



Academic Magnet High School

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Academic Magnet High School students, faculty, and staff wore pink for the October 14th “Pink Out” girls volleyball match in honor of AMHS Spanish teacher and recent breast cancer survivor, Señora Colon. Although our Raptor girls didn’t put up enough points to beat Oceanside Collegiate Academy, they put up enough positivity to bouy our beloved Señora Colon during the 2021 National Breast Cancer Awareness Month.



(Assistant Principal, Kimberly Zerbst reads students’ well-wishes to Señora Colon at last night’s “Pink Out.”)

Before the game, the national anthem was performed by freshman Rose DiMambro-Dillon. AMHS Associate Principal Lucy E. Pinckney read remarks from Regan Brown who shared *“Señora Colon’s class was one I always looked forward to last year. I knew that we would all be laughing and having a good time in the midst of everything else going on.”* Ms. Colon has reliably brought joy to AMHS students since joining the school faculty in 2010.

“Mrs. Colon’s wit, humor, and personality became something we looked forward to every class,” added freshmen, Ava Smoak and Betsy Bailey. *“We are so proud of her battling breast cancer and are so excited for her to come back to school.”*

Academic Magnet’s entire student body, faculty and staff send their well-wishes and join Noelle Andrews and the many others who *“hope you come back soon.”* We love and miss you Señora Colon!