

# SOMERSET UPDATE

## NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER

### SEPTEMBER RECAP

September was full of exciting moments for our school community. We held our first grade-level meeting and welcomed many new students. Our seniors had their first senior meeting and are getting prepared for their final year—many are already gearing up for homecoming with our partner schools, and we look forward to seeing all the fun.

We also wrapped up diagnostic testing, and we want to thank everyone who helped make it a success.

As we head into October, we kick off Pinktober and will close the month with Red Ribbon Week.

October is also National Principal's Month. Let's take a moment to show our appreciation to our wonderful principal, Ms. Iglesias, for all she does for our school community.

### CLUB UPDATES

Don't forget, clubs are in full swing! If you missed the club form deadline, please reach out to the club sponsor and express your interest in joining your preferred club. Be sure to check your Club Bloomz for updates and meeting times. Don't miss out on the exciting activities ahead like last week's Hispanic Heritage Month's Churro Bake at Baking Club.

### OUR VIRTUAL CLUBS

● **MONDAYS 2:25-3:00PM**

SPANISH HONOR SOCIETY - MS. VIGIL & MS. LOPEZ  
ANIME CLUB - MR. GOMEZ

● **TUESDAYS**

YEARBOOK CLUB - MS. O'MARA & MS. MILLARES  
MEDIA CLUB - MR. MC CORMICK

● **WEDNESDAYS**

FORENSICS CLUB - MS. ABREU & MS. WADDELL

● **THURSDAYS**

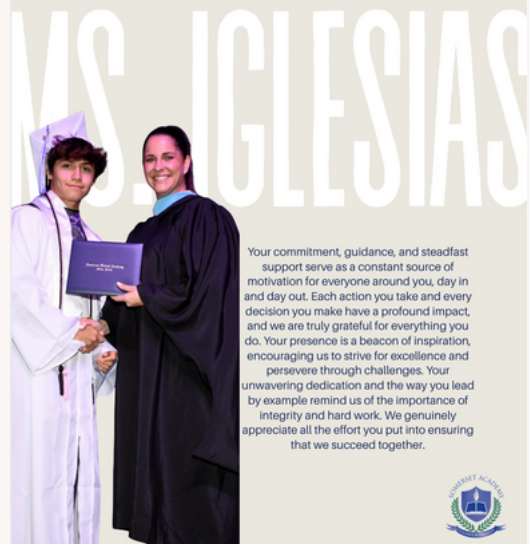
BAKING CLUB - MS. FERNANDEZ

● **FRIDAY**

HONOR SOCIETIES - NJHS | NHS - MR. MC CORMICK  
MATH HISTORY - MR. KARATZAS

### SPOTLIGHT

NATIONAL PRINCIPALS' MONTH



Your commitment, guidance, and steadfast support serve as a constant source of motivation for everyone around you, day in and day out. Each action you take and every decision you make have a profound impact, and we are truly grateful for everything you do. Your presence is a beacon of inspiration, encouraging us to strive for excellence and persevere through challenges. Your unwavering dedication and the way you lead by example remind us of the importance of integrity and hard work. We genuinely appreciate all the effort you put into ensuring that we succeed together.



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### RED RIBBON WEEK 2024

LIFE IS A  
PUZZLE  
SOLVE IT  
DRUG  
FREE

#### FIND YOUR PIECE OF THE PUZZLE

Wear bright, mismatched colors like puzzle pieces or dress up like Inside Out characters. Every emotion is a piece of who you are, drugs don't fit in your puzzle.

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#### ADVENTURE IS THE MISSING PIECE

Dress up with your travel/explorer gear, bright colors, or balloon-themed outfits. Adventure, dreams, and goals only fit when you stay drug free.

#### FRIENDS ARE KEY PIECES

Twin with a friend, sibling, teacher or favorite Toy Story character. Real friends are the missing pieces that keep you strong and connected.

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#### BE AN INCREDIBLE PIECE

Dress up with Superhero gear or red/black outfits. Remember that every choice is a powerful puzzle piece, choose the super one!

#### SCARE AWAY THE WRONG PIECE

Dress up as your favorite Monsters Inc or wear your Halloween costumes. Drugs are the piece that doesn't fit, scare it away!

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### UPCOMING:

**National Principal's Month**  
All Month

**Teacher Planning Day**  
October 2

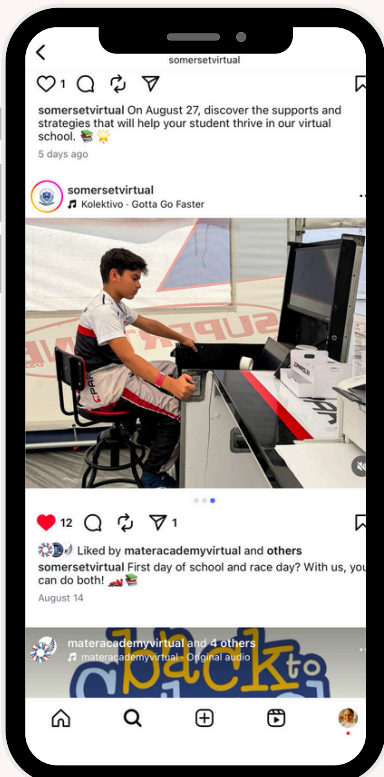
**World Teacher Day**  
October 5

**Mandatory Junior Meeting**  
October 9- 6pm

**High School 101 Meeting**  
October 14- 6pm

**Red Ribbon Week**  
October 27- October 31

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