

# MARAUDER MASK

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## Principal's Message

Good Afternoon, Marauders.

Congrats to Mr. Kriley, Ms. Teng, and all of our incredible students on an incredible Spring Musical production. There are three more performances this weekend and all of them are SOLD OUT! *High School Musical* was absolutely incredible - well done, everyone - Bravo!

This week, a number of students traveled to San Diego High School to participate in/support other students who were participating in Unified Sports. It was a really special day and our students and staff had a great time. We can't wait to host Unified Sports here at Mira Mesa High School.

Save the date! Taste of Mira Mesa will be on Saturday, April 20th. You don't want to miss this event! There are less than 50 tickets available - it WILL sell out!

**Another reminder: I want to make sure you mark your calendars with some important dates:**

*First Day of 24-25 School Year:* Monday, August 12, 2024

*End of Semester One:* Friday, December 20, 2024 (BEFORE Winter Break)

*Winter Break:* Monday, December 23, 2024 - Monday, January 6, 2025

*Start of Semester Two:* Tuesday, January 7, 2025

*Spring Break:* March 31st - April 4th

*Last Day of 24-25 School Year:* Thursday, May 29, 2025

Have a great weekend, Marauders.

Thank you.

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[Bell Schedule](#)



# ASB UPDATE

MARCH 22, 2024

MMHS.ASB

## MASB PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

HELLO MARAUDERS AND PARENTS,

We are preparing for FINAL RALLY of the year now and we are so excited to show you what we have in store with our BLACKOUT SPRING RALLY! With rally coming up we also have our spring spirit week coming up:

MONDAY (3/25): LIGHTS OUT- Pajama Day

TUESDAY (3/26): BARBIE vs OPPENHEIMER - Wear Pink or Black

WEDNESDAY (3/27): SPACE OUT- Dress Like an Astronaut, Alien, or the Galaxy

THURSDAY (3/28): NEON - Neon Colors or Accessories

FRIDAY (3/29): CLASS COLORS!

Freshmen - Black // Sophomore - White

Juniors - Yellow // Seniors - Blue

Don't forget to get to get your spirit points at the media center next week as well! Spirit points will be accounted into points for each class for our rally! We can't wait to see you all dressed up next week and at the rally!

Our speaker at large for our 2024 graduation will be due TODAY MARCH 22nd! Senior Students must be in good standing to participate in the June Graduation and submissions will be open on March 15th via turnitin and Reiss-Malone.

We have recently restocked our student store with NEW snacks and drinks, so make sure to stop by during lunch! We are open all of lunch now! Make sure to stop by when you have the chance since we will be introducing some very new merchandise very soon!

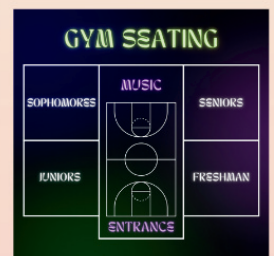
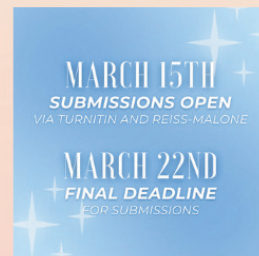
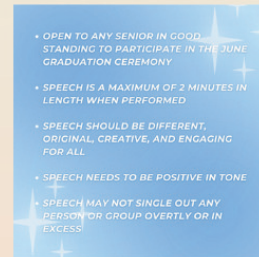
Make sure you're following our Instagram @MMHS.ASB to receive updates about our upcoming, events, activities, updates, and more information about things happening on campus. That's it for us Marauders, we'll see you next week!

Regards,  
Indra Sai and Koda Keopithoune, your MASB Presidents

## UPCOMING EVENTS ON CAMPUS

SPEAKER AT LARGE DUE	3/22
SPRING SPIRIT WEEK	3/25 - 3/29
SPRING RALLY	3/29
SPRING BREAK	3/30 - 4/7

## RECENT ASB FLYERS





# Counseling News

*“As women achieve power, the barriers will fall. As society sees what women can do, as women see what women can do, there will be more women out there doing things, and we’ll all be better off for it.”*

- Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, the first woman to serve as a Supreme Court Justice

## SUMMER SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Counselors have a March 29th deadline to register students for summer school. We will not be able to access summer school enrollment again until later in May. We have automatically enrolled students who have D/F semester grades, but there are other summer school opportunities such as taking Spanish or Integrated Math I, II, or II to get ahead. View our Summer School page to learn how to enroll and for other summer school opportunities <https://sites.google.com/sandi.net/mmhscounseling/summer-school-2024>.

## FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS

April 2nd is the deadline for seniors to submit their financial aid applications, which is during Spring break. Seniors can see their counselor before the break if they need help. Once students have submitted their application, the next step is to create an account on the California Student Aid Commission website called WebGrants 4 Students <https://mygrantinfo.csac.ca.gov/> where they can see what grants they qualify for and how to manage them. Seniors need to know their SSN or California Dream Act ID for this step.

## TOP SCHOLAR CERTIFICATES

We still have many Top Scholar and Academic Distinction certificates in the Counseling Office for students who did not attend the ceremony March 13th. Students can pick up their certificate before school or at lunch with Mrs. Shortill.

## MMHS Counselors



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Virtual  
Counseling Center



# The Princess Project San Diego

*making prom dreams come true*

## Get a Free Prom Dress and Accessory!

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Dress Giveaway Dates Begin March 27th and Continue Through May 4th!  
Book Your Appointment Online:

**PrincessProjectSD.org**

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### LOCATIONS:

Mission Valley Mall: March 27, 29, 30, April 3, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 20

Valencia Park/Malcolm X Library Pop-Up: April 4th, 5th, 6th

Vista Library Pop-Up: April 20th

Borrego Springs Library Pop-Up: April 22nd

El Cajon Library Pop-Up: April 27th

Fallbrook Library Pop-Up: April 27th

Oceanside Library Pop-Up: April 27th & April 28th

Jacumba Library Pop-Up: May 4th



*The Princess Project is a 100% volunteer run 501(c)3 non-profit organization that promotes self-confidence and individual beauty by providing free prom dresses and accessories to high school teens. Our efforts are made possible through invaluable volunteer, donor and community support.*



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# The Princess Project San Diego

*haciendo sueños de graduación realidad*

¡Obtén Un Vestido de Graduación y un Accesorio Gratis!

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Fechas para obtener vestidos:

Marzo 27, 29, 30, Abril 3, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 20

Aparta tu fecha de cita en internet a partir del 26 de February 2024 en

**PrincessProjectSD.org**

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Mission Valley Mall: Todos los 14 días

Biblioteca de Valencia Park/Malcolm X: 4, 5, 6 de Abril

Biblioteca de Vista: 20 de Abril

Biblioteca de Borrego Springs: 22 de Abril

Biblioteca de El Cajon: 27 de Abril

Biblioteca de Fallbrook: 27 de Abril

Biblioteca de Oceanside: 27, 28 de Abril

Biblioteca de Jacumba: 4 de Mayo



*The Princess Project es una organización sin fines de lucro 501(c)3 100% dirigida por voluntarios que promueve la confianza en uno mismo y la belleza individual al proporcionar vestidos de graduación y accesorios gratuitos a adolescentes de secundaria. Nuestros esfuerzos son posibles gracias al invaluable apoyo de voluntarios, donantes y la comunidad.*



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# Afghan Support Center in Southern California

USCIS invites you to an Afghan Support Center in Anaheim, CA. This no cost event will provide an opportunity for Afghans to talk to staff from U.S., CA state and government agencies, a variety of service providers, and others to assist in making sure you have what you need to successfully make the United States your home.

**Location:** Anaheim Marriott, Platinum Ballroom

**Address:** 700 W. Convention Way, Anaheim, CA 92802

Tuesday, April 16 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Wednesday, April 17 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Thursday, April 18 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Friday, April 19 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 20 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

## Services and Resources Available (at no cost):

- U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) • Food Assistance
- Legal Assistance • Adult Education
- Housing Assistance • School Enrollment
- Employment Assistance • Mental Wellness Counseling
- Medical Assistance

We hope you will attend. This event will provide valuable information and resources to support your American integration journey. Please plan to join us!

- Interpretation provided in Dari and Pashto onsite.
- Dedicated Prayer Area.
- Child Play Space Available.
- Transportation Will Be Provided. Please email transportation arrangement requests to include the following details, the pickup address, phone number, number of passengers (adults and children), and the date/time for pickup) to undersigned emails one week prior to the event start date.

