

EAGLE UPDATE

November 28, 2021

We will be trying a new way to identify items in the EAGLE UPDATE. Any item with a **RED HEADER is NEW INFORMATION**. Any item with a **BLUE HEADER is information from PREVIOUS updates**.

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MILTON THEATRE PRESENTS: CIRQUE BIVIO

Milton Theatre Company to present CIRQUE BIVIO in December. Join our award-winning Milton Theatre Cirque Program for CIRQUE BIVIO

4 shows available:

December 2, 3, & 4 @ 7:00PM

December 4 @ 2:00PM

Over 40 students will perform in this family friendly show, which features our main character, Bea, at a crossroads. Experience more than a dozen acts of awe-inspiring circus and aerial as she journeys through sea, swamp, jungle, and more. You won't want to miss the costumes, the music, the sets, or the talent!

Few tickets still available at: <https://mhsga.booktix.com>

NO SEATS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR - ONLINE SALES ONLY - NO REFUNDS

ASVAB TESTING DECEMBER 1

We will be offering a Fall administration of the **Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)** on **Wednesday, December 1**. The **ASVAB** is a multiple-aptitude battery that measures developed abilities and helps predict future academic and occupational

success in the military. It is administered annually to more than one million military applicants, high school, and post-secondary students. If you are a student pursuing a career in the Military after high school and want to take the ASVAB, please use the below link: [ASVAB SIGN-UP LINK](#)

PRINCETON CLUB COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

ATTENTION JUNIORS

Established in 1985 by the Princeton Club of Georgia, the Community Service Award honors Metro-Atlanta-area high school juniors who, through community involvement and personal initiative, best exemplify the unofficial motto of Princeton University: Princeton in the nation's service and the service of humanity.

The 2021 nomination packet can be downloaded from the Princeton Club of Georgia website by [CLICKING HERE](#).

The application includes:

- a nomination form completed by the school
- a personal statement by the student
- up to two teacher/community letters of recommendation.

Each school may nominate up to three students; interested students should contact their school counselor.

Students selected for the 2021 PCGA Community Service Award will be recognized at a special award ceremony in Spring 2022, either virtually or at the State Capitol.

[CLICK HERE FOR 2021 NOMINATION PACKET](#)

PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLAR PROGRAM

The GaDOE is accepting applications/nominations for the **Presidential Scholar Program**. The application is due **Wednesday, December 1, 2021 at noon**. Any Georgia high-school student may complete the application, provided they are scheduled to graduate between January 2022 and August 2022, and provided they secure signatures from their principal and school counselor along with their parent/guardian. There are no restrictions on the number of students in a school or district who may apply. Please note that submission of a nomination form does not guarantee the student will be nominated for the federal program; Georgia is only permitted to nominate 20 students to the U.S. Department of Education. This nomination form is for the general Presidential Scholar recognition; the CTE and Arts recognitions are handled separately.

Click below for the 2022 Presidential Scholar nomination/application form: <https://form.jotform.com/213115686647158>

GEORGIA SCHOLAR APPLICATION

The GaDOE is accepting applications/nominations for the **Georgia Scholar Program**. The application is due **Tuesday, February 15, 2022 at noon**. Any 2022 graduating senior attending a Georgia high school may complete the application, provided they meet the criteria (outlined in the application) and provided they secure signatures from their principal, school counselor, and parent/guardian. There are no restrictions on the number of students in a school or district who may apply. Please note that the requirements for Georgia Scholar are set in state law and exceptions cannot be made. Additionally, please be aware that Georgia Scholar is a recognition-only program and no scholarship funds are associated.

Click here for the 2022 Georgia Scholar application form: <https://form.jotform.com/213073543188153>

RED SHIELD SHELTER NEW TOWEL DRIVE

NOVEMBER 29 - DECEMBER 3

The Milton Baseball program will start conducting our annual New Bath Towel Drive for the Red Shield Shelter in Atlanta. Every year, Milton High School and the Eagles Baseball program collect hundreds of towels to help the homeless in their time of most need. The Red Shield Shelter is the largest in metro Atlanta (325 beds) and has sections for veterans, women, men, and families. While you are out holiday shopping over the next few weeks, **please help us out by picking up new bath towels to deliver to the MHS Atrium between 7:15AM - 8:00AM Monday, November 29 through Friday, December 3.**

NORTH FULTON CHARITIES COLLECTION

Chick-FII-A Leader Academy is collecting ***can and dry packaged food*** for North Fulton Community Charities Food Bank for the Winter Holidays. ***We are also collecting gently used blankets, towels, leashes and collars*** for the Atlanta Human Society.

