville-Cleona High School. Daniel and Megan were also selected to PMEA District 7 Orchestra, which will be held January 30-February 1 at Lampeter Strasburg High.

Nicole Altland – Trumpet  
Cassidy Anderson – Contra Clarinet  
Daniel Brenner – Eb Clarinet  
Megan Burghdorf – Trumpet  
Dane Ebersole – Baritone Saxophone  
Alexandra Hess – Bb Clarinet  
Connor Leiby – Alto Saxophone

Dr. Suski noted that PSBA has released its State of Education Report for 2019. The report is attached to the agenda electronically, but printed copies will most likely be made available soon from PSBA. The report is a comprehensive look at public education across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Dr. Suski encouraged the Board to read the report because it is good way to see where MASD is relative to other districts across the state.

Dr. Suski thanked Mr. David Franklin and Mr. Eric Fisher for their hard work in preparing for this year's local audit. Dr. Suski said they put in many hours on nights and weekends to prepare while working on the Annual Financial Report that was due at the end of November and their efforts are appreciated.

Dr. Suski said that only three days of school remain until winter break. On behalf of the District administration, Dr. Suski wished everyone a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Happy Kwanzaa and a Happy New Year. Dr. Suski noted that classes resume on Thursday, January 2, 2020.

## FALL ATHLETIC RECOGNITIONS

### VOLLEYBALL

Mid Penn Colonial Division Champions  
Coach Lisa Huber  
Nicole Altland  
Carly Dupes, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team  
Cassie Ebersole, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team  
Delilah Fuentes, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team  
Hailey Herneisey, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team  
Jaelynn Keller, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team  
Natalie Krupilis  
Victoria Lopez  
Lani Moore  
Courtney Shaffer, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team  
Anna Shank  
Kendall Stiffler

### FIELD HOCKEY

Coach Sierra Lenker  
Kiera Guckavan, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team

### GIRLS' SOCCER

Coach Tim Neff  
Amanda Lee, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team  
Sarah Misceovich, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team  
Camryn Russ, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team

### BOYS' SOCCER

Coach Brian Keyser  
Dagan Hughes, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team  
Brady Keyser, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team  
Joey Spear, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team  
Caleb Springer, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team

### CROSS COUNTRY

Coach Peter Fox  
Casey Eckert, District Qualifier  
Kalie Brown, District Qualifier  
Cindy Jiang, District Qualifier  
William Brown, District & State Qualifier  
Jacob Buffington, District Qualifier  
Zach Malay, District Qualifier  
JoSiah Rosario, District Qualifier  
Jalen Rowley, District Qualifier  
Aidan Torres, District Qualifier  
Owen Wealand, District Qualifier

### FOOTBALL

Coach Brett Myers  
Tajae Broadie  
Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Tight End  
Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Defensive Lineman  
Arthur Dash, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Linebacker  
Tymir Jackson  
Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Defensive Lineman  
Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team Running Back  
Chris Joseph  
Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Defensive Back  
Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team Wide Receiver  
Jose Lopez  
Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Running Back  
One-time All League Defensive Back  
Two-time Offensive MVP Mid-Penn Capital  
Three-time All League Running Back  
All State Running Back  
Eastern Pa football.com Player of the Year  
MAHS All-Time Leading Rusher - 6,197 yards  
Quincy Reinnagel, Mid Penn All Star - 2nd Team Offensive Lineman  
Jeremy Wells, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Linebacker  
Brock Welsh, Mid Penn All Star - 1st Team Offensive Line

## APPROVALS

The Board adopted a resolution to indicate that a tax rate increase, if needed, for the 2020-2021 school year will not exceed the Act 1 adjusted index (3.4%) and no Act 1 exceptions will be sought by the District.

The Board approved the audit of the District's 2018-2019 financial statements as presented by Boyer & Ritter.

The Board authorized the opening of an account with RBC Wealth Management for the purpose of accepting stock certificates for a new scholarship being established. Note: the stocks will be sold and the proceeds transferred into the District's established scholarship fund account.

The Board approved the addition of handrails at War Memorial Field as a bid alternate to the turf stadium project and to contract with Architerra for the additional services for the project at the hourly rate specified in the approved agreement (estimated at \$12,507.50).

The Board approved the following revisions to the 2019-20 Academic Calendar:

1. January 20, 2020 - Act 80 Staff Development Day - This will not be a snow make-up day as listed on the original calendar.
2. February 10, 2020 - Act 80 Staff Development/Conference Day - This will be the make-up day for any snow days between now and February 7, 2020.
3. February 28, 2020 - Early Dismissal for Grades 9 - 11 which was approved previously is now listed on the revised calendar.