

Good Morning Jaguar Family,

I hope everyone is rested and ready to start a new day! Today is Monday, March 18!

Please stand for the pledge: I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

You may be seated.

Please pause for a moment of silence.

Thank you.

Our character word of the week is **Acceptance**.

The mission of New Manchester High school is to provide meaningful learning experiences that develop the character, academic ability, and talent of all students.

**Here are your daily announcements:**

- Attention seniors, if you still need assistance with your FAFSA, the counselors and a representative from the GA. Student Finance Commission will host FAFSA Friday April 19th, from 12 - 2 (during 3rd period). To sign up, see Mrs. Morris in the Career Center.
- Seniors, in order to participate in senior field day, your senior dues must be paid online by March 29th.
- It's March Madness! All prom tickets are on sell for \$100 all month long...we repeat, all prom tickets are on sell for \$100 all month long! Get your ticket now, while supplies last. Next month, all tickets will be back at \$120.
- Students enrolling in Summer Dual Enrollment courses at West GA Technical College need to meet with their counselor before March 18th, to complete their Participation Agreement. Those attending a different college need to see their counselor by March 25th.
- Seniors- all trade school, college acceptance letters, or military enlistments must be forwarded to your child's counselor by April 3rd, in order to be listed in this years graduation program. Notifications received after that date are not guaranteed to be included.
- The AVID department is hosting a college tour to the University of West GA on March 29th. The cost will be \$25 and the deadline to pay is March 22nd. Non-AVID students interested in attending need to see their counselor for a permission slip. AVID students need to see Mrs. Rogers.
- There will be an Admissions Counselor from Mississippi State University visiting in the Career Center on Tuesday, March 19th, at 9:30 a.m. Any junior is invited to attend, but must first sign-up with Mrs. Morris.
- Seniors and Juniors, the March-April scholarship newsletter is now available right outside the Career Center for pick-up!
- If you're trying out for cheerleading, complete cheer packets must be turned in at registration on Tuesday, March 26 4:30-6:00pm in the A building lobby. Remember, everyone must have a current physical.

- Seniors, Please apply for the PTSA scholarship. Detailed information is posted on the PTSA website or you can see Mrs. Morris or a counselor.
- Congratulations to the FAME A Capella Vocal Group INTONENATION! This weekend they won the semi-finals of the Varsity Vocals ICHSA competition and will be moving on to compete in the finals in New York City as one of the top 9 high school a Capella vocal groups in the country. Congrats to Tyler Lewis for winning best solo vocal performance and Mr. Giddens for best choreography!

### **Sports Announcements**

- Monday, March 18 Baseball vs. Pebblebrook at 5:55 and Soccer vs Mt. Zion at 5:45
- Tuesday, March 19 Soccer vs Langston Hughes 5:45 and tennis vs Tri-Cities
- Wednesday, March 20 Track Meet at NMHS
- Thursday, March 21 Tennis at DCHS
- Friday, March 22 Baseball vs South Paulding 5:55
- Saturday, March 23 Track at Carrollton

### **Admin Announcement**

At this time we will do a courtesy dress code check. Please send student out of dress code directly to ISS. Please write their names down before sending them.

As a reminder. No headphones and electronic devices can be out after the 8:35 bell or during transitions. Cell phones can only be used during your lunch time.

As a reminder, you will need your badges daily to go between buildings, to get your lunch, and for the media center. Please keep your badges with you at all times.

Big Shout Out to the members of DECA. You guys displayed awesome character and service at our Douglas County School System Recruitment Fair. I am very proud of our DECA jags. Keep up the great work!

We are here to be the best high school in the district. We are #JaguarSTRONG. Where Scholarship, Talent, Respect, Opportunity, Noble intentions, and Gratitude are our focus. Freshmen will StartSTRONG, Sophomores will BeSTRONG, Juniors will StaySTRONG, and Seniors will FinishSTRONG.

**Jaguars let's have a great and impactful learning day!!**