

November



From the Superintendent's Desk

Monday, November 2nd

I hope that everyone had a restful weekend and a Happy Halloween! I wanted to send out a quick communication to update families on a few topics. You should have received a Blackboard message last night stating that **we are scheduled to return to face-to-face learning tomorrow, November 3, 2020.** Therefore, the last day of distance learning, for student's who signed up for face-to-face instruction, will be today. We are excited to have students back in the building tomorrow!

Friday, November 6, 2020 is scheduled to be a half day. As a result of our first review of our Extended COVID-19 Preparedness Plan, the district implemented half day in-peron/half day remote learning days on Fridays. On Wednesday, November 4, 2020 the district will hold our second monthly review of our Extended COVID-19 Preparedness Plan at 5:00. At this meeting, we are looking to review our current model and layout for the remainder of the first trimester. The main item of discussion will be our current Friday format. We do not anticipate any other changes to our learning model for Mondays-Thursdays. Once this meeting is complete, I will send out a communication regarding what that will look like.

During our district-wide remote learning, we were notified of two additional school associated cases in the early elementary building. Those two classrooms were directly notified and will be rejoining face-to-face learning two days after the rest of the district. In total for the 2020-2021 school year, the Lenawee County Health Department has notified the Madison School Dis-

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trict of seven confirmed positive cases and zero probable cases. This information is kept up-to-date on our website. Please, click on the link to be directed to the document: [School Associated COVID-19 Cases](#).

Later today, High School families will be receiving a survey regarding their intentions for the second trimester. In this survey, families can elect whether or not they will be utilizing face-to-face or virtual instruction. We know that the second trimester is still a little ways off and your decision may change depending on the status of the State and COVID-19. However, building a high school master schedule is very complicated, and we want to provide our staff with as much time as possible. We are looking for anticipated data to start looking at the number of sections of classes. Please, take the time to provide your input.

Lastly, it was a great week last week for Trojan Athletics. The varsity volleyball team was crowned TCC champions, a cross country runner qualified for the individual State finals, and the varsity football team won their first ever playoff game! We wish these programs continued success as they progress through the remainder of their season.

Go Trojans!

Nick Steinmetz
Superintendent



School Pictures Update

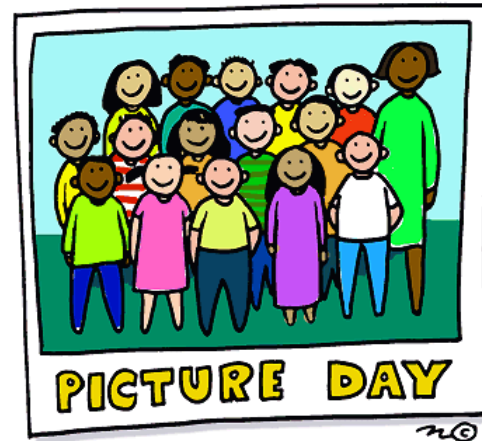
Pictures have been delivered to the school and will be distributed when students return to school on Tuesday, November 3. For virtual students, please contact the office or your child's teacher to coordinate pickup times.

Picture retake days:

Elementary - Thursday, November 12

Middle School - Thursday, November 19

High School - Tuesday, November 17



Madison Food Bank

Madison School District, in cooperation with the Madison Gleaner Arbor, is establishing a school pantry to make sure no student goes hungry. Some of our students are food insecure, which means they do not consistently have access to enough food to be active and healthy. Children particularly lack access to meals at night or on the weekend, when their school-based support system goes away.

Counselors within the Madison School District will soon have access to a school pantry to assist students struggling with food insecurity. You can help make sure no student goes hungry by supporting the Madison School Pantry with donations of non-perishable food. Madison stakeholders may drop off food donations to any of the building offices. A list of items needed is included below.

If you know of a student who is food insecure please contact one of the school counselors.

