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Pollard Daily Bulletin

Monday, September 18

A Day - ABCD - 5A6A

AUDITION WEEK

September 26-29

**Select
Choir
Auditions**

**Honors
Bands
Auditions**

**Town
Orchestra
Auditions**

**Musical
Information
Meeting**

Look at the following slides for info on how to get involved in the amazing performance opportunities at Pollard!

HONORS ENSEMBLES

Select Choir

Auditions Google
Classroom Code:

q6rcede

For all questions,
email Ms.

White-Rivera:

**hannah_white-rivera@
needham.k12.ma.us**

Band Ensembles

**Includes: Jazz Ensemble, Jazz Lab
Band, and Wind Ensemble**

Auditions Google Classroom Code:

elyt64u

For all questions, email Mr. Heldt:

steven_heldt@

needham.k12.ma.us

Town

Orchestra

Auditions Google
Classroom Code:

ocyslIn

For all questions,
email Mr. Smith:

mark_smith@

needham.k12.ma.us

Musical Information Meeting

Want to be a part of the Winter Musical? Come to the information meeting on:


Friday, September 29

2:30-3:15 in the Pollard Auditorium

At the meeting, the directors will announce the title of the show, go over what you need to prepare for auditions, review the rehearsal schedule, and answer all your questions. Actors and techies of all experience levels are welcome!

Winter Musical Google Classroom: [zvgvih2](#)

The Pollard/High Rock Drama Association puts up two productions every year: a Winter Musical and a Spring Play. The Winter Musical will be performed February 2nd at 7:00 and February 3rd at 2:00 and 7:00.



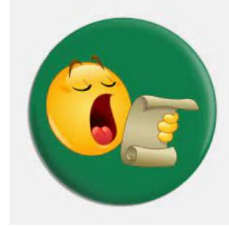
NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

September 15 to October 15

Be on the lookout for opportunities to participate in events celebrating Hispanic Heritage month!

Hispanic Heritage Month commences on on September 15th to celebrate the independence anniversaries of Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua!

Student Council



Student Council Announcement

Student Council is looking for 7th & 8th graders who are interested in making a difference at our school. Student Council is an organization that gives all students a voice in school issues. We strive to make Pollard a strong community and a FUN place to be! We plan events like Spirit Week, Advisory Contest, and bake sales. We do a lot of fundraising for a number of different organizations and plan community-building activities.

Our first meeting is on Tuesday, 9/19 in Room 291 from 2:50 to 4:00. Our first big event is our Pumpkin Decorating Contest and we need your help. We hope to see you there!

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Ahnert in Room 291.

Pollard Fall Athletic Game Schedule

Link for Full Schedule:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/e/2PACX-1vTIREKlqY3rp9Lg27yrJVye_N1j8HoTrLpaUwUMFahi3qDJVrv3UKpoNljrYcKun85ONF_-hPSFdpgw/pubhtml?gid=782026443&single=true



September Athletic Schedule

Needham MS Athletic Schedules

[Athletics Website](#)

Date	Time	Team(s)	Type	H/A	Opponent(s)/Event	Site	Subsite	Bus Time
Tue, Sep 19	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 1	Game	H	Wilson		Pollard MS Field	
Tue, Sep 19	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 2	Game	A	Kennedy	Natick Kennedy MS		3:00 PM
Wed, Sep 20	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 1	Game	H	Needham 2	Pollard MS	Pollard MS Field	
Wed, Sep 20	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 2	Game	H	Needham 1		Pollard MS Field	
Wed, Sep 20	4:00 PM	Volleyball MS Girls 1	Match	H	Weston	Weston MS	Gym	
Wed, Sep 20	4:00 PM	Volleyball MS Girls 2	Match	A	Wellesley	Wellesley MS	Gym	3:00 PM
Fri, Sep 22	4:00 PM	Volleyball MS Girls 1	Match	H	Wellesley	Wellesley MS	Gym	
Fri, Sep 22	4:00 PM	Volleyball MS Girls 2	Match	H	Pierce	Milton Pierce MS	Gym	
Tue, Sep 26	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 1	Game	A	Kennedy	Natick Kennedy MS		3:00 PM
Tue, Sep 26	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 2	Game	H	SJs		Pollard MS Field	
Wed, Sep 27	4:00 PM	Volleyball MS Girls 1	Match	A	Wilson	Natick Wilson MS	Gym	3:00 PM
Thu, Sep 28	4:00 PM	Cross Country MS	Meet	H	Kennedy	DeFazio Complex	XC Course	
Thu, Sep 28	4:00 PM	Volleyball MS Girls 1	Match	H	Needham 2	Needham Pollard MS	Gym	
Thu, Sep 28	4:00 PM	Volleyball MS Girls 2	Match	H	Needham 1	Needham Pollard MS	Gym	
Fri, Sep 29	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 1	Game	H	Wellesley		Pollard MS Field	
Fri, Sep 29	4:00 PM	Field Hockey MS 2	Game	A	Wilson	Natick Wilson MS		3:00 PM

Allies and
LGBTQ members
welcome!

GENDER AND SEXUALITY ALLIANCE

GSA

learn
about
issues!

MEETS FRIDAYS
RIGHT AFTER SCHOOL
2:20 - 3:15
ROOM 252

Make
new
friends!

with Ms. Strauss and Ms. Wilfrid

Late Bus starts on
September 19
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays



Join us for Needham's First "Walk-About" For Fentanyl Awareness

Why Participate?

- Fentanyl is the #1 cause of death among 18 to 45-year-olds.
- Fentanyl fatalities among children are rising faster than for any other age group.
- **EVERYONE IN OUR COMMUNITY DESERVES TO BE INFORMED.**

Date: Sunday October 15, 2023



Details:

- Sign up NOW using this QR Code
Or go to www.beccaschmillfdn.org.
- Pick up fentanyl awareness door hangers on Oct. 15 at our table at the Needham Farmer's Market/Green's Field.
- Go to your assigned neighborhood anytime on Oct. 15.
- Walk from house to house leaving a door hanger on the entrance door. (No knocking or talking required.)

YOU WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE ENTERED IN A RAFFLE TO WIN
ONE OF MANY GIFT CARDS DONATED BY LOCAL BUSINESSES


Becca Schmill
Foundation



beccaschmillfdn.org

Morning Announcers Wanted!

The Main Office is still looking for
Monday Morning Announcers!

If you would like to add your name to the list
email Ms. Leavitt @
maureen_leavitt@needham.k12.ma.us or
drop by the Main Office and let her know!

Important Dates and INFORMATION



Wednesday, September 20 - Early Release Day - Dismissal @ 11:40 a.m.
Monday, September 25 - No School - Yom Kippur