

*****Scholarship Spotlight*****

Seniors - Don't forget to check out local, community and other scholarship opportunities posted in your **SCOIR** account under "My Profile" then go to 'My Drive' and select "Scholarship Postings." Here are a few scholarships recently posted:

Scholarship Name:	Application Deadline:
Alexandra Chitwood Memorial Scholarship	March 31, 2025
Donegal-Witness Tree Scholarship (DAR)	March 28, 2025
Janice J. Kim Scholarship	March 28, 2025
Heather Kappesser DiGuardi Scholarship	March 28, 2025
James Michaud Scholarship	March 31, 2025
Manheim Township Ambulance Assoc. Award	March 28, 2025
Eric Stoler Nursing Scholarship	March 28, 2025
MTEA Scholarship	April 1, 2025
Woman in Leadership	March 24, 2025

Qualifications, information and applications for these scholarships can be found in **SCOIR**. Additional scholarships will be posted over the next few weeks.

Attention seniors who intend to major in education! The Manheim Township Education Association is once again offering a \$2,000/year scholarship for a graduating senior who plans to become a teacher. Stop by the counseling office to pick up an application packet. All applications are due by Tuesday, April 1st, so don't delay!

Seniors, are you interested in speaking at your graduation? The graduation theme has now been chosen and we are looking for seniors to present speeches. If you are interested, read and select one of the three prompts on your Class Of Schoology page or outside room 259. Pick one and create a 3-4 minute speech. Sign up for an audition time using the link available from the prompt page. Auditions will be after school Tuesday, March 18 and Thursday, March 20 in room 259. You must sign up for a timeslot. We're looking forward to hearing some good speeches. Reach out to Mrs. Kennedy, Mr. Ziegler, or Mrs. Billiard if you have any questions.

Step back into the golden age of Hollywood with this year's MTPA spring musical, *Singin' In The Rain*! Over 150 talented, dedicated students make up the cast, crew, and pit orchestra that will bring this beloved classic to life! Experience the magic of live theatre as you take in the dazzling choreography, the show-stopping songs, and—yes—real on-stage rain! Shows are at 7pm on March 27th and 28th, 2pm & 7pm on March 29th in the auditorium. Student tickets are just \$10 -- Get yours today by scanning the QR code on the posters around school! Don't miss this spectacular production and the chance to support the arts here at Manheim Township!

Mini-THON wants to thank you for all you have done this school year to help us raise funds for Four Diamonds in the pursuit of finding a cure for childhood cancer. Please join us on Friday, April 11, as our juniors and seniors engage in a **Powder Puff football game!** The game starts at 7 P.M., and the entrance fee is \$5. We hope to see you there. Please let Mr. Robbins know if you have any questions!

The Annual Women In Leadership Forum is back by popular demand! On Thursday, April 3rd, the WIL club will be holding its annual forum in the auditorium, periods two and three. Successful women from our community will be coming to the school to educate us on topics of feminism and adversity. Sign up now using the QR codes found on the purple flyers hanging in classrooms and around the halls! Hope to see you there.

Cyber Seniors will be returning this spring! Are you interested in helping senior citizens at Brethren Village Retirement Community learn to use their technology? If so, please pick up a permission slip from the Library and turn it in to Mrs. McCarthy. Our Spring 2025 dates are Tuesday, March 18 & Tuesday, March 25 from 2:45-3:45 PM. We have 25 spots available; those beyond the initial 25 will be added to our reserve list.

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Do you have a passion for entrepreneurship, public speaking, or problem solving? **Join Startup Club's Annual Shark Tank Competition!** Pitch your innovative business idea for a shot at winning a cash prize. For more details, scan the QR code on the red posters around the school or email Mrs. Sutton. Registration is due on March 14th.

Students, this is a reminder that parents may not deliver **food purchased from outside vendors** during school hours. Students are also not permitted to order-in food from outside vendors during school hours (this includes pizza delivery, catering services, fast food, DoorDash, GrubHub, etc.).

Attention 9th, 10th and 11th Grade Students: The High School Color Guard is now forming for the Fall 2025 season. Color Guard is an artistic performance sport that utilizes elements of ballet, jazz & modern dance choreography, as well as rhythmic gymnastics, and combines them with routines featuring equipment such as flags, rifles and sabres, all to visually represent the music being performed by the marching band. No experience is required - we'll teach you everything you need to know at the upcoming basic skills clinics. These clinics take place weekly, either Tuesdays or Thursdays, from 3PM-4:30PM. All clinics in March will be held in the Middle School cafeteria; all others will take place in the High School band room. We need you to get involved! See Mr. Siegel in Room 152 with questions or to learn more about Color Guard!

The upper weight room at the high school will now be open to all students Monday through Thursday from 2:45 pm-4:30 pm starting on Monday, March 17th. Please check in with Coach Sourber or Coach Coughenour when you arrive.

There will be an activity bus available on Tuesday and Thursday, by RESERVATION ONLY. In order to ride the activity bus, you MUST complete the Activity Bus Form by 9:00 pm on Monday for a Tuesday Activity Bus and by Wednesday 9:00 pm for a Thursday Activity Bus.

Boys Basketball Open Gyms will be held at the Middle School on Mondays and Wednesdays running through the end of May. All Rising 9th through 12th grade boys interested in playing for the high school program are welcome to attend. Conditioning, shooting, team development and scrimmage are part of open gyms. Questions can be directed to Coach Johns at johnsm@mtwp.net.

TODAY'S SPORTS

SPORT	VS	A/H	SITE	GAME TIME	E.D.	BUS TIME
Vswim	PIAA State Championships	A	Bucknell University	9:00	11:45	12:00
Vgsoft	Red Lion	A	Red Lion Jr. High FH/Softball	4:00	2:00	2:15
Jvgsoft	Red Lion	H	JV Softball Diamond	4:00		
Vglax	Conestoga	H	Ed Journey Field	4:15		
Jvglax	Conestog	H	Ed Journey Field	5:30		