

## WJH Daily Announcements - April 22 - Day Cycle 5

### Happy Fry-YaY!

Quarter 3 Report Cards will be available to view in Parent Portal on April 23<sup>rd</sup>.

PARENTS WHO ARE PICKING UP THEIR CHILDREN AT DISMISSAL, TRANSPORTATION HAS REQUESTED THAT PARENTS NOT BLOCK THE DRIVEWAY TO THE TRANSPORTATION OFFICE/BUS GARAGE.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL STUDENTS WHO WERE INDUCTED INTO THE NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY YESTERDAY!!

**From Mrs. Daniels:** If your child is in 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade Band, please read & sign the attached letter.

**From Track Coaches Atkins & Perri-Siena:** Congratulations to the track and field team for a fantastic meet against Poughkeepsie! Monday's meet will be at John Jay High School against Van Wyck. Be prepared with all your gear!

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance:** Parents & Students should have received the advertisement for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade dance to be held Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm. Students can sign up for the dance during their lunch periods in the Main Lobby.

### **FROM MAIN OFFICE:**

Parents: If you are picking up your child for early dismissal, the school requires a written note or email. Please make sure you have a written note at time of pick up. If your child is absent from school, please send a written note upon your child's return to school.

We will no longer take phone calls and/or emails after 2pm for last minute parent pick-ups. Students will be instructed to take their scheduled bus home.

Notes can be emailed to: [carol.naughton@wcsdny.org](mailto:carol.naughton@wcsdny.org)

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PTA is offering Yankee Tickets for Sunday June 5<sup>th</sup> game - see attached flyer for all the details.

### **WJH PTA - YEARBOOKS**

We are getting close to deadlines for photos. We need to have all photos submitted by end of month.

Because the school does not have a school photographer, we are completely relying on parents, students and staff to supply us with some photos. We are not getting the same response we did last year.

Below is a list of what is still needed. While sports are important, so are the school clubs and awards, recognition and everything else. They should be included in this request too.

All photos can be emailed to [wearewappingers@gmail.com](mailto:wearewappingers@gmail.com)

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8<sup>th</sup> grade baby pictures - there is still time to submit your baby pictures for the yearbook.

Submit pictures to this link: [Wearewappingers@gmail.com](mailto:Wearewappingers@gmail.com)

Awards and Recognition, All Club photos, Girls Soccer Photos plus formal team photo  
Boys Soccer photos plus formal team photo, Football Photos plus formal team photo  
Baseball Team Photo plus formal team photo, Cheer Photos plus formal team photo  
Boys Basketball Photos plus formal team photo, Girls Basketball Photos plus formal team photo,  
Track Team Photos plus formal photo, Crew photos plus formal crew team Photo  
Field Hockey Photos plus formal team photo, Boys Lacrosse photos plus formal team photo  
Girls lacrosse photos plus formal team photo, Softball photos plus formal team photo

We have only sold 188 yearbooks. We are looking to arrange to have PTA Volunteers come to the school so students can purchase a yearbook...

Yearbooks are on sale. The site is now active and yearbooks can be purchased for \$35.

<https://link.entourageyearbooks.com/my/WJHS2022>

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Volunteers are needed for the PTA Honor Roll Ice Cream Social! This event is held for all students who make honor roll and high honor roll in the 3rd quarter on Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup>.

Volunteers will help with set up, scooping ice cream and clean up.

Sign up to help below!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090A4AA8A82EA0F49-icecream>

Our 8th Grade Grad Signs and Banners are available for sale! Sale ends May 6th, so we can have delivery in the beginning of June. <https://wjhspta.memberhub.com/store>

**RCK CHEER BOOSTER** - Ketcham Cheer will be hosting a clothing drive... ONE WEEKEND ONLY! Tomorrow Saturday, April 23rd 10am-6pm and Sunday, April 24th 9am-3pm at the Hughsonville Fire Department. All useable clothing, shoes, blankets, sheets, towels, handbags, hats, gloves & undergarments accepted in tied bags. No toys please!

There are only 5 spots left for the cheer clinic. The Ketcham Varsity Cheerleaders and coaching staff are offering a cheer clinic on Saturday, May 21st at RCK. This clinic is open to all students in 7th and 8th grade interested in learning skills in cheer, dance and stunting! Space is limited! Click link below:

<https://www.familyid.com/wappingers-central-school-district-continuing-ed-driver-education/rck-cheer-clinic>

**Girl Scout Troop 10580** is collecting used eye glasses and readers to help people in need get glasses so they can see properly. We are working with the Lions Club International program. We will be placing a donation box in our school for the month of April.

Attached below, please find our digital flyer.

