

WJH Daily Announcements - May 17 - DAY 3

PE INTRAMURALS:

LIMITED INTRAMURAL SCHEDULE -5/17-5/20

MORNING

Wednesday AM 6:30-7:30AM (BASKETBALL)

Thursday AM 6:30-7:30AM (BASKETBALL)

Friday AM 6:30-7:30AM (BASKETBALL)

AFTERNOON

Tuesday PM 2:30-4PM (SOCCER)-LATE BUS OR PARENT PICKUP

Thursday PM 2:30-4PM (SOCCER)-LATE BUS OR PARENT PICKUP

SPRING CONCERT SCHEDULE:

5/25 - 7th Grade Spring Concert - 7 PM

HEALTH OFFICE MESSAGE: We will be doing near vision screenings this month for all 7th graders as per NYS education law. If your personal physician did not do distance vision or hearing on your child's physical, we will complete that as well. If a parent has any questions, please contact the health office.

SPRING SPORTS TEAM PHOTOS: Tuesday 5/17 will be Spring Sports Team Photos. Outside at the Basketball Court. (If it is raining, pictures will be in the gym).

Track @ 1:00 pm

Girls Lacrosse @ 1:50 pm

Baseball @ 2:00 pm

Boys Lacrosse @ 2:30 pm

Softball @ 3:00 pm

Students should have their uniforms with them on this date.

CONTINUING EDUCATION SUMMER CAMPS: Register Now for WCSD Summer Camps! Sign up now for a wide variety of summer camps: sports, science, performing arts, writing, and more!

<https://www.familyid.com/programs/2022-wcsd-summer-camps>

SHOUT OUTS & CONGRATULATIONS:

Congratulations Wappingers Crew Club for your fantastic showing at the New York States Championship race this past weekend! Your coaches and parents are so proud of you!
Girl's Varsity 8 made Grand Finals, placed 6th in the State
Boy's Varsity 4 made Grand Finals, placed 7th in the State
Boy's Varsity 8 made Petit Finals and placed 1st!!!!
Boy's JV 8 made Grand Finals, placed 8th in the State!
Well done!

STUDENT OF THE WEEK: Congratulations to our student(s) of the students of the week - Jordan Lopez Sanchez

FROM MAIN OFFICE:

Parents who are picking up their children at dismissal, transportation has requested that parents not block the driveway to the transportation office/bus garage.
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

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SIX FLAGS TRIP FOR 8th GRADE: 8th grade students can sign up for the Six Flags 8th grade trip on June 23rd by bringing in their signed forms and money to Mr. Ramirez in M-11 (during their lunch periods). Please do not bring them to the Main Office. Spots are limited.

PTA ANNOUNCEMENTS:

8th grade Moving Up Ceremony - PTA will be selling flowers for our students for the 8th grade Moving Up ceremony on June 9th.
Session 1 (4:00 pm - 5:00 pm) for last names A to L, Session 2 (6:00 pm - 7:00 pm) for last names M to Z. Each student will be allowed a maximum of (3) tickets due to limited seating in the Auditorium and to comply with safety COVID protocols. Tickets will be going out shortly. At the ceremonies, families will have the opportunity to purchase flowers. Families can pre-order bouquets now.

<https://www.thecommcementgroup.com/wappingersjhs/>

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LOST & FOUND: If your child lost a HYPLAND jacket, please contact the Main Office.

Students: Have you lost a necklace, earrings, bracelets, rings, eyeglasses, house keys, or even a left or right ear bud or your earbuds in the case? The Main Office has been collecting many of these items since the beginning of the school year and we would like to return them to their rightful owners!

If you lost a coat, sweatshirt, jacket, water bottle, lunch box, backpack, etc. please stop in the lobby to take a look on the lost and found table.

WJH SPORTS:

NEXT WEEK SCHEDULE:

HOME GAMES:

5/17 - Girls Lacrosse - vs. Arlington/Unionvale - Game Time: 4:30 pm

5/17 - Softball - vs. Arlington/Unionvale - Game Time: 4:30 pm

5/18 - Boys Lacrosse - vs. Van Wyck - Game Time: 4:30 pm

5/19 - Baseball - vs. Van Wyck - Game Time: 4:30 pm

AWAY GAMES:

5/17 - Baseball - @ Arlington/Unionvale - Time: 4:30 pm

5/17 - Track - @ Arlington/Unionvale - Time: 4:30 pm

5/17 - Boys Lacrosse - @ North Salem - Time: 5:00 pm

5/18 - Softball - @ John Jay Cross River - Time: 4:30 pm

5/19 - Boys Lacrosse - @ Arlington/Unionvale - Time: 4:30 pm

5/19 - Girls Lacrosse - @ Brewster - Time: 4:30 pm

CLUBS:

Arts Integration will be cancelled this week.

EXTRA ELA/MATH AIS HELP:

5/17 - ELA w/Mr. Chaisetseree - Room 141 / Math w/Ms. Marold & Mrs. Liberta - Room 140

5/19 - ELA w/Mr. Chaisetseree - Room 141 / Math w/Ms. Nevel - Room 144

DATES TO REMEMBER:(subject to change)

4/11 - 5/20 - NYSESLAT Speaking Test Sessions - Grade 7 & 8
5/9 - 5/20 - NYSESLAT Listening/Reading/Writing Sessions - Grade 7 & 8
5/13 & 5/14 - NYSSMA Solo Music Festival at John Jay HS
5/14 - 72nd Festival of the Arts @ Mesier Park in Village of Wappingers - Raindate: 5/15
5/17 - WCSD Budget Vote @ Fishkill Elementary, Fishkill Plains, Gayhead, Myers Corners, Vassar Road & WJH - Polls open 7:30 am - 9:00 pm
5/19 - I-Ready Reading
5/24 - NYS 8th Grade Science Assessment EXAMS - 7th grade students on 2-hour delay schedule
5/25 - Grade 7 Band, Orchestra & Chorus Spring Concert @ WJH - 7 pm
5/30 - Memorial Day - Holiday for Students/Staff
6/1 - WJH Night of Jazz @ WJH
6/1 - I-Ready Math
6/6 - NYS 8th Grade Science Assessment EXAMS - 7th grade students on 2-hour delay schedule
6/9 - WJH 8th 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 8th Grade Students (students will receive info on Friday 4/29)

CELEBRATE NATIONAL DAY (MAY):

TODAY : Each year on May 17th, National Pack Rat Day encourages us to take a look at ourselves and see if we have "Pack Rat" tendencies within us. A Pack Rat holds on to, collects or hoards often unneeded items.

#NationalPackRatDay

According to Meriam Webster, the phrase pack rat dates back to 1885 and references a wood rat known for hoarding food and random objects. Today, the phrase is loosely used to describe people who do the same.

Many people even describe themselves as pack rats because they keep things they may need in the future, such as tools, boxes, and clothing. Have you ever cleaned out a closet and critically examined every item, tossing and donating things so that you had a clean space? Then days or weeks later discovered you needed one specific item you donated or tossed. It may be a document or container, but it never fails to happen. In the age of recycling, reusing, and repurposing, pack rats consider every item before they toss and donate.

The observance is an opportunity for the pack rat in all of us to examine our collecting tendencies. Do we really need t-shirts from 1975? When was the last time you used that L

wrench that came with the pre-fabricated entertainment center you no longer own? Of course, the moment you sort through those toys and donate them, your only child will announce you're going to be grandparents. You didn't hold on to those pack rat tendencies long enough.

Thank you!

Remember...WE ARE WAPPINGERS !!