**Financial Aid Overview** - MTHS will provide an overview of the Financial Aid process for students and families on **December 13th at 6:30 PM** in the MTHS Auditorium. This is an opportunity for students and families from any grade level to learn about ways to pay for college. Resources will be available on Schoology after this event for those that are not able to attend. There is no form to register for this session - all are welcome to join us in the MTHS Auditorium.

Attention any 11th or 12th grader interested in taking the ASVAB for either military entrance, career development or to meet a graduation pathway. We will be hosting the ASVAB test on Thursday, December 21 during periods 1-3. If you are interested in taking the ASVAB you must sign up in the counseling office by the end of school on Wednesday, December 20.

**Sophomores interested in pursuing the International Baccalaureate Diploma** during junior and senior years: Applications are due by December 15 to Dr. Penner in room 175. Contact Dr. Penner with questions.

The application instructions for **students interested in attending CTC for the 2024-2025 school year** can be found in the Class of 2025 and Class of 2026 materials folder in Schoology. Manheim Township's deadline for submitting applications is Friday December 22, 2023. If you have any questions, please see Mrs. Stoudt in the counseling office.

We are excited to announce a new club this year, Future Teachers Club! This club is for students who want to go into teaching! This announcement is two-fold. First, we are excited to announce our first fundraiser of the year! Holiday Cards! They will be sold at all lunches starting December 11-13. They are \$1 per card, and you can add a candy cane for \$1 more. All purchases will go to the Future Teachers Club for fieldtrips and more! And second, if you are interested in becoming a teacher, we are seeking new members. Please see Mrs. Leisey in the library to join the Future Teachers Club and don't forget to buy and send a holiday card to your friends during lunches next week.

**Key Club is hosting their annual Stall Day** this Thursday, December 14th. Bring in as much change as you can to your teachers, and class will be "stalled" until your teacher finishes counting all the money. This means the more change you bring in, the less work you have to do!! All proceeds will be donated to the Thirst Project.

Student picture retakes have arrived - see Mrs. Faller in the main office to pick them up.

<u>Senior Student Athletes</u>: Do you plan on playing sports in college? Will you be participating in National Signing Day on Wednesday, February 7, 2024? Stop in at the Athletic office and complete your questionnaire. Deadline is Thursday February 1, 2024.

The MT Swim & Dive team is hosting a drive to benefit the MTSD Care Closet. Please bring in any of the following items, toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, conditioner, body wash, bar soap, hairbrushes, toilet paper, paper towels, napkins, laundry detergent, cleaning supplies, sponges. Please put them in the collection box in the main lobby or in bags in participating classrooms. The swim & dive team thanks you for helping to Stock the Shelves of the Care Closet!

## **TODAY'S SPORTS**

SPORT	VS	A/H	SITE	GAME TIME	E.D.	<b>BUS TIME</b>
Vswim	Ephrata	Н	Pool	4:00		
Vrifle	Conestoga Valley	Н	Rifle Range	4:00		
Jvgbasket	Reading	Н	Arena	6:00		
Vgbasket	Reading	Н	Arena	7:30		