Please bring all donations to 1275 by December 13

WINTER CHORUS CONCERT

Milton Chorus invites you to our Winter Concert. Join our singers to celebrate the season with holiday classics! This event is truly a special night out for friends and family and always a community favorite.

WHEN: Tuesday, December 7, 7:00PM

WHERE: Crabapple First Baptist Church

[12760 Birmingham Hwy](#)

[Milton, GA 30004](#)



MILTON SOCCER TRY-OUTS

CLICK ON THE IMAGE FOR INFORMATION ABOUT MILTON SOCCER TRY-OUTS!

A graphic for Milton Soccer Registration and Tryout Information. The background is blue with a sunburst pattern. At the top, it says "MILTON SOCCER" in large red letters. Below that, it says "REGISTRATION and TRYOUT INFORMATION" in white. In the center, there is a white soccer ball with the "MILTON EAGLES SOCCER" logo. Below the ball, it says "PLAYERS INTERESTED IN PLAYING SOCCER NEED TO REVIEW AND COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:". At the bottom, there are two numbered steps: "1 REGISTER FOR TRYOUTS [HERE](#)" and "2 IMPORTANT PLAYER INFORMATION (DATES, COST, FUNDRAISING, ETC.) [HERE](#)".

BOYS SPRING LACROSSE REGISTRATION

Great news...Spring Lacrosse Registration is NOW OPEN through November 30th! Registration

Link: <https://www.miltonlax.com/blank>

Fee: \$700

Tryouts for both JV & Varsity:

January 17: Tryouts Begin

January 22: Red/White Scrimmage

January 23: Team Selections Announced

January 24: Spring Practice Starts

***NOTE:** All players who tryout will be placed on either the Varsity or Junior Varsity Team for the Spring Season; no cuts.

2nd SEMESTER SCHEDULE CHANGE INFORMATION

As we begin preparing for the spring semester of the 2021-22 year, we want you to be aware of the procedures for requesting changes to schedules for the spring. An electronic form will be available **December 6-10** for schedule change requests for the Spring 2022 semester. **Requests MUST be received by December 10 at 3:30 PM for consideration.** After this date, changes will only be considered for extenuating circumstances.

We WILL consider changes for the following reasons:

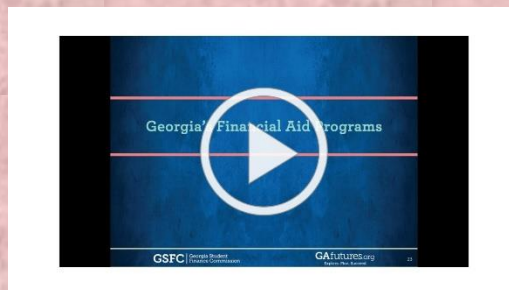
1. Senior needs the course to graduate
2. Senior wants to take a reduced course load
3. Student earned a 70 or below fall semester of Honors or AP and teacher recommends going down in level (only if it fits student schedule)
4. New class that begins in January for the first time (i.e. Graphics I, Sociology, etc.)

We WILL NOT consider changes for the following reasons:

1. Changing year-long electives
2. Changing periods or teachers
3. Changing from Milton (in-person) to FVS/GAVS (online) or online to in-person courses
4. Moving to a lower-level class but passed the fall semester

FINANCIAL AID NIGHT VIDEO AVAILABLE

In case you missed it, please see the link to the recording of Financial Aid Night with the Georgia Student Finance Commission from Monday, November 8 below. **CLICK ON THE IMAGE TO VIEW.**



FREE APPLEROUTH WEBINAR

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Upcoming Webinars		Event Code
November 17 8:00pm EST	College Testing Timeline: Class of 2023	M471106
November 22 8:00pm EST	SAT vs ACT: The differences, the timelines, and the expectations of colleges	M428168
December 8 7:00pm EST	Your PSAT Scores are Back: Now What?	M475106

To register, go to www.applerouth.com/signup and enter the event code.

2022-2023 COURSE SELECTION TIMELINE

As we begin preparing for course registration for the 2022-23 year, we want you to be aware of the general timeline and changes coming to course registration in the spring.

Timeline:

Mid-January: Rising 9th Grade Night and Elective Fair

Late January: Core teachers enter academic recommendations for 22-23 year

Early February: Advisors and students enter elective choices for 22-23 year

Early February: Course verification sheets distributed to students; students can make any changes

Mid-February: Course verification forms due to counselors; no changes after this point

Mid-April: Second verification of courses, changes will only be honored for going down in academic level only, reduced load for seniors (if available), and dual enrollment

Changes will only be considered for a very limited set of circumstances at the beginning of the 2022-23 school year, similar to the reasons listed for mid-April above. Please make course selections thoughtfully and carefully this spring.

