WJH Daily Announcements - February 3rd - Day Cycle 1

STUDENTS NEED TO REMEMBER TO BRING A MASK TO SCHOOL.

STUDENTS NEED TO BRING THEIR CHROMEBOOKS TO SCHOOL EVERY DAY.

Quarter 2 Report cards will be available for parents to view on the Parent Portal on 2/5/2022.

WJH Honor Rolls for Quarter 1 & 2 is available on our WJHS website Main Page & on the School Counseling Page.

Any student interested in registering for the NYSSMA Solo Festival please see Mr. King, Mrs. Daniels or Mr. Closson in the Auditorium. Registration is due on or before February 18, 2022.

Congratulations to the cheerleading team on their 2^{nd} place finish and zero deduction routine at the John Jay Cheerleading Invitational.

Congratulations to Coach Lynch & the Boys Basketball Team with their triple wins - over John Jay Cross River on Monday, over Spackenkill on Tuesday, and Unionvale on Wednesday. The winning streak continues!!!

Congratulations to Coach Opitz & the Girls Basketball Team with their double wins - over Beacon on Monday and over Spackenkill on Tuesday. Go Wappingers!!!

WINTER SPORTS THIS WEEK:

TODAY - 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 you 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 1^{st} 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 Hypland 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:

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.

<u>Drama</u> will meet today, Thursday, 2/3 - 2:30 pm - 3:50 pm in M-10

Jazz Band will meet on Thursday, 2/3 from 2:25 pm to 3:45 pm in the Auditorium

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 - Cancelled for 2/3

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: 2/8

March: 3/8 and 3/22

April: 4/5 and 4/19

May: 5/10 and 5/31

WJH PTA MESSAGES:

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 wappingers ir highpta@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: Confident people look to the future with hope, and on Optimist Day we celebrate the volunteers who share their enthusiasm, skills, and talent to make that tomorrow a vibrant and peaceful one. On the first Thursday in February, recognize an optimist whose endeavors have made a difference in your community.

Each year, Optimist organizations around the world volunteer their time and skills working with the youth in their communities. They provide leadership, scholarship, wellness and safety, arts and sports programs.

Optimist Day recognizes the volunteers and the youth who support their communities in many different ways. Every day, our growing communities rely on the ingenuity and energy of the next generation to be an integral part of our neighborhoods, schools, and towns. These young volunteers and the mentors who guide them connect them to the greater world around us. Their stewardship creates a hopeful future for us all.

Thank you.

Remember...WE ARE WAPPINGERS!!