



# Morning Announcements

## Friday, February 12, 2021

**Good Morning Ketcham Nation!**

**Reminder - there is no school today.**

*"When the power of love overcomes the love of power the world will know peace." - Jimi Hendrix*

### **RCK celebrates Black History Month**

Thank you to our AP students for providing inspirational quotes this month and to Sociedad Honoraria Hispanica for sharing historical contributions of black Latinos. Please visit the RCK PTSA website to contribute to the Celebrating Diversity section and for informative links on celebrating Black History Month. <https://sites.google.com/view/rckptsa/we-are-rck>

### **WCSD SURVEY**

Please complete the district survey on the type of learning model you would like for your student by Feb. 15. This will help the district in its plans for hybrid and remote learning. [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf1Q\\_Umupix\\_xwAUmtvCyxX\\_p6WvMHIdAxY9N37QNu47fv9NQ/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf1Q_Umupix_xwAUmtvCyxX_p6WvMHIdAxY9N37QNu47fv9NQ/viewform)

### **NYSSMA**

NYSSMA Registration deadline has been extended to Feb. 19. Instrumental, vocal and piano students who are interested in participating in the virtual NYSSMA Solo & Ensemble Festival this year should contact your music teacher. If you are not in an ensemble, please contact [matthew.king@wcsdny.org](mailto:matthew.king@wcsdny.org) for piano registration or [gina.stephens@wcsdny.org](mailto:gina.stephens@wcsdny.org) for other questions.

## **KINDNESS WEEK**

Join our PTSA in celebrating Random Acts of Kindness Week. Check the link on our website and the PTSA website for ideas on spreading kindness at home and in our community.

## **FALL II ATHLETICS**

Registration for Fall II Athletics (Football, Volleyball, Cheer, Girls' Swimming) is now open in Family ID until 2/28 <http://www.familyid.com/roy-c-ketcham-high-school-wappingers-junior-high-school>

## **SEAL OF BILITERACY**

There will be a mandatory meeting on February 16th at 1:30 for all candidates. Use the Google Link in the NYSSB Google Classroom to join the meeting.

## **CLASS OF 2022**

Get Snowed In! Learn more about this interactive fundraising event for the Junior Class. Check your Class of 2022 Google Classroom page or get details on the class webpage.

<https://www.wappingersschools.org/Domain/1385>

## **SADD CLUB**

February is COSAP (Children of Substance Abuse Parents) Month. If you would like to discuss further and would like to meet individually please see Mrs. Sirianni at [jessica.sirianni@wcsdny.org](mailto:jessica.sirianni@wcsdny.org). COSAP group will meet next on Tuesday, February 16th at 1-1:45PM.

## **YEARBOOK**

RCK Yearbooks - buy now before they sell out! Order today at the discounted rate of \$85. Order online at <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com> and use School Code: 11816221.

## **GIRLS LACROSSE:**

ATTN All girls wishing to play JV or Varsity Girls Lacrosse in the Spring 2021. Please fill out this contact information form for the coaches so you can be a part of any individual preseason workouts. Thank you! <https://forms.gle/nXEx1NdRCNEuTMgi9>

## **SENIOR VIDEOS**

Submit videos of your favorite high school memories to share in the yearbook with QR codes. You may include appropriate pictures and events that signify your time at Ketcham. Examples would be pictures from the cafeteria, sporting events, pep rallies, dances. Go to <https://forms.gle/McWhAwT9GSCVE9759> to submit videos and for more details.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Scholarship details are available on the Scholarship Summary link on the Counseling Department's web page, the Senior Google Classroom or, if paper copies are needed, in Room 194.

<https://www.wappingersschools.org/cms/lib/NY01001463/Centricity/Domain/1400/2021%20Scholarship%20Summary%20Sheet2.pdf>

## **REMINDER**

**There is no school on Monday in observance of Presidents Day. Enjoy the long weekend!**

**Remember to follow RCK on Facebook and Twitter @ketchamnation and keep up to date on our website.**

Have a wonderful day and remember to go **#allin #allways**.

Your Principal,

Dave Seipp