FVS/GAVS:

Students must enroll in FVS or GAVS classes during the general course registration period. Registration after that time (mid-February) will not be permitted. Students enrolled in FVS/GAVS classes must take the course(s) the first/last periods of the day (blocked together if multiple). Students cannot be on campus during their virtual class time and must provide their own transportation to/from school. Students and parents will be required to sign an online course contract to participate. Please note that if you are not a senior, parking is not guaranteed.

Dual Enrollment:

Students must strictly follow all dual enrollment deadlines in order to meet requirements for participation. Specific deadlines will be shared in coming weeks, but students can preview DE information, deadlines, and processes on the counseling office's DE page: www.bit.ly/mhsdualenrollment. Students taking dual enrollment the first/last periods of the day cannot be on campus during their class time and must provide their own transportation to/from school.

Honors/AP Waiver:

We strongly encourage families to follow the recommendations of their current teachers for next year's level placement, as they are experts in the content area and have seen the student's work each day. If a student would like to waive into a higher level of a course (e.g. honors, AP), the student and parent will be required to sign an Honors/AP Course Waiver to be enrolled. Students will NOT be dropped from Honors/AP classes after the semester begins due to poor performance, stress, etc.

MILTON SGC MEETING: 12/14/21

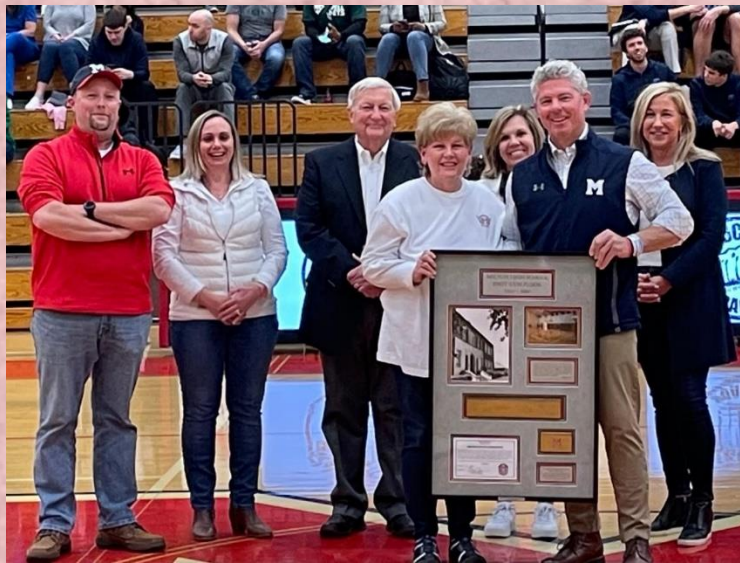
Milton's School Governance Council will have their December meeting on **Tuesday, December 14 at 7:15AM**. The meeting is open to the public to attend, but is not a public meeting. Public Comment will resume with our January meeting, which is scheduled for Tuesday, January 11. If you are interested in attending the December meeting virtually, you may follow this link:

[CLICK HERE FOR DECEMBER SGC MEETING](#)

You can find out more information regarding Milton's School Governance Council by visiting the SGC portion of Milton's website. You are also welcome to email any questions to Chair Rebecca DeWeese: deweese@fultonschools.org

MHS 100th FEATURE

Milton High School was established 100 years ago on its first campus in downtown Alpharetta in 1921. There were no sports teams for quite a few years before sports started to be played informally, with many games being played in what was known as the Eagle Gym that was located behind the Alpharetta Police Station and City Hall. In 1949, a more formal sports program was started and in 1954, Milton's first school gymnasium was dedicated. Even though a new gym was built in 1981, the old gym continued to be used for practices, PE classes, and even theatre productions. In 2017, when the old school building was set to be torn down, some of the pieces of the original hardwood floor from the old gym were saved and have been preserved in a framed piece to be hung in our current gym. The framed piece was presented to Principal Brian Jones at the MHS/Roswell basketball game on November 17 by members of the 100th Anniversary committee represented by **Travis Allen**: Class of 1995, **Jackie Angel**: Retired Faculty, **Melanie Davis**: Alumni Parent, **Jill McGarvey**: MHS Faculty & Alumni Parent, **Donna Murphy**: Class of 1978, and **Phil Thomas**: Retired MHS Principal.



MILTON TENNIS REGISTRATION & INFO

Milton Tennis Tryout Registration and Information Meeting

Please complete [this form](#) to receive more information regarding registration and tryouts.

