

MARAUDER MASK

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Principal's Message

Good Afternoon, Marauders.

Open House will be held on Wednesday, 9/27 at 5:30PM. We will start the evening in the Media Center for a brief presentation before we begin our classroom visits at 6PM. We hope to see you on 9/27!

Tomorrow is another M6 session (Saturday School). If your student has been tardy/absent and plans on attending the upcoming Homecoming Dance, they should plan on attending M6 to clear their attendance ahead of purchasing a ticket.

Parking permits are being enforced. Cars found to be parking in the parking lots without permits will be cited. Parking permits are still available for purchase at the Finance Office.

At the start of the 2023-2024 all TK- 12th grade students enrolled in a non-charter San Diego Unified School District school will be registered for a Student EXCEL Library Card account.

With the Student EXCEL Library Card, students can:

- Borrow up to 3 books or audiobooks from any San Diego Public Library location.
- Borrow up to 5 eBooks from our [eLibrary](#)
- Receive free online, [one-on-one homework tutoring](#) in English or Spanish in all major subjects.
- Receive access to databases and resources through our [Distance Learning Center](#), using the Student Excel Library Card number or Student ID number.
- Use public library computers at any of the library locations.

And there are no fines or fees! Cards will be distributed to student next week. A representative from the library will be on campus and they can activate the cards during lunch.

Have a great weekend.

Principal Sabins

[Bell Schedule](#)

SAVE THE DATE

San Diego Unified School District
Mira Mesa High School

Invites you to

Fall Open House

September 27, 2023

5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

5:30 p.m. - MMHS Introduction & Title I Annual Meeting, Media Center
5:44 p.m. - Zero and 7th Period Class Visitation
6:00 p.m. - Class Visitations

Administrative Team

Jeff Sabins, Principal
Jason Fowler, Associate Principal (A-F)
Brittani Reyes, Associate Principal (G-O)
Heather Bice, Associate Principal (P-Z)
Ron Lardizabal, Athletic Director
Amanda Courtney, Administrative Assistant I

Counselors

Tobias Schwartz (A-C)
Debbie Blanchard (D-Hut)
Megan Blum (Huy-M & T-Tram)
Jessica Morales (N-R)
Kellie Larsen (S & EL)
Teresa White, Head Counselor (Tran-Z)

**FINANCE OFFICE
WILL BE OPEN
4:30-6 P.M.**



Period /Time	Subject	Teacher
0 or 7 th Period 5:44-5:54		
1 st Period 6:00-6:10		
2 nd Period 6:16-6:26		
3 rd Period 6:32-6:42		
4 th Period 6:48-6:58		
5 th Period 7:04-7:14		
6 th Period 7:20-7:30		



A bell will ring when it is time to transition between classes.
Each class is 10 minutes.

BACK TO SCHOOL



ASB UPDATE

SEPTEMBER 22, 2023

MASB PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

HELLO MARAUDERS AND PARENTS,

With all the preparations complete, we hope to see you at this years homecoming... HOCOHELLA! Tickets will start going on sale NEXT WEEK at the finance office , but make sure to get them early as ticket prices will increase weekly!

(9/25 - 10/5): \$25 with an ASB Sticker & \$45 without

(10/9 - 10/13): \$30 with an ASB Sticker & \$50 without

(10/16 - 10/18): \$35 with an ASB Sticker & \$55 without

Please keep in mind that due to safety issues, any bags brought will have to be within 7in x 5in. This rule moving forward would apply to all home games and dances.

For those who have not gotten their parking passes, they will be still offered at the finance office. Keep in mind for those students who do not have a parking pass, parking violations will be issued.

We recently had our rivalry football game against Scripps Ranch High School this previous Saturday and WON with a score of 17-7. We've just gotten half way through the football season, and have so much planned for the student section for the remainder of the games.

If you would like to nominate a student for ATHLETE of the week on our Instagram @MMHS.ASB please DM us their full name and season sport!

Our store has been restocked with new snacks and is still opened for the entire lunch!

That's it from us Marauders and we will see you all next week!!

*Regards,
Indra Sai and Koda Keopithoune, your MASB Presidents*

FUNDRADIERS & EVENTS



PREVIOUSLY ON CAMPUS



MARAUDER MOB AT SCRIPPS FOR THE ANNUAL BATTLE OF THE 15 RIVALRY GAME



STUDENTS FINDING OUT OUR HOMECOMING THEME... HOCOHELLA!

Counseling News

“Your present circumstances don’t determine where you go, they merely determine where you start.” Nido Qubein

UC RIVERSIDE

UC Riverside is hosting Discover UCR Preview Day Saturday, October 7th on their campus from 8:30 AM 1:00 PM. Attendees will learn about how to apply, financial aid, and other resources available to students. UCSD is hosting their Fall Showcase also October 7th from 9-1 so prospective students and families can learn more about UCSD.

