



Delaware Military Academy

2019 National Blue Ribbon School



Happy Halloween DMA!

October 28, 2019

Good morning Seahawk Nation,

Welcome to the last week of October! We have been buzzing through the weeks and months, and the cadets (and staff) have a well-deserved day off this Friday, so enjoy the long weekend!

Here is what we have happening this week at DMA:

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We had what can only be described as a remarkable turnout for our 2019 Open House. The campus was at capacity and the enthusiasm, energy and spirit on display was captivating! Thank you to our Big 3 (PTA, SBC and MA) for all of your support. Our Staff and coaching staff was informative, welcoming and mirrored the DMA mission. Last, but certainly not least it was again the cadets who stole the show. You cannot hide passion and the cadets were abounding with enthusiasm, and pride and it resonated throughout the campus! Thank you to all and we look forward to filling the Class of 2024 with more cadets who share the same beliefs and want to be a part of something bigger than themselves!



Mid-terms are this Wednesday and Thursday and dismissal is at 11:00am. The uniform of the day for Mid-terms is DMA PT gear. There is no school this Friday.



There is a DMA Board meeting tonight at 6:00pm in Talley Hall.



From the desk of the SNSI: Just a reminder that RSVPs for the Vets Breakfast on 8 NOV are due to me by COB on Thursday 31 OCT so that we can plan accordingly. In addition, our annual poinsettia sale begins 5 NOV. Details will be forthcoming.



Advanced Placement Testing Information: The procedures for AP Course testing has changed for this school year. When each cadet registered online for their AP course this fall, it also served as their exam registration. The AP exam dates will be as follows: Calculus AB & BC- May 5th, Computer Science- May 8th, Biology- May 11th, Physics- May 7th. Please consider these dates as you make plans and appointments for the spring. If a cadet has a conflict with any of these dates they should let their instructors know as soon as possible. The cost for AP Exams will be \$94 per exam. Students who qualify for the College Board Fee reduction will be charged \$32 and will receive prior notification. The payment will be accepted via check made payable to Delaware Military Academy. Please turn your payment in to Mrs. Tocyloski at her office. Payment will be accepted from now until March 6th. More information about the test day will be released, as we get closer to May.

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Dual Enrollment payment invoices were given out to all cadets enrolled in Del Tech Dual Enrollment courses for the first semester. If you need an additional copy or would like more information, please contact Mrs. Tocyloski. Payments are encouraged as soon as possible. The deadline for payment will be December 3rd.



Sports Report: Volleyball: Congratulations to our Volleyball team who earned the 13th seed in the 2019 DIAA State Championship Tournament. Our Lady Seahawks will host Concord on Thursday, October 31 at 6:00 PM, following the Dover vs. Caravel game that is scheduled to start at 5:00 PM at DMA. We encourage our cadets and fans to come support our team and wear their Halloween costumes to stay in the spirit of the season.



Football: Seahawk Nation! Come support your football team as they travel to Caravel this Friday, November 1. This is a must win for our boys in order to make it to the playoffs! We need your support there!



Please note that for All tournament games Student (grades K-12) and adult admission will be \$5 per DIAA guidelines. Cadets – sirens, horns, bells, buzzers, whistles, and other artificial or mechanical noisemakers are prohibited.



Cross Country: Congratulations to Quinn O'Dell, Deion Jones, Sam Rasmussen, Luke Charno, Nathan Boyer, Ashley Hughes, and Madeline Kuennen who all earned All-Conference Honors for the 2019 season.

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Winter Sports: Registration for winter sports is open. Please click on the link below to complete your registration. The deadline is Friday, November 8th. <https://www.familyid.com/programs/delaware-military-academy-2019-winter-athletic-registration>



Wrapping the Bleachers: Thank you to everyone who contributed to our wrapping the bleachers campaign. With your support, we will wrap our bleachers this upcoming spring season. Thank you for your support!



Mr. Jeanne has created a Band APP group titled 'DMA Athletics' please join us at <https://band.us/n/a1a227E3reRbn> for immediate information regarding our athletic program.



DMA Cares: On Friday, October 18th, athletes attended Forest Oak Elementary and Linden Hill Elementary schools where they read books to the students. This activity served as an academic piece towards our DMA Cares program. We added an athletic component in hosting a clinic on Saturday, October 19th. The sports clinic took place on our campus where instruction was provided by our student-athletes. Thank you and congratulations to all the athletes who participated in our new launched program. You definitely made an impact in the lives of others! Mr. Jeanne, along with the entire DMA Community are extremely proud of you!

We hope you have a wonderful week and as always, if there is something we can do to assist in your child's educational, athletic or social needs please let us know. Our door is always open!

Kind regards,

Anthony Pullella

Commandant

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