



Madison / Preparatory High School Newsletter

APRIL 19, 2024

APRIL EAGLE SPOTLIGHT ✦

Shout out to our E-Sports Eagles!!!!

Congratulations for making the state playoffs for the Michigan High School Esports League! Many schools qualified multiple teams in one of nine possible state league game titles: Super Smash Bros. Ultimate, Rocket League, Mario Kart 8 Deluxe, Overwatch 2, Valorant, Splatoon 3, Madden, NBA2K and League of Legends. We are so proud of a great season thus far!



REACH FOR THE PIE!!!

[Michigan Lt. Gov. Garlin Gilchrist II joined the Michigan Department of Lifelong Education, Advancement, and Potential \(MiLEAP\) today to kick off "Reach for the Pie,"](#) a statewide initiative and contest, in

partnership with Hungry Howie's and Michigan Credit Union League, encouraging students and parents to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to lower the cost of college and unlock valuable financial aid opportunities such as the Michigan Achievement Scholarship.

The goal of the initiative is to encourage Michigan students to complete the FAFSA to increase access to student aid. By completing the FAFSA, class of 2024 students will be eligible to enter the contest for a chance to win free Hungry Howie's pizza for a year. The prize will be awarded to 100 randomly selected students. The deadline to enter the contest is June 30, 2024. MiLEAP's MI Student Aid will post the list of winners on reachforthepie.org on or after Aug. 1, 2024.



We're asking for your help to share this initiative with your students, families and colleagues. You can find digital resources to spread with word in our [Digital Toolkit](#).

Students and families can learn more at reachforthepie.org!

MI Student Aid offers a variety of [FAFSA resources](#) to help students and families complete the simplified FAFSA.

Community Events and Resources

April Events

Family Fun:

*April 20th Poetry Day at MH Public Library!

*April 20th Drive Thru Recycling, Southfield

*April 20th [Experience Korea!](#) Get ready to immerse yourself in all things Korean at Experience Korea – a fun-filled event showcasing the best of Korean culture. [Registration](#) is required

*April 22nd Earth Day Propagation Planting Party at MH Public Library

*[2 FREE Games](#) of bowling each day to kids during the Spring and Summer.



Basic Needs/Food pantry:

- MH Food Pantry, Saturday April 20th (see flyer)

*[Gleaners](#): April 20th @ St. Suzanne Cody Rouge Community Resource Center
19321 W. Chicago Detroit, MI 48228

Housing:

Habitat for Humanity of Oakland County is accepting applications for their roof, ramp and repair program

Family Supports & Resources:

*April 25th [Banking Basics](#) by OLHSA

*April 22nd Pinwheel Party by MHYC: help children understand healthy ways of dealing with stress, enjoy crafts and visit MH firehouse. Registration required: [Pinwheels for Prevention Party](#)

*April 23rd Loan Orientation by OLHSA – [CEED Lending Loan Orientation](#)

*Marijuana Prevention - [Clear the Smoke](#)

Job opportunities for students:

*[Summer Hiring Fairs](#) at Troy Rec, April 13th, 18th and 25th

*[MH Public Library](#) is accepting applications for a part-time page (shelving & inventory work) for Fridays & Saturdays, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Must be at least 14 years old and able to obtain a work permit.

Local Food Pantries:

[Gleaners Mobile Food Distribution](#)

Saturday April 13th St. Timothy United Methodist Church - 15888 Archdale Detroit

Type your zipcode to find a food pantry near you: <https://pantrynet.org/>

[Forgotten Harvest](#)

ALLIANCE of COALITIONS for Healthy Communities: April is "Alcohol Awareness and Underage Drinking Prevention Month" -- the brain is still developing until age 25 #alcoholawarenessmonth

EARTH DAY PROPAGATION PLANTING PARTY
 APRIL 22ND 5:00PM - 7:30PM
 BRECKENRIDGE ROOM

Join us on earth day to plant a terracotta pot and plant a propagated plant while supplies last or use seeds from our seed library. Get information about sustainable practices and other environmental information. No registration required. While supplies last.

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 MADISON-HEIGHTS.ORG/LIBRARY

POETRY DAY
 APRIL 20, 10:30-12:30
 BRECKENRIDGE ROOM

Write poems in a variety of ways or read them aloud for a chance to win a prize!

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Celebrate Earth Day with Drive-Thru Recycling

Oakland County Sheriff's Office and Community Partners

Sponsored by our community partners, Oakland Schools is pleased to announce a drive thru recycling and donation event. No need to get out of your car! Our team of volunteers will assist you in dropping off the following items:

- Document Shredding
- Non-perishable Food
- Bikes
- Prescription Drugs
- Clean, Gently Used Clothing

Donated items will be refurbished by the Sheriff's Re-Cycle for Kids program and made available to children and families in need. For more information, please scan the QR code.

Saturday, April 20, 2024
 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

City of Southfield
 Municipal Parking Lot
 26000 Evergreen Road
 Southfield, MI 48076

Madison Heights Youth Assistance and The GFWC Madison Heights Women's Club invite you to a

Pinwheel Party
 Monday, April 22, 2024
 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Madison Heights Fire Station #1
 31313 Brush St.,
 Madison Heights

FUN ACTIVITIES FOR YOUR FAMILY
 JOIN THE FUN INSIDE THE MADISON HEIGHTS FIRE STATION

HELP CHILDREN UNDERSTAND HEALTHY WAYS OF DEALING WITH STRESS. ENJOY ARTS & CRAFTS & VISIT THE FIRE HOUSE!