[CLICK HERE FOR REGISTRATION FORM](#)

Important Dates:

12/3: Registration Due!



MILTON PTO

COMMUNITY PARTNER SPOTLIGHT



This week's PTO Community Partner Spotlight is on Game Theory College Planners. We're Danny and Karen and we help families get 4 years at a great college for the cost of only 2 years, sometimes even less, without the usual frustration and nonsense. For over a decade, we've done this using less time and at a fraction of the usual cost. To see exactly how we do it, just scroll, learn, and book a call by visiting gametheory.college.

THANK YOU

The MHS PTO would like to thank all of the great MHS families who helped to treat our staff to lunch from Southern Baked Pie Company on Friday, November 19! The staff was super appreciative; it was a great way to show how much we love them!

STAFF SUPPORT

You can continue to show support to our amazing MHS staff by donating towards the holiday luncheon. We are planning a fun afternoon of food, entertainment, and prizes on **Wednesday, 12/15**. See our website for the link to donate.

CADY FEEDBACK

The MHS PTO is collecting feedback on Cady Studios through a survey, see our website for details.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We still have volunteer opportunities for both the front office and the outdoor lunch tables. Our volunteers are so appreciated, come join in as we support our school!

[CLICK HERE TO VOLUNTEER](#)

EAGLE PRIDE

SWIMMING

Congratulations to Milton Swim team for placing third at the **Lassiter Invite**. Our leading scorers were **Cooper Cook, Will Coady and Gavin Schwandt!**

LATIN

Congratulation to the Milton students who participated in to **2021 Clemson University Declamation** contest. **Ashley Rea, Alexi Koviak, Catie Buchanan, Teddy Sambol, Luke Ortwein,** and **William Swan** all memorized and performed a Latin poetry passage for this year's competition.

The Clemson University Department of Languages hosted the 49th Annual Declamation Contest. This annual poetry recitation contest is an opportunity for middle-school and high-school students from across the region to show off their foreign-language skills by competing in ASL, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Russian, and Spanish. Four of the Milton Latin students who participated were medal winners:

Catie Buchanan: 3rd place Latin 1

William Swan: 1st place Latin 3

Teddy Sambol: 3rd place Latin 3

Luke Ortwein: 2nd place Latin 4

The contest is open to students regularly enrolled in middle and high school language courses. Contest competitions are offered in the following languages: American Sign Language, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Russian and Spanish.

Kudos to these fine scholars for their dedication to the Classics and to cementing Milton's status as one of the top Classics programs in the nation.

Congratulations to the Milton Certamen teams for their success at the first national tournament of the year. Yale University hosted their 10th annual certamen tournament over the weekend, and Milton did exceptionally well.

Competing against 100 of the best Classics programs in the county, including Boston Latin School and Exeter Academy, Milton's advanced team scored over 300 points, ending up in 11th place, while the novice team finished in the top 20. Felicitations to these fine scholars who gave up their Saturday to compete at this prestigious event.

Milton Novice Certamen

Daniel Fujamade

Selin Yalcin

Milton Advanced Certamen

William Swan

Teddy Sambol

Luke Ortwein

Acclamations to these young Classicists for continuing to promote Milton High School's academic programs on the national stage.

MILTON AMNESTY

Congratulations to Amnesty@Milton for winning **1st place in Activism X 2021!**

Milton's Amnesty members held a lobby training for Milton students as well as several other nearby high schools to prepare for a virtual lobby visit on the Break the Cycle of Violence Act, created a banner that students signed to help support ending gun violence, and used social media to promote the cause. To see more, look on Instagram:

@aiusayouth or visit our MHS website: <https://sites.google.com/view/miltonamnesty/home>



MILTON NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The officers of the National Honor Society organized a **5k fundraiser to benefit the Veterans Empowerment Organization (V.E.O.)** two weekends ago. The race was a huge success with over 130 runners/walkers and **NHS raised over \$2,800 and donated over a thousand non-perishable goods to the V.E.O.!** A huge thank you to those who participated in the race.



ATHLETIC SCHEDULES

HOME

FRI 12/3: Football v Walton FINAL FOUR GHSA Playoffs 8:00PM

SAT 12/4: Girls Basketball v Kennesaw Mountain JV@12:00 & Varsity@1:30PM

AWAY

FRI 12/3: Varsity Girls Basketball v Mt. Pisgah @ 6:00pm

SAT 12/4: Varsity Boys Basketball at Wheeler v Pebblebrook @ 7:30PM

SAT 12/4: Wrestling Walton Duals @ 9:00AM

PTO BUSINESS PARTNERS

