

Dear MHS Families,

As we have officially completed our first week of the 2021-2022 school year, I wanted to share with you some important information next week.

On Tuesday, September 14, 2021, we will have a presentation on substance use, alcohol awareness, mental health, and the importance of making good choices. Kathi Meyer and her husband, Chris Sullivan (presenters) have been traveling across the country since 2009 after Kathi's daughter Taylor passed away from underage drinking after attending a homecoming game and a series of underage drinking parties. Due to the sensitivity of the topics, I wanted to make you aware. You can learn more information by visiting Sullivan's Message website at <https://sullivansmessage.com>. Support staff will be available in the event any student is in need of assistance after the presentation. Our students will report to homeroom on Tuesday and then be escorted to the auditorium by their homeroom teacher. Students will be excused from their first and second period classes. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to me directly.

Also, next Friday, September 17, 2021, I will hold a school-wide assembly to review our expectations. At the conclusion of our assembly, we will follow a 1-hour delay schedule (students will report to all of their scheduled classes following our 1-hour delay schedule). Students that attend CTI Boces in the morning will be excused. All other students must attend, including seniors on late arrival.

In addition to our busy schedule next week, our Back to School Night will be held on Thursday, September 23, 2021, starting at 6:30pm. More information to follow.

Enjoy the weekend!

Mr. Seipp