[https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1acYsIT\\_R5FXBgELjnHjERELKRVpJb5suujenuayH1z4/edit](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1acYsIT_R5FXBgELjnHjERELKRVpJb5suujenuayH1z4/edit)

**LOST & FOUND:** If your child lost a HYPLAND jacket, please contact the Main Office. Our Lost & Found has quite a collection of lost items. If your child lost a coat, water bottle, lunch box, etc. please have them stop in the lobby to take a look. All unclaimed items, will be donated at the end of the month.

## **CLUBS**

**ART INTEGRATION:**

**EXTRA ELA & MATH HELP 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE:**

Next Week's Schedule:

Tuesday 4/26 - ELA in Room 134 w/Ms. Urrio      Math in Room 202 w/Mrs. Milanese & Ms. Marold

Thursday 4/28 - ELA in Room 141 w/Mrs. King      Math in Room 218 w/Mrs. Cerrato

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**STUDENT GOVERNMENT:**

**PRIDE CLUB:**

**JAZZ BAND:**

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**CRC:**

**SPORTS: Next week's game schedules:**

**HOME GAMES**

Monday 4/25 - Girls Lacrosse vs. Putnam Valley - Start time: 4:30 pm

Tuesday 4/26 - Boys Lacrosse vs. Hendrick Hudson @ Van Wyck - Start time: 4:30 pm

Tuesday 4/26 - Softball vs. Mahopac - Start time: 4:30 pm

Wednesday 4/27 - Track vs. La Grange MS @ RCK - Start time: 4:30 pm

Thursday 4/28 - Baseball vs. Fox Lane @ Robinson Lane - Start time: 4:30 pm

**AWAY GAMES**

Monday 4/25 - Track vs. Pawling @ John Jay HS - start time: 4:30 pm (bus leaves WJH @ 3:30 pm)

Tuesday 4/26 - Baseball vs. Mahopac @ Mahopac HS (bus leaves WJH @ 3:30 pm)

Thursday 4/28 - Softball vs. Fox Lane @ Fox Lane HS (bus leaves WJH @ 3:30 pm)

Thursday 4/28 - Boys Lacrosse vs. Brewster @ Brewster HS

Friday 4/29 - Girls Lacrosse vs. Copper Beach MS @ Lakeland (bus leaves WJH @ 3:30 pm)

**DATES TO REMEMBER:(subject to change)**

4/26, 4/27 & 4/28 - NYS Math Assessment EXAMS

4/28 - WJH PTA Meeting @ 7 pm (Virtual)

4/29 - WJH PTA Honor Roll Ice Cream Social (Periods 8 & 9)

5/6 - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

5/12 - Grade 8 Band, Orchestra & Chorus Spring Concert - 7 pm

5/13 & 5/14 - NYSSMA Solo Music Festival at John Jay HS

5/14 - 72<sup>nd</sup> Festival of the Arts @ Mesier Park

5/16 - Superintendent Conference Day - No School for students

5/17 - WCSD Budget Vote @ Fishkill Elementary, Fishkill Plains, Gayhead, Myers Corners, Vassar Road & WJH - Polls open 7:30 am - 9:00 pm

5/24 - NYS 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Assessment EXAMS

5/25 - Grade 7 Band, Orchestra & Chorus Spring Concert - 7 pm

5/30 - Memorial Day - Holiday for Students/Staff

6/1 - WJH Night of Jazz

6/6 - NYS 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Assessment EXAMS

6/9 - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Moving Up Ceremony - 4 pm - 5 pm (Last Names A to L), 6 pm - 7 pm (Last Names M-Z)

6/15 - 6/23 - NYS Regents EXAMS

6/20 - Juneteenth - Holiday for Students/Staff

6/21 - 6/23 - Professional Development Days (1/2 Days of School - dismissal at 10:30 am)

6/23 - Last day of School for Students

6/23 - Six Flags Field Trip for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Students (more details to follow)

**\*\*63 days until the last day of school for students\*\***

### **CELEBRATE NATIONAL DAY (APRIL):**

TODAY: Each year on April 22nd, National Earth Day campaigns around the globe promote ways to keep the Earth healthy and our planet livable. Since its inception, the organizers promote events educating the public about a variety of subjects including:

- climate change
- air pollution
- water pollution
- erosion
- recycling
- composting
- renewable fuels and power
- carbon footprints
- efficient cars
- rain forests
- ecosystems

As citizens of the world, we can take action to protect the Earth, its creatures, and its habitats. Greener living can include more fuel-efficient vehicles or windows. It can also include landscaping for your climate reducing the amount of water required. Numerous green campaigns launch events around the globe each year. Join one near you or organize one that fits your community's needs.

Thank you.

Remember...WE ARE WAPPINGERS !!