Stelzer, Jen
High School Counselor 517-265-1843 Ext. 135

Fisher, Karla
Middle School Counselor 517-263-0741 Ext. 225

Brackelman, Tracey
Elementary Counselor 517-263-0744 Ext. 525

- 1.) Canned Soup
- 2.) Canned vegetables
- 3.) Pasta
- 4.) Pasta Sauce
- 5.) Peanut Butter
- 6.) Macaroni and Cheese
- 7.) Oatmeal



Counseling Office News and Updates

SAT Testing and Registration Dates

SAT Test Date: November 7, 2020	Register by: October 7, 2020
SAT Test Date: December 5, 2020	Register by: November 5, 2020
SAT Test Date: March 13, 2021	Register by: February 12, 2021
SAT Test Date: May 8, 2021	Register by: April 8, 2021
SAT Test Date: June 5, 2021	Register by: May 6, 2021

Follow the HS Counseling Office on Twitter: [@MadHS_Counselor](https://twitter.com/MadHS_Counselor)

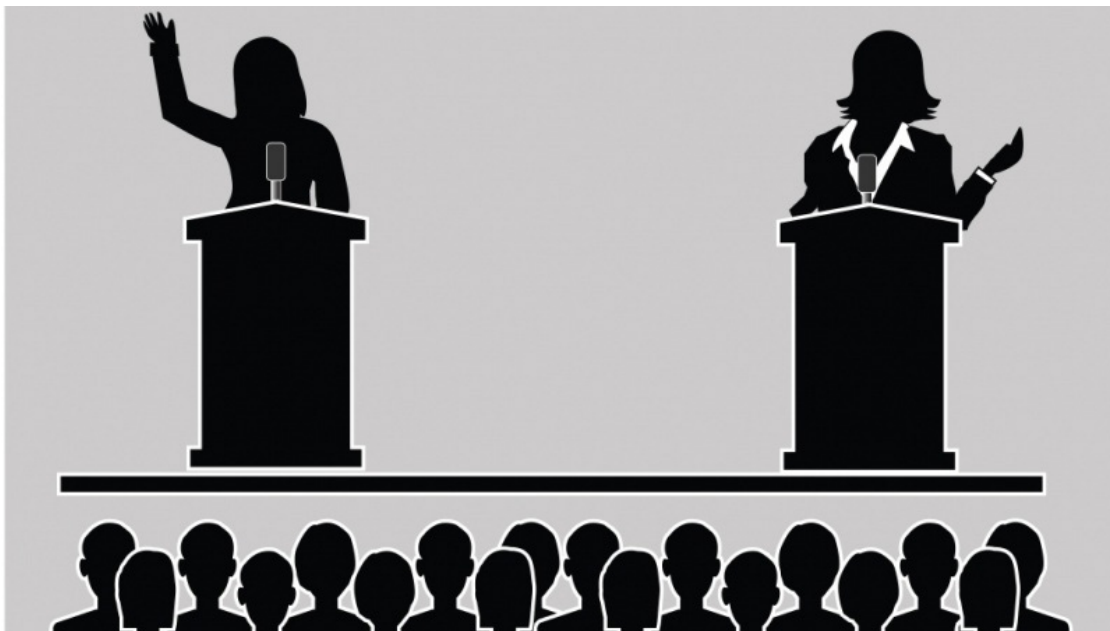
More information: <http://www.madisonk12.us/hs-counseling/>

High School Debate Team Begins Season

The Madison High School debate team's season begins Oct. 28 and runs through early December. This year the competing schools are Madison, Blissfield, Hudson, and Lenawee Christian. A fully virtual debate platform is being used to protect all students, coaches and judges from COVID-19. While this is all new for everyone, we are looking forward to having fun this season.

This year's resolution is: The United States federal government should enact substantial criminal justice reform in the United States in one or more of the following: Forensic Science, Policing, Sentencing.

The varsity debaters are Matson Garza and Alayna Wagner. The novice debaters are Paulina Graham, Tavia Kingsley, Nolan Matthews, Nevaeh Gates, and Jude Crockett. The team is coached by Dr. Cichy.





Thanksgiving Project

Madison Arbor is collecting food items for Thanksgiving baskets. The following is a list of suggested items by grade level for donations. Please have items turned in by Monday, November 16th.