Register at: <https://forms.gle/ckdqxthJ83BoCBF6>
 CALL MIYA AT 248-589-6860 WITH QUESTIONS

Habitat for Humanity
 of Oakland County

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

Roofs, Ramps and Repair Program

- FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED DETERMINED BY A COMPLETED APPLICATION
- PRIORITY IS GIVEN TO SENIORS 62 YEARS AND OLDER
- THE REPAIR IS ESTIMATED TO COST LESS THAN \$25,000
- THE HOME MUST BE A SINGLE FAMILY, OWNER-OCCUPIED DWELLING
- THE HOME MUST BE LOCATED IN ONE OF THE QUALIFIED AREAS (SEE MAP)

in partnership with

OAKLAND COUNTY
 Always MOVING FORWARD

BANK

Banking Basics
 Financial Education Webinar Via Zoom
 April 25, 2024 • 10-11:00 AM

Are you new to banking? Maybe you've had a bad experience, and want to try again. Our Banking Basics class will review:

- What a financial institution is
- The types of accounts they generally offer
- What the benefits of having an account are
- The most common and current banking scams

Join us for this comprehensive introduction to banking.

Once you register you will receive a confirmation email. You will be sent the Zoom link 2 business days prior to the class.

To register for this class please visit www.olhsa.org/events

Questions: contact housing@counseling@olhsa.org or call 248-860-7845

MSHDA VENTURE OLHSA A Community Action Agency

The brain is still developing until age 25

Underage alcohol use can impact the development of the brain and lead to lifelong effects.
 #alcoholawarenessmonth

ALLIANCE OF COALITIONS for Healthy Communities

For more information on how to prevent youth marijuana use, scan the QR code!

CLEAR THE SMOKE
 PREVENT YOUTH MARIJUANA USE

ALLIANCE OF COALITIONS
 for Healthy Communities

Or visit www.achcmi.org

Madison Heights **Food & Pantry**
 "Look for the Helpers"

2024 PANTRY DATES

Drive-up Saturdays from 10:30-12:00 at Central Church, 1529 E. 12 Mile

Open January 6 and 20
 Open February 3 and 17
 Open March 2 and 16
 Open April 6 and 20
 Open May 4 and 18
 Open June 8 and 22
 Open July 13 and 27 (not open July 4th weekend)
 Open August 10 and 24
 Open September 7 and 21
 Open October 5 and 19
 Open November 9 and 23
 Open December 7 and 21

Please remember:

1. When arriving early, park 6 cars to a lane and close to each other
2. Only one box per household
3. Keep radios low while waiting
4. On hygiene days, limit requests to what you need now
5. Remember to bring boxes back at the next pickup day
6. Items you are giving to us on pickup day should be given to those who are bringing your food to the car
7. Please keep this schedule, as no reminder texts will be sent

Lunchtime Tutoring

Our lunchtime tutoring continues every Tuesday and Thursday, during all 3 lunches. Students may work on missing assignments, retake assessments, set weekly goals and NHS students will also be available to assist with tutoring, homework or test prep. Additionally, staff will be available to print missing assignments and help students set weekly goals. Please encourage your Eagle to attend!!!



“SHOW YOUR MONEY SMARTS” ONLINE CONTEST

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Give young people a jump start by equipping them with the knowledge to make sound financial choices and develop good banking habits! Youth compete with other youth across the state of Michigan. Open to both 4-H and non 4-H members, ages 13-19. Chance to win \$50. Registration ends April 29, 2024



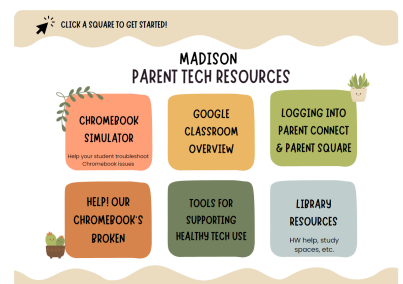
Madison Parent Tech Resources

Check out our Parent Tech Resources! Each square on the link is clickable and has resources on Chromebooks, Google Classroom, Library resources and more!!!

[Madison Parent Tech Resources \(English\)](#)

[Madison Parent Tech Resources \(Spanish\)](#)

[Madison Parent Tech Resources \(Ukrainian\)](#)



MADISON SCIENCE NIGHT 2024!!!

Where:

Wilkinson Middle School

When: May 23, 2024

From: 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.



Prepayment DISCOUNTS

Must pay before March 23, 2024

\$8 per person prepay

Kids UNDER 5 are FREE

\$10 per person after March 23, 2024



Highlights and Attractions:

All you can eat buffet
Awesome Science Labs
Monkey Motion/Rock Wall
Huge Raffle

Petting Zoo
Pony Rides
Wax Hands
Cool Science Merchandise

...and Much, Much, More!



MAY 24-27

CARNIVAL RIDES!

FOOD AND GAMES



FAMILY FUN!

MADISON HIGH SCHOOL

915 E 11 Mile - Madison Heights
skerbeck.com



Principal Cauley & AP Helchowski