Register for Discover UCR here: <https://admissions.ucr.edu/discoverucr>.

Register for UCSD Fall Showcase here:

<https://admissions.ucsd.edu/visit/events/>

CA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

The California State Board of Education is seeking a high school junior to serve as a student representative. The student would hear about potential educational policies, and can vote in favor of or against those policies.

Interested juniors can get more information and apply here:

<https://rb.gy/mipv6>. The application deadline is October 7th.

RECENT COUNSELING EVENTS

Counselors hosted 10th Grade Night and College Night for Seniors this past week, and here are links to the slide decks:

10th Grade Night: [Slide Deck](#)

College Night for Seniors: [Slide Deck](#)

SUICIDE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION MONTH

September is Suicide Awareness and Prevention Month. People thinking about suicide may have warning signs such as talking about wanting to die, feeling like they are a burden to others, feeling hopeless or having no reason to live, withdraw from friends, give away important items, or take dangerous risks? These people often do not want to die, but they want their pain to end. If our students or their friends show similar warning signs, students are urged tell an adult on campus right away. They can also text 988 for a Suicide and Crisis Lifeline or get a suicide hotline number from the back of their ID card. One simple text can save a life.

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Virtual
Counseling Center

COLLEGE NIGHT FOR JUNIORS

**September
26th**

5:30 PM

Library

Learn what juniors should be doing now to prepare for life after high school such as: getting ready to apply to college, trade school opportunities, military enlistment, and more



College Access Programs 2023-2024



JumpStart Senior Year

8/26/23 - 8:30am -12:00pm at Hilltop High School
9/16/23 - 8:30am -12:00pm at San Diego City College
9/23/23 - 8:30am -12:00pm at Oceanside High School
10/7/23 - 8:30am -12:00pm at Grossmont College

College Bound Webinars

8/30/23- FSA ID/Financial Aid 101
9/13/23- UC PIQs & How to write a College Essay
10/18/23 - *UC Admissions & CSU Admissions
11/1/23 - FSA ID/Financial Aid 101
11/15/23 - Financial Aid FAQs
12/13/23 - All About Scholarships
1/17/24 - Community College Admissions
2/7/24 - Understanding the Financial Aid Package
3/13/24 - So You Got Accepted...Now What?
4/17/24 - How to Accept Your Financial Aid
5/1/24 - 11th Graders - Preparing for Fall App Season
5/15/24 - Financial Aid for 11th Graders

Cal-SOAP College Fair

10/25/23 from 6:00pm - 8:00pm
@ San Diego Mesa College
7250 Mesa College Dr. San Diego, CA, 92111

Cash For College 1:1 Workshops

1/20/24 - 9:00am - 1:00pm - All County Fin Aid Blitz & Virtual
1/24/24 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm at Chula Vista High & Virtual
1/27/24 - 9:00am - 11:00am at RBVHS (Vista) & Virtual
1/31/24 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm at El Camino High & Virtual
1/31/24 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm at Valhalla High & Virtual
2/10/24 - 9:00am - 11:00am at Crawford High & Virtual
2/10/24 - 9:00am - 11:00am at Oceanside High & Virtual
2/24/24 - 9:00am - 11:00am at RBVHS (Vista) & Virtual
2/24/24 - 9:00am - 11:00am at Sweetwater High & Virtual
2/24/24 - 9:00am - 11:00am at Monte Vista High & Virtual
2/28/24 - 5:00pm - 7:00pm at Madison High & Virtual

College Make It Happen (CMIH)

11/8/23 - Virtual: CMIH Middle School Webinar
3/6/24 - Virtual: CMIH Middle School Webinar
4/10/24 - Virtual: CMIH Middle School Webinar

*Contact kkwhitaker@ucsd.edu to request in person CMIH events.

1:1 College Advising Cal-SOAP College Readiness Coach (CRC)

CRCs are assigned to specific schools to provide college advising and Financial Aid/College Application assistance.

JOIN NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



WHAT IS IT?

National Honor Society is a nationally recognized, selective academic honor society. We promote scholarship, leadership, service, and character.

WHY JOIN?

- Apply to weekly scholarships
- Get involved with the Mira Mesa community through service events
- Seniors who meet requirements earn a stole
- Be eligible to attend NHS college tour field trips!
- ALL seniors receive graduation cords!
- Be part of a nationally recognized organization!

Requirements

1. 3.5 or higher Weighted GPA (9-12)
2. No F's or U's
3. List extracurricular involvement
4. Have taken or are currently enrolled in 2 weighted classes (honors, AP, college) simultaneously in once school year
5. One faculty recommendation
6. Any D's or W's require a written explanation

**SCAN THE QR CODE
TO APPLY**

Due Friday, September 29

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