

Principal's Message

12/13/2020

Greetings,

Happy Holidays! I hope you are all healthy and enjoying the Holiday season that is upon us.

As we enter the upcoming week with a return to hybrid I am aware of a wide range of emotions from excitement and eagerness to anxiety and concern. These are all valid feelings and real for each individual. We will make every effort to support all of our students with their social-emotional and academic needs.

I am confident in the safety and cleaning measures employed by our custodial staff and the adherence of our COVID safety requirements to provide a safe learning environment for all students and faculty. I believe if we all do our part we can safely provide our hybrid learning model and allow in person learning.

Students are reminded that strict adherence to our COVID safety requirements are expected and will be enforced. Students and households are also reminded that it is better to be safe than sorry and any students not feeling well or exhibiting any flu like or COVID symptom should stay home and seek medical advice from their doctor as needed.

Spartan Safe = Spartan Strong

Looking forward to seeing our students tomorrow!

Communication

Daily Bulletin

[12/14/2020 Day 4A](#)

[12/11/2020 Day 2](#)

[12/10/2020 Day 1](#)

[12/9/2020 Day 5](#)

Schedule 12/14 - 12/18

Monday, 12/14: Day 4A

Tuesday, 12/15: Day 4B

Wednesday, 12/16: Day 5A

Thursday, 12/17: Day 5B

Friday, 12/18: Day 1A

[2020-2021 Academic Hybrid Schedule HERE](#)

Student COVID safety requirement reminders

- Wear mask at all times
 - Lunch: Masks on at all times / Off only when eating or drinking

- Socially Distance
- Wash / sanitize hands frequently
- Scan QR Code at breakfast / lunch desk

Academic Recognition Q1

Great Job Students!

- **Honor Roll**
 - A minimum of all “B’s” in all subjects
 - Students earning Honor Roll for [Q1 HERE](#)
- **High Honor Roll**
 - A minimum of five “A’s” and no grade lower than a “B” in all subjects
 - Students earning High Honor Roll for [Q1 HERE](#)

MCAS Updates

- The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) has decided to postpone the January MCAS (ELA / Math) for the Class of 2022 until a date later in the Spring of 2021. **No set date yet announced.**
- Class of 2023 MCAS are still planned for Spring of 2021, **No set date yet announced.**
- Those students in the Class of 2021 who have not yet met their MCAS graduation requirements (ELA / Math) will still partake in a January ELA and / or Math MCAS.
 - These students will receive notice of a support and preparation plan and testing dates by the English / Math Department Supervisor.

Athletics

Middlesex League Winter Sports Announcement [HERE](#)

Parent Workshop

Supporting Students in Remote Learning / A workshop for parents : [HERE](#)

Help Wanted / Students

Ready for winter? Ready to earn some \$\$\$?



Help Wanted

Snow Shovelers

\$14 per hour

- Must be over 16 years of age.
- 16 & 17 years old will need work permit.
- Over 18 years of age subject to CORI

Employment applications are required and can be obtained at Town Hall in Human Resources or at the DPW Office at 35 Pine Street.

Town of Stoneham is an EEO/AA employer



Holiday Spirit

You are invited to join the Consulate General of Italy in the presentation of “Passione - Canto Italiano” a unique virtual musical experience featuring the Marco Pignataro Jazzet with Strings + Special Guests and accompanied by a string quartet composed by members of the prestigious Boston Symphony Orchestra. This extraordinary event, organized by the Consulate General of Italy, in collaboration with composer and saxophonist, Marco Pignataro will introduce inspiring new arrangements of celebrated Italian classics created exclusively for this evening’s performance by the legendary artist and bassist, John Patitucci and Marco Pignataro. The concert will be recorded live at the WGBH Fraser Performance Studio in Boston and will be broadcast on December 18th at 6pm ET on the Consulate General of Italy in Boston [Facebook](#) page.

I hope you will join us with your family and friends and enjoy the performance of famous Italian melodies in celebration of the great tradition of Italian culture and music.

The poster features a black and white portrait of Marco Pignataro on the left. On the right, the text reads: "The Consulate General of Italy in Boston presents «Passione - Canto Italiano» featuring The Marco Pignataro Jazzet with Strings. December 18, 2020 6:00 PM. a virtual jazz concert recorded live at the WGBH - Fraser Studio, Boston." Logos for the Consulate General of Italy Boston and ALL'ITALIANA are at the top. Social media handles for /italyinston and facebook.com/italyinston are at the bottom.