Madison Early Elementary 4Y-Grade 2

Boxed Instant Mashed Potatoes & Stuffing

Madison Upper Elementary Grade 3-Grade 5

Macaroni and Cheese & Boxed Roll or Biscuit Mix

Madison Middle School

Canned Green Beans, Canned Peas, Canned Corn

Madison High School

Gravy & Canned Pie Filling

You are more than welcome to donate other items than what is listed above.

If you prefer to make a monetary donation and you have a My School Bucks account, select the “Thanksgiving Baskets – Donations” icon.



Questions – Contact Dawn Opsal
dawn.opsal@madisonk12.us
or 265-1847



Madison Arbor
Presents

SANTA PAWS

WHAT: Bring your furry friends for a picture with Santa Claus and a chance to win a basket full of goodies.

WHERE: Madison School District Performing Arts Center (center lobby),
3498 Treat Highway, Adrian

WHEN: Saturday, December 5
9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

COST: \$5 includes a photo with Santa and a doggie treat

All proceeds donated to
Lenawee Humane Society



For more information, contact Dawn Opsal 517-265-1847 or dawn.opsal@madisonk12.us

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Fall Athletics Updates

Madison Football Wins First Playoff Game in Program History

The Madison Trojan football team hosted its first ever home football game on Friday, October 30 and came away with its first ever playoff victory! The Trojans defeated Quincy 34-30. The team overcame an early 14-0 deficit and recovered to oust the Orioles. Congrats, Trojans!

All Tri-County Conference Members Selected

On Thursday, October 29, the Tri-County Conference announced the All-TCC recipients for the 2020 football season. Madison players that were honored include:

First Team Offense - Isiah Casarez-Ruiz (running back)

First Team Defense - Ryan Fisher (lineman), Davion Wheeler (lineman), Marcel Theriot (end), Vince Williams (outside linebacker), Rovahn Roberts (defensive back)

Honorable Mention - Dante Cerasuolo

Spotsmanship Team - Max Palpant



Lady Trojan Volleyball Claims TCC Championship

On Wednesday, October 28 the Varsity Volleyball team clinched the 2020 TCC Championship! Congratulations, ladies! The team is set to start MHSAA District play on Monday, November 2 vs Morenci at Hudson!



Varsity Cross Country News and Results from October

Madison Invitational Results:

The cross country teams competed at home at the Madison Invitational Tuesday, October 3. The boys were 3rd and the girls won their meet beating rival Morenci after losing to them twice earlier in the season.

Nethanel Leupold was first overall in the boys race, Henry Frederick 8th, Jamari Williams 15th, Aiden Mahony 22nd, Jacob Patterson 32nd, John Neal 35th, and Javier Mata 36th.

Kiersten Brackelman was 5th, Brook Fetter 7th, Zoe Burciaga 8th, Julia Mohr 9th, Madisyn McDonald 11th, Ashlyn Hill 14th, Emma Linger 20th, Lilly Wager 25th, Alanna Willnow 26th, Haylee Patterson 29th, Hannah Leupold 31st, and Elisa Jackson 32nd.



Runners of the week are Jamari Williams with his 3rd personal record of the season and Julia Mohr with a big personal record that helped secure the win.

TCC Championship Results:

The Trojan cross country teams competed at the TCC Championship meet on Tuesday, October 13. Nethanel Leupold was the individual boys champion and Henry Frederick was second team all conference.

Kiersten Brackelman, Brook Fetter, and Madisyn McDonald were second team in the girls race. Zoe Burciaga, Ashlyn Hill, Julia Mohr and Emma Linger are Honorable Mention. The boys team placed 5th and the girls 2nd.

Nethanel Leupold was 1st, Henry Frederick 10th, Javier Mata 31st, Aiden Mahony 32nd, Alex Murry 33rd, John Neal 39th, and Jacob Patterson 40th. Kiersten Brackelman 8th, Brook Fetter 11th, Madisyn McDonald 13th, Zoe Burciaga 16th, Ashlyn Hill 17th, Julia Mohr 19th, Emma Linger 21st, Alanna Willnow 29th, Haylee Patterson 32nd, Hannah Leupold 35th, Lilly Wager 36th and Elisa Jackson 39th.