[christopher.dryja@cherokee-federal.com](mailto:christopher.dryja@cherokee-federal.com) or [danielle.joseph@cherokee-federal.com](mailto:danielle.joseph@cherokee-federal.com)

- Parking address: No cost for on site hotel parking.



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and Immigration  
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As DHS's commitment to Operation Allies Welcome (OAW) parolees is enduring, USCIS hosts Afghan Support Centers to assist them in connecting to services integral to their long-term stability and integration in the United States. While USCIS provides the support center forum, USCIS does not endorse any service providers present and does not participate in, nor is responsible for, the services provided by any service providers.

# مرکز حمایت و خدمات برای افغانان در کلفورنیای جنوبی



اداره خدمات تابعیت و مهاجرت ایالات متحده (USCIS) از شما جهت اشتراک در مرکز حمایت و خدمات برای افغانان در شهر آنهایم، ایالت کلفورنیا دعوت مینماید. این مناسبت فرصتی بدون هزینه و رایگان را برای افغانان فراهم میسازد تا با کارمندان حکومت ایالات متحده، ادارات حکومتی ایالت کلفورنیا و تعداد کثیر از نهاد های کمک رسان و سایرین جهت همکاری و حصول اطمینان از برآورده شدن نیازمندی های شما منظوراسکان وزندگی نوین در ایالات متحده میاشد.

موقعیت: هتل آنهایم ماریوت، بالروم پلاتینیوم

آدرس: 700 W. Convention Way, Anaheim, CA 92802

- سه شنبه، ۱۶ ماه اپریل از ساعت ۱۰ صبح الی ۷ شام.
- چهارشنبه، ۱۷ ماه اپریل از ساعت ۱۰ صبح الی ۷ شام.
- پنجشنبه، ۱۸ ماه اپریل از ساعت ۱۰ صبح الی ۷ شام.
- جمعه، ۱۹ ماه اپریل از ساعت ۱۰ صبح الی ۷ شام.
- شنبه، ۲۰ ماه اپریل از ساعت ۱۰ صبح الی ۳ شام.

منابع و خدمات موجود (رایگان)

- اداره خدمات تابعیت و مهاجرت ایالات متحده (USCIS)
- خدمات صحی
- همکاری حقوقی مرتبط به موضوعات مهاجرت
- همکاری در بخش مسکن/خانه
- همکاری اشتغال و دریافت کار
- مشاورت سلامت روانی
- منابع تعلیمی برای بزرگ سالان
- همکاری مواد خوراکی

آرزو مند اشتراک شما هستیم. این برنامه منابع و معلومات ارزشمند را منظور حمایت سفر و آغاز زندگی جدید شما در امریکا دربر خواهد داشت. لطف نموده اشتراک نمائید!

- محل مشخص جهت ادای نماز.
- مترجمین لسان های دری و پشتو.
- محل تفریح/بازی برای اطفال موجود میباشد.
- ترانسپورت یا سهولت انتقال به محل برنامه فراهم میگردد. لطفا درخواستهای ترانسپورتی خویش را فرض اشتراک درین مرکز با ذکر جزئیات (آدرس، شماره تماس، تعداد فامیل با تفکیک بزرگسالان و اطفال، و تاریخ و زمان اشتراک) به ایمیل آدرسهای ذیل یک هفته قبل از تاریخ شروع برنامه شریک سازید.  
[danielle.joseph@cherokee-federal.com](mailto:danielle.joseph@cherokee-federal.com)      [christopher.dryja@cherokee-federal.com](mailto:christopher.dryja@cherokee-federal.com)
- آدرس پارکینگ وسایط: وسایط خویش را در پارکینگ هتل پارک نموده پارک وسایط رایگان میباشد.



[centersforafghansupport.org](http://centersforafghansupport.org)



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تعهد وزارت امنیت داخلی (DHS) در قبال افغانان دارنده گان پیروول ذریعه مأموریت پذیرایی متعدین (OAW) پایداری بوده، اداره خدمات تابعیت و مهاجرت ایالات متحده (USCIS) مراکز حمایت برای افغان ها را منظور اتصال آنان به خدمات اساسی جهت ادغام و ثبات درازمدت ایشان در ایالات متحده میزبانی مینماید. درحالی که اداره خدمات تابعیت و مهاجرت ایالات متحده (USCIS) محل برای مرکز حمایت را فراهم مینماید، USCIS هیچ یک از مؤسسات خدمت رسان حاضر را پیشبینیایی ننموده و هیچنوع دخالت و مسؤلیتی را در قبال خدمات ارایه شده توسط مؤسسات خدمت رسان نموده دار نمیشد.



