

WJH Daily Announcements - February 1st - Day Cycle 5

STUDENTS NEED TO REMEMBER TO BRING A MASK TO SCHOOL.

STUDENTS NEED TO BRING THEIR CHROMEBOOKS TO SCHOOL EVERY DAY.

Congratulations to the cheerleading team on their 2nd place finish and zero deduction routine at the John Jay Cheerleading Invitational this Saturday. Way to Go Girls!!

Congratulations to the Boys Basketball Team with their win over John Jay Cross River last night. This team is on a winning streak!!!

Congratulations to the Girls Basketball Team with their win over Beacon last night. Go Wappingers!!!

WINTER SPORTS THIS WEEK:

Tuesday 2/1 - girls basketball vs. Spackenkill - Game time is 4:30 pm

Tuesday 2/1 - boys basketball @ Spackenkill - Game time is 4:30 pm

Tuesday 2/1 - Wrestling @ Mahopac - Meet is at 4:15 pm

Thursday 2/3 - girls basketball vs. John Jay Cross River - Game time is 4:15 pm

Good Luck to our student musicians who are participating in the Junior High All County Music Festival this weekend!

Parents: If you are picking up your child for early dismissal, the school requires a written note. 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.

All school notes (absent/early dismissal/late or tardy/pick up at dismissal) must be handed into 1st period class teacher at the beginning of class each day. Teachers will place notes in folders on the classroom doors for pick up.

Notes can be emailed to: carol.naughton@wcsdny.org

If your child lost a Hyland jacket, please contact the Main Office.

FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE: New Online Covid-19 Resource & Information for our Families from the Superintendent, Dr. Bonk:

<https://www.wappingersschools.org/Page/33897>

FROM THE LIBRARY: "Students, please check your school emails for overdue library notices. Any questions, stop by the library and see Mrs. Green."

CLUB INFORMATION:

Art Integration will meet today, Feb 1st, in Room 217 until the late bus. All are Welcome!

FROM STUDENT GOVERNMENT: Attention all students!! Student Government is sponsoring a Black History Month Art and Essay contest for the month of February, 1-18 - You have a choice:

- 1) Draw a piece of artwork pertaining to the civil rights movement of the 60s or
- 2) Write a one-page essay of Dr. King's legacy. Winners will receive a gift certificate/pass for two to attend the Poughkeepsie Galleria, Regal Theater! Please submit your work to Mr. Ramirez @ M-11 by Feb. 18, 2022.

DRAMA REHEARSAL SCHEDULE -

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Drama will meet today, Feb 1st, after school from 2:50 - 3:50 in Room M-10.

JAZZ BAND SCHEDULE: from 2:25 pm to 3:45 pm in the Auditorium

February 3, 10, 17 March 10 & 31

February 17 - will be a 4:00 pm concert "Afternoon of Jazz"

FEBRUARY 24 & MARCH 3, 17 & 24 - NO REHEARSALS

FROM PRIDE CLUB: Every year, in connection with Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday, schools across the country recognize "No Name Calling Week." It is a time for us to think about the power of our words. Can you rise to the challenge and go through the whole week without name calling? Watch for ways to participate all week long.

EXTRA MATH HELP 8TH GRADE

Monday afternoons - Room 144 w/Ms. Price

Tuesday afternoons - Room 140 w/Ms. Marold

Wednesday afternoons - Room 140 w/Ms. Bush

Thursday afternoons - Room 130 w/Mrs. Conklin

Friday morning extra help will be at 6:45 am with Mrs. Nevel

7th Grade Homework Help w/Mrs. Liberta & Mrs. Milanese

Students are able to stay after school in Room 206 or they can join the Google Meet - the code is: jb75vomRoom 206

February: 2/1 and 2/8

March: 3/8 and 3/22

April: 4/5 and 4/19

May: 5/10 and 5/31

WJH PTA MESSAGE:

HONOR ROLL BREAKFAST - February 23rd. - SAVE THE DATE!!

The WJHS PTA is requesting donations for the annual honor roll breakfast for our second quarter honor roll students. Event will be held during school on February 23rd. Items can be dropped off on February 18th or February 22nd at the school. Please click this link to sign up to donate!

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

If you wish to volunteer at this event, please email wappingersjrhighpta@gmail.com

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

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

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

Submit pictures to this link: Wearewappingers@gmail.com

CELEBRATE NATIONAL DAY (FEBRUARY):

TODAY: National *Get Up* Day on February 1st offers an opportunity to share inspiring stories of perseverance. The day reminds us to pick ourselves up when we've fallen and giving it (whatever it may be) another go!

February 1st marks the official end of National Skating Month (January) when rinks across the country bring communities together to experience skating's joys and benefits. One of the first lessons every figure skater learns is how to fall and to get back up. This day is not just about skating, though. It is about celebrating that *Get Up* spirit that applies to every aspect of life. The day inspires others through stories, pictures, videos, and social media.

More importantly, February 1st reminds all of us to *Get Up* when we stumble. We never know when our efforts to seek a goal or overcome an obstacle will encourage another to do the same. Whether you find inspiration on or off the ice, in a classroom, through a co-worker, or in your own neighborhood, share your *Get Up* story on National *Get Up* Day!

Thank you.

Remember...WE ARE WAPPINGERS !!