

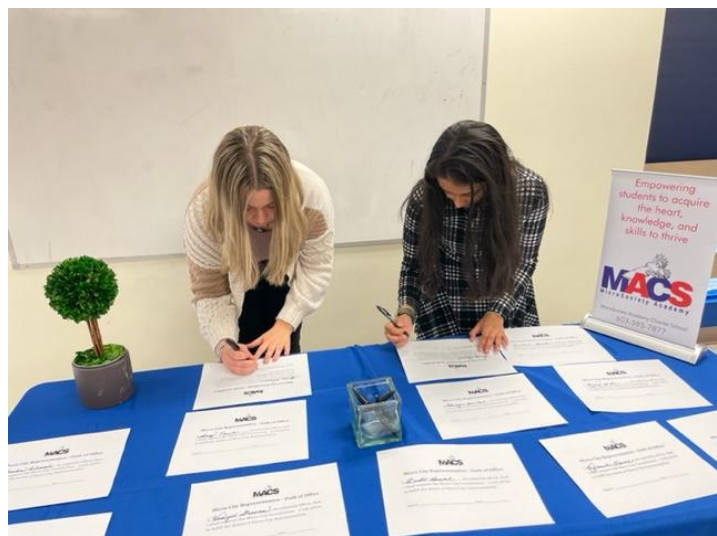
**Director Report**  
**October 2022**  
**“Relate. Connect. Understand”**

***Micro Moment:***

*Students held election speeches at Stellos stadium on September 26th, followed by Inauguration Day, which was held on September 30th. A huge thank you to Representative Rice and Selectman Longan for presiding over the ceremony and swearing in of our new government officials, including the Senate, Vice President and President of Micro City! Congratulations to our new Vice President, 7th grader Amisha and our new President, 8th grader, Arianna!*



**“Inauguration”**



**“Signing the Oath of Office”**

**Enrollment Numbers (as of 10/10/22):**

K - 35	5th - 48
1st - 37	6th- 16
2nd- 44	7th- 21
3rd - 41	8th- 10
4th - 46	

Total : 298

**Upcoming/Recent Happenings at MACS:**

Staff have been working on administering school wide progress monitoring measures. This will help drive teacher instruction by identifying student strengths and weaknesses. This will also determine groupings for our "WIN" block (What I Need). Assessments also aid in identifying which students are in need of Title services. Invitations for Title intervention services will be sent home by the end of the month.

MACS had its annual Walk-A-Thon on October 7th. We have raised about \$2,000, but it is not too late to send in your donations! Thank you to all who have sponsored a student and help support all the students of MACS!

A big THANK YOU to the River Room, whose charitable gaming partnership resulted in approximately a \$24,000 donation to MACS!

The playground is still waiting for an installation date. The students have been so patient. We are hopeful it will occur within the next week or two. Stay tuned!

On September 22, MACS held its Open House. It was well attended and it was nice to be back in person! This year, Parent Teacher Conferences will take place on November 28th. Parents will have the choice to attend in person or via google meet. Teachers will be sending out electronic sign ups in early November. So please be on the lookout!

On October 11th, the Board held the first Annual Golf Tournament at Sky Meadow Country Club. We had over 50 participants and 23 sponsors! Thank you to all who participated or dated their time and/or money. The students of MACS will benefit from your generosity. Thank you and we can't wait for next year!

**MicroSociety Update:**

Campaigning 101 finished and elections were held. Congratulations to all our students who ran for an elective office. Your hard work was obvious! So many students participated this year, it was a tough race! We have also had a record number of students take Management 101 this fall. 80 Students are waiting to see if they passed the assessment. If they do, then they may submit business proposals or run for management positions in MicroCity!



“Newly Elected President, Arianna, giving her campaign speech.”

### **PTO Update:**

#### **Fall Festival:**

On October 28th, classes will take turns going outside during school hours to participate in the PTO Fall Festival Fundraiser. Families are able to pre-order game tickets and mystery prize bags. MORE details about the fun filled day of activities will be sent out shortly, along with pre-order forms. The PTO will also welcome ticket donations for students in need. The PTO makes sure that every student participates at the event!

#### **Book Fair:**

The Scholastic Book Fair will be set up in the Special Room beginning on October 17th and will run through October 21st. Students will preview the book fair and write a "wishlist" on that day. Later in the week, each class will have the opportunity to go back to the Book Fair and make their purchases.

The next PTO meeting will be Friday, October 19th at 2:00pm via zoom.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Amy Bottomley  
Executive Director