# Help Raise Funds for MMHS Class of 2026 PBO

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**Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024**  
**11:00am-9:00pm**

At this Pick Up Stix<sup>®</sup> location:

**MIRA MESA**  
**10712 Westview Parkway**  
**San Diego, CA 92126**  
**(858) 547-9553**



Pick Up Stix Restaurants<sup>®</sup> will donate 25%  
of sales to support  
MMHS Class of 2026 PBO

Fundraiser will only be at participating  
locations listed on this flyer.

*Please bring in this flyer for verification.*

**DINE IN • TAKE HOME •**  
**PHONE AHEAD • CATERING •**  
**MOBILE & ONLINE ORDERING**  
(mention MMHS fundraiser at pick up)

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**[pickupstix.com](http://pickupstix.com)**

# SUPPORT MMHS CIRCLE OF FRIENDS CLUB

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8280-A MIRA MESA BLVD 92126  
LLBBQSANDIEGO.COM



## TUESDAY 03/26/24



**SKIP THE LINE-  
ORDER ONLINE!**



20% of all proceeds between  
4-7MMHS Circle of Friends  
Dine in or Carry out  
No Flyer needed!





**Class of 2024  
PBO will  
keep  
40% of  
sales!**

# **Celebrate your Graduate with a Ribbon Lei!**



**\$15  
each**



## **A Special Keepsake**

Leis are made with school colors and come adorned with "2024" in glittery numbers and the MMHS logo.



## **Made in-house**

Leis are made by MMHS PBO volunteers, so funds generated will stay right here at the high school.



**Scan or click the QR code to complete your purchase online no later than April 30th.**

If you would prefer to pay in cash, please email [kristynpittenger@gmail.com](mailto:kristynpittenger@gmail.com)





# CCTE TEACH LEAD CAREER PATHWAY PAID SUMMER INTERNSHIP

**Elective Credits \* Summer Employment \* Career Experience \* Personal Development**

Are you interested in a summer job teaching younger students?

During this five-week summer experience, you will receive training to conduct Leader in Me social-emotional learning lessons in identified elementary schools as assistant teachers. This opportunity provides real-world work experience, employment opportunities, and career exploration in the field of education.

**Open to all High School Students ages 16 and up**

**Students will receive:**

- 2 elective credits
- A leadership certificate of completion that can be listed on your resume and used on college applications
- Build college and career readiness skills
- Explore skills necessary to thrive in leading others in your school and beyond
- Experience fun, hands-on, and interactive activities with your friends and classmates
- Payment for your time in the classroom: 5 hours a day, for 15 days at a rate of \$16.85

What	Where	Dates	Time
FranklinCovey Leadership Institute (5-day experience)	Clairemont HS Henry HS Morse HS Scripps Ranch HS	June 10-14	8:00 - 2:00
Career Pathway Internship Class Meetings (Internship Preparation & Orientation)	Clairemont HS Henry HS Morse HS Scripps Ranch HS	June 17 and 18 Career Pathway 1,2	9:30 - 1:30
Teaching assignment begins at elementary school <i>(school will be assignment based on location)</i>	At your assigned Elementary Site	June 20-July 12	7:30 - 12:30
FranklinCovey Mid-Point Check (1-day experience)	Clairemont HS Henry HS Morse HS Scripps Ranch HS	July 1	8:00 - 2:00
FranklinCovey Reflective Summit	TBD	July 15 AM Summit PM Celebration	8:00 - 4:00



**APPLY HERE!**

**Student assistants will be placed at elementary schools in these four clusters:**

- Register at Clairemont HS (Serve: Alcott, Clairemont Canyons, Lafayette, Toler)
- Register at Henry HS (Serve: Benchley Weinberger, Marvin, Miller, Tierrasanta)
- Register at Morse HS (Serve: Balboa, Chollas Mead, Encanto, Freese, Penn, Porter, Valencia Park)
- Register at Scripps Ranch HS (Serve: Miramar Ranch, Jonas Salk, Mason, Sandburg, Walker)



**WHAT STUDENTS ARE SAYING**