The Maverick Minute

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March Madness 2022

For many people, March means college basketball. March is a time for upsets, buzzer-beaters, and brackets. For those of you who need a reminder, March Madness is the NCAA Men's basketball tournament which includes 68 teams across 14 cites who will compete for the chance to reach the Final Four in New Orleans. The two Final Four games will be played on April 2 and the NCAA championship game will take place on April 4. Gonzaga, Arizona, Kansas and Baylor will enter the tournament as the No. 1 seeds but like always, upsets are bound to happen. The current favorites to win the tournament are Gonzaga (+334), Kentucky (+630), Arizona (+644) and Duke (+1000). We at Maverik Minute wish you all the best of luck in your bracket making!



Myth Busted: The Draft

You've probably heard it by now. In the halls, on the bus, in the lunch line, that scary word: "The Draft."

The draft, if you don't know, is when the military doesn't have enough soldiers, so it takes citizens into its ranks. But here's the thing: if you're a student, you don't have to worry about getting drafted. Yes, even if you're 18-- even if you're a guy.

First, Congress and the President would have to put a draft into law before it went into effect. With midterms coming up, it's highly unlikely that any congressman would support such a policy. Eric Fleury, a professor at Connecticut College, described the draft to USA Today as "militarily impractical and politically toxic."

Second, if the draft were to happen, it's likely that high school students would be the last to go.

Third, we already have plenty of people in the military as it is. If war were to break out, the chances of a draft being necessary are less than

The war in Ukraine can be scary. And if you are over 18 and wish to serve, you have every right to. But if not, do not worry about the draft. It's not going to happen.





The Batman'' Preview

"The Batman" starring Robert Pattinson was released on March 4, 2022. It's a reboot of the Batman film franchise. In the movie, Batman works to stop crime and uncover a mysterious killer haunting the city of Gotham. This superhero, action movie has an 85% Rotten Tomatoes rating and is in theaters everywhere now.

CLEMSON Basketball Word Search! TECH WAKE **FOREST** LOUISVILLE MIAMI GEORGIA BOSTON DUKE PITT **FLORIDA** NORTH **CAROLINA** VIRGINIA **SYRACUSE** NOTRE **DAME**

Play this puzzle online at : https://thewordsearch.com/puzzle/3 NC STATE

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Important Dates

March:

14-18: prom tickets on sale

21-25: culture week

26: Maverick Mile and prom

1: half day and end of 3rd quarter

4-8: spring break

Announcements

Insert any club, administration, sports announcements here