Madison runners of the week are Nethanel Leupold for winning all three TCC meets and Kiersten Brackelman for getting a big PR and breaking 23 minutes with her time of 22:46.

Preregional Meet @ Clinton Results from October 26:

The trojan cross country teams ran at Clinton in the pre regional meet. The boys placed 6th and the girls 5th.

Nethanel Leupold was 4th, Henry Frederick 30th, Jamari Williams 39th, Aiden Mahoney 43rd, John Neal 48th, and Javier Mata 49th. Brook Fetter was 20th, Julia Mohr 24th, Kiersten Brackelman 27th, Madisyn McDonald 29th, Ashlyn Hill 31st, Zoe Burciaga 36th, and Emma Linger 41st.

Nethanel Leupold, Brook Fetter, Julia Mohr, and Kiersten Brackelman qualified for the regional meet as individuals. Nethanel and Brook are runners of the week. Madison's Nethanel Leupold took 11th at Regionals (17:51.8) to advance to the state meet! Congratulations!

Middle School Cross Country Wraps Season

The Madison Middle School Cross Country Teams completed their season, with the boys capturing the TCC Championship on October 13 and the Madison Invitational on October 6.

TCC Championship Results:

For the boys: Moises Salazar was 1st, Paul McClure 4th, Bryson Ballantyne 5th, Sutton Kapnick 15th, Dominic Velasquez 17th, Zackery Koebbe 34th, Tyler Whiteley 36th, Royce Goold 39th, and Nathan Payne 41st.

For the girls: Grace Henry 18th, Morgan Byles 23rd, and Camylie Sower 26th.

We had one PR for Bryson Ballantyne! Last meet is this Friday at Sand Creek for the County Championship!

County Meet at Sand Creek on October 16:

The Boys take 4th place tonight at the MS County Championship, missing 3rd place by 2 points!

In the Boys Top 6 Race- Moises Salazar took 2nd, Paul McClure took 10th, Bryson Ballantyne took 22nd, Sutton Kapnick 33rd, Dominic Velasquez 34th, and Zackery Koebbe 61st.

In The Girls Top 6 Race- Grace Henry led the way with a 51st Place Finish, Morgan Byles 57th and Camylie Sower 61st

In the Boys JV Race- Tyler Whiteley led the way with a 31st place finish, Nathan Payne 40th, and Royce Goold 45th.

PR's for the team went to Moises, Paul, Bryson, Zackery, Tyler, Nathan, and Camylie!
Season Bests went to Grace Henry and Royce Goold!

It was an awesome ending to a great season!





For the most up-to-date sports schedules, please visit:
www.madisonk12.us/trojan-athletics

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MADISON SCHOOL



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

2	3 Cheeseburger Smiley Fries Fruit Choice	4 Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes Fruit Choice	5 Pancakes Sausage Hash Brown Fruit Choice	6 Bosco Sticks Marinara Sauce Green Beans Fruit Choice
9 Pizza Corn Fruit Choice	10 Turkey Gravy Over Biscuit Mashed Potatoes Fruit Choice	11 Chili Cheese Fries Fruit Choice	12 French Toast Sausage Hash Brown Fruit Choice	13 Bosco Sticks Marinara Sauce Green Beans Fruit Choice
16 Popcorn Chicken Cheesy Potatoes Carrots Fruit Choice	17 Crisпитos Refried Beans Fruit Choice	18 Pasta W/ Italian Meat Sauce Garlic toast Salad Fruit Choice	19 Corn Dogs Baked Chips Fruit Choice	20 Bosco Sticks Marinara Sauce Green Beans Fruit Choice
23 Pizza Corn Fruit Choice	24 Turkey Mashed Potato Fruit Choice	25 Tacos Rice Fruit Choice	26 NO SCHOOL	27 NO SCHOOL
30 Popcorn Chicken Cheesy Potatoes Carrots Fruit Choice	1 Beef Nachos Refried Beans Fruit Choice	2 Cheeseburger Smiley Fries Fruit Choice	3 Sausage Gravy over biscuit Hash Brown Fruit Choice	4 Bosco Sticks Marinara Sauce Green Beans Fruit Choice

News

Extra items must be purchased. For example an extra Cheese Burger would be \$1.50 All meals include milk.

