

Sunday, September 20, 2020

Dear Students,

We hope that you are settling into your classes and weekly schedule. We wish the students who celebrate a Happy Jewish New Year (Shana Tovah). If you want to be included in the Jewish Affinity space, please get in touch with Ms. Lazes or Ms.Cook-Dubin.

Boarding students: Be on the lookout for communication from Ms. Bazanchuk with many details about your arrival!

This Week:

Please refer to the attached schedule to understand all that is happening.

- Advisor Meetings will be held on Wednesday September 20th at 10:00 am. Your advisor will send you the link.
- Community Meeting will be held on Wednesday September 20th at 10:30 am. Zoom link: https://misshalls.zoom.us/j/91206923323
- LatinX Affinity Group in partnership with DivCo will be presenting at Community Meeting this Wednesday as part of Hispanic/LatinX Heritage Month. Be on the lookout for Wednesday's *call to actions* and Thursday and Friday emails to learn more about LatinX history, culture and contributions!
- International Student Alliance (ISA) will hold the first meeting of the year on Wednesday, September 20th at 8:00pm-9:00pm (EST).

Zoom link: https://misshalls.zoom.us/j/91639588943

A little refresher: What is DivCo and what are Essential Coalitions? DivCo is made up of elected student leaders supported by adults from the DEI Team. Together with the Essential Coalitions: ISA, Essence, and Spectrum they organize educational presentations and cultural events and host discussions as part of MHS' commitment to diversity, equity and inclusion. **Learn more** at https://www.misshalls.org/dei

With the passing of US Supreme Court Justice, Ruth Bader Ginsberg we leave you with her words of guidance: "Fight for the things you care about but do it in a way that will lead others to join you." May her memories [and words] be a blessing!

Take care.

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