

## WJH Daily Announcements - February 8th - Day Cycle 3

STUDENTS NEED TO REMEMBER TO BRING A MASK TO SCHOOL.

STUDENTS NEED TO BRING THEIR CHROMEBOOKS TO SCHOOL EVERY DAY.

Quarter 2 Report cards are now available for parents to view on the Parent Portal.

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

Our WJH Monthly Newsletters are available on our WJHS website.

Click link below:

<https://www.wappingersschools.org/site/default.aspx?PageType=3&DomainID=1003&ModuleInstanceID=4110&ViewID=6446EE88-D30C-497E-9316-3F8874B3E108&RenderLoc=0&FlexDataID=61009&PageID=6077>

### HONOR ROLL BREAKFAST - February 23<sup>rd</sup>. - 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](mailto:wappingersjrhighpta@gmail.com)

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.

### WINTER SPORTS THIS WEEK:

Wednesday 2/9 - Wrestling vs. Van Wyck - Match time starts 4:15 pm

Wednesday 2/9 - Boys Basketball @ Carmel - Game Time: 4:30 pm

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 1<sup>st</sup> 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](mailto: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."

"Participate in the WJH Winter Book Bingo with your fellow students, and be entered into a raffle for a \$25 gift card. Stop by the library and see Mrs. Green for more information!"

**CLUB INFORMATION:**

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Arts integration will meet on Tuesday AND Thursday this week in room 217.

Arts Integration will be selling valentine flowers and jewelry Wednesday 2/9 through Monday, 2/14 or until supplies last. Do something nice for a friend or a loved one.

**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** - meets Tuesday, 2/8 2:30 pm to 3:50 pm in Auditorium

Wednesday, 2/9 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm in Auditorium

Thursday, 2/10 2:30 pm - 3:50 pm in M-10

Friday 2/11 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm in Auditorium

**Jazz Band** will meet on Thursday, 2/10 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 8<sup>TH</sup> 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

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**7<sup>th</sup> 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:**

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

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

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)

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

TODAY: February 8th annually recognizes National Boys Scouts Day. Since 1910, boys across America have been doing good deeds, learning survival skills, and developing moral foundations through the Boy Scout of America.

The Boy Scouts of America has roots in the British Boy Scouts organization which was created in 1908 after the success of the book Scouting for Boys by Robert Baden-Powell. On a foggy day in London an American newspaperman, William Dickson Boyce, became lost when a Boy Scout came to his assistance. With the boy's guidance, Boyce arrived at his destination. When Boyce offered payment for the assistance, the Boy Scout refused explaining it was a good deed. Boyce was inspired to organize similar youth groups into one organization. On February 8, 1910, Boyce filed papers of incorporation, and the Boy Scouts of America was born.

Boy Scouts have had a profound impact on the United States. Many presidents and other dignitaries have been Boy Scouts. A total of 181 Astronauts have also been a part of the Boy Scout program.

Thank you.

Remember...WE ARE WAPPINGERS !!