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FREE MEALS FOR ALL CHILDREN 18 AND UNDER, BREAKFAST AND LUNCH PROVIDED! The USDA and Michigan Department of Education has just issued an extension for free meals for all children 18 and under through December 31, 2020 or until funds run out. Please note that if extra items are purchased such as bottled drinks, snacks, milk, or additional entrées, students will be charged the regular price.

Virtual Learners

Order cut-off time -Thursdays 8:00 AM

Pick-up Time - Mondays 1:00 PM-1:45 PM

Pick-up Location - Jr./Sr. High School Cafeteria Parking Lot Doors

Virtual learners, please order no later than Thursdays by 8:00 AM via email virtualmeals@madisonk12.us
In the email please let us know the name(s) and grade-level of each student you will be picking up for.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me at julie.taylor@madisonk12.us

Madison School District

2020-2021 School Year

Mon, Tue, Wed	Aug 24-26, 2020	Staff Work Days/Professional Development
Mon & Tue	Aug 31-Sept 1, 2020	Professional Development
Wed	Sept 2, 2020	First Day of School for Students
Fri-Mon	Sept 4 & 7, 2020	No School, Labor Day Weekend
Thur	Oct 22, 2020	Parent Teacher Conferences, Student Dismissal- HS/MS 11:00
Fri	Nov 20, 2020	HS/MS Exams—Dismissal 11:00 EL Records—Dismissal 12:00
Mon & Tue	Nov 23 & 24, 2020	HS/MS Exams—Dismissal HS/MS 11:00 EL Records--Dismissal 12:00
Wed-Fri	Nov 25-27, 2020	No School (Y5-12)—Thanksgiving Break
Mon	Nov 30, 2020	First Day of Second Trimester
Thur	Dec 3, 2020	Parent Teacher Conferences, Student Dismissal- EL 12:00
Mon-Fri	Dec 21-Jan 1, 2021	Christmas Break
Mon	Jan 4, 2021	School Resumes from Christmas Break
Mon	Jan 18, 2021	No School (Y5-12), MLK Day, Staff PD
Thur	Jan 21, 2021	Parent Teacher Conferences, Student Dismissal- HS/MS 11:00
Mon	Feb 15, 2021	No School, Mid-Winter Break
Wed, Thur & Fri	Mar 10, 11 & 12, 2021	HS/MS Exams—Dismissal HS/MS 11:00
Thur & Fri	Mar 11 & 12, 2021	EL Records—Dismissal 12:00
Mon	Mar 15, 2021	First Day of Third Trimester
Thur	Mar 18, 2021	Parent Teacher Conferences, Student Dismissal- EL 12:00
Thur	Apr 1, 2021	Dismissal HS/MS 11:00, EL 12:00
Fri-Fri	Apr 2-9, 2021	No School, Spring Break (Good Friday 2 nd)
Mon	Apr 12, 2021	School Resumes from Spring Break
Mon	May 31, 2021	No School, Memorial Day
Wed, Thur, & Fri	June 9, 10 & 11, 2021	HS/MS Exams—Dismissal HS/MS 11:00 EL Records—Dismissal 12:00
Fri	June 11, 2021	Last Day of School for Students and Staff

Calendar includes 180 student days/185 teacher days

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We Believe - The foundation of education is a partnership that includes two-way communication between family, school, and community – the Madison Family. Stakeholders are invited and encouraged to become involved in our schools. Please contact us if you have questions, concerns, suggestions, or would like to volunteer. Our strength and our success is in our relationships with members of our community.

Madison Board of Education

Meetings begin at 6:00 p.m. on the second Monday of the month and are held in the Board Room located inside the Middle School.



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Upcoming Board Meetings:

November 4
November 9
December 14

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Superintendent's Office

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