# BULLDOG PRESS

The latest news and updates from Middle College High School @ CBU



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#### Finish Strong, Begin Stronger

As we turn the corner towards the end of a very challenging semester one, we look forward to finishing strong and beginning semester two even stronger. Our Bulldogs have stepped up and taken full advantage of the learning opportunities provided by our dynamic teaching staff.

We will continue to do so and definitely need your continual support, together we're stronger.

During the 2nd semester, we are going to continue to challenge our students to ensure they are ready for the rigors of the next grade level and the approaching college matriculation for our Senior class of 2021!

Even in the midst of a pandemic, we know their dreams for their future haven't changed and we are committed to supporting them along the way.

Let's finish strong with one last big push this week and semester exams the following week.

Then let's set our goals for semester two, even higher. We are Middle College!



#### **Scholarship Opportunities**

#### **Cameron Williams Selmon Scholarship**

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA** 

- Complete Application
- High School Senior: Residing in Shelby County (TN)
- GPA: 2.5 Minimum (Transcript)
- College Acceptance Letter

Deadline: January 31, 2021 Application: <u>CLICK HERE</u>

#### LGBTQ Scholarship-Deadline Jan. 25

at 11:59pm. Point Foundation considers many factors including a proven track record of leadership and community involvement Strong academic achievement Working for the betterment of the LGBTQ community. Click **HERE** for more info and to apply.

#### Alpha Eta Zeta-DOVE Foundation,

Inc. is seeking college-bound, serious-minded graduating high school young ladies and undergraduate college women for scholarship award(s) for the 2020 -2021 school year. High school applicants must have a minimum G.P.A. of a 3.0 and college applicants must have a minimum G.P.A. of a 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.

All applications must be received by March 6, 2021. Reach out to Ms. Jones for more info.

The Jackie Robinson Foundation scholarship application is now available! The Jackie Robinson Foundation provides four-year scholarships of \$30,000 and extensive support services, including career guidance and internship placement, to highly motivated African American students who have maintained a 98% college graduation rate. We appreciate your support by sharing this opportunity with students. The deadline is February 1, 2021. CLICK HERE

The National Society of Phi Delta Kappa, Inc. is offering a scholarship opportunity for those interested in education. The winner receives \$6000 over four years. The deadline for this year's scholarship is January 29, 2021.

# Applications are now open. Click HERE for details and to apply.

In google classroom, there is a summer enrichment opportunities guide for your review.

Students and parents should use the guide to research different opportunities and apply.

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Registration Deadline: Monday, February 15, 2021

http://bit.ly/MACACTWORKSHOP

Testing With Success

2021 ACT PREP WORKSHOP

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**HBCU COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR** 



#### Free Workshops

Overview of mathematics, science reasoning, and English/Reading sections.

Scholarship writing

5 Year Plan

Time saving strategies for college students

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2021 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Register Online at
http://bit.ly/MACACTWORKSHOP
By Monday, February 15, 2021

- OPEN TO STUDENTS IN GRADES 8-12
- FREE ACT PREP WORKBOOKS TO THE 1ST 80 REGISTRANTS!!

QUESTIONS? EMAIL MACACTPREP@GMAIL.COM

Wade with PosterMyWall.com



# SHOUT OUTS



Check out some of the awesome opportunities our Bulldogs are taking advantage of, they are on the move!

#### **TSA West TN Regionals**

Our TSA Chapter did an amazing job representing MCHS at the West TN Regionals. Congratulations to all participants and their sponsors, Ms. Richmond and Mrs. Fontanilla. Here are the results:

Zoe, Julia, and Peyton Tripp Lauren Dunnam, Laniah Bowdery, and Ariel Thompson 1st Place Chapter Team

Zoe Tripp, Julia Tripp, and Ariel Thompson 1st Place Technology Bowl

Trinity Fields and Phillip Woods

<u>1st Place Debating Technological</u>

<u>Issues</u>

Andre Fields and Jada Sanford
1st Place Forensic Science

Asyah Dixon, Yasmine, and Ariel Thompson

1st Place Board Game Design

Lauren Dunnam and
Phillip Woods
2nd Place Technology
Problem Solving



Kenedi Garrett, Laniah Bowdery and Andre Fields

2nd Place Board Game Design

Julia Tripp and Trinity Fields

2nd Place Biotechnology Design

Trinity Fields

<u>1st Place Essays on Technology</u>

Zoe Tripp

<u>3rd Place Essays on Technology</u>

Peyton Tripp

<u>3rd Place Prepared Presentation</u>



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# Distinguished MCHS ladies competed as Distinguished Young Women

We are so proud of three of our seniors who represented themselves, MCHS, and the greater Memphis area during the 64th Distinguished Young Women of Tennessee competition which is part of a national scholarship program that promotes and rewards scholarship, leadership, and talent.

#### **Great job ladies!**



# Jordaan Davis Distinguished Young Woman of Bluff City

TALENT: Poetry

OLLEGE PREFERENCE: Middle TN State University

CAREER GOALS: Film Director & Screenwriter





Our Great Debaters! Our debate team participated in their first competition of

the year. All of these debaters were brand new and did an amazing job. Team results are still being processed. However, here are the top finishers for individual speaker awards:

#### America Ramirez - 2nd place Nyla Battles - 4th place

All participants represented MCHS with class and poise.

**Great job 1st-time debaters!** 

#### **Congratulations to all participants:**

Kera Armstrong E'Kiijah Turner America Ramirez Nyla Battles Kishania Fentress Trinity Harris Ashe Moulden CorNya Cobb JANUARY 24, 2021 VOL. 3 NO 11

## **Pre-Health Society**

# Shining Bright! ORGANIZ



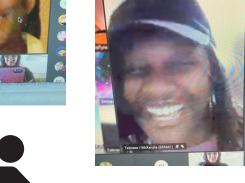
The Pre-Health Society sponsor, Dr. Williams wanted to provide some highlights from our pre-health society. Dr. Marcus Hudson was the guest speaker for this week's Pre- Health Society club meeting. He shared with the students his journey to obtaining his doctorate in physical therapy from the mighty UTHSC ③, all that his job encompasses, the range of salaries of the profession, suggested college majors that would best prepare them for the field, and enrichment opportunities that they should pursue if they're interested in becoming a physical therapist. Next Thursday their guest will be a medical officer in the Navy who has a background in nursing. Dr. Hudson expressed how impressed he was with their engagement and in-depth questions. He even stated that he would allow shadowing opportunities for those interested in the field whenever the world reopens after the pandemic. Way to be shining stars!

### Cooking With Class

Tabrea McKenzie and JaTyra Hawkins engaged the cooking club this past week with the ins and out of making delicious rotel. Great job ladies, Yum!







#### **Important Dates**

February 2nd - 3rd -Semester Exams

**February 4th** - END OF SEMESTER 1

**February 5th** - Teacher Professional Development -NO SCHOOL

**February 12th** - PSAT Exam - 9th Grade students

March 2nd - ACT Exam - 11th Grade students

