



Morning Announcements

Monday, November 9, 2020

Good Morning Ketcham Nation!

Today is Day 2.

Please join us in starting our day with the **Pledge of Allegiance:**

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

A special thank you to our amazing PTSA for decorating our building. Your signs and balloons are very much appreciated as we welcome back our students and staff back today. We appreciate all you do to continually support our students and staff here at Roy C. Ketcham.

RCK Wrestling

Anyone interested in joining the wrestling team, please sign up on FamilyID between now and November 22nd. Also, be sure to join the Wrestling Google Classroom using code LGB6URX. Email Christopher.Perry@wcsdny.org for more information.

RCK Greenworks

Greenworks Club will meet on Wednesday, 11-18-20 at 2:30 PM. There will be no meeting this week due to Veteran's Day. And now a message from club member Emily Calo: Rainforests are being cut down at the rate of 100 acres per minute. -EarthEcho International
Greenworks would like to remind everyone to do your part to protect the environment and our health.

Masque and Mime

We will have our first general meeting tomorrow - Tuesday, Nov. 10 - at 2:30pm. Anyone interested in our drama club should come and check it out. Meeting Code: <https://meet.google.com/jpi-mwfk-uoh?authuser=0>

Pride Club

We will meet this week on Thursday at 2:30pm. Anyone interested is welcome to join. Meeting Code: <https://meet.google.com/hse-bspk-out?authuser=0>

Debate Society

Debate Society will have its next meeting on Thursday 11/12/20 from 1:30pm-2:30pm. If you are interested in attending and have not yet been added to our google classroom, email Mrs. Agosta at laurissa.agostsa@wcsdny.org.

Société Honoraire de Français

The French Honor Society will have its first meeting of the year next week for current members. It will be held on Thursday 11/12/20 at 1:30 on google meet. To get on go to the google classroom and use the meeting link and if you aren't in the google classroom, please email Madame Gueren delphine.gueren@wcsdny.org.

Gymnastics

Anyone interested in information about the Varsity Gymnastics Team (tryouts begin December 2) can contact Coach Sarah Grunbok via email: grunboksarah@gmail.com
instagram: @wappingersgymnastics

Class of 2021

Attention Seniors: College representatives are now scheduling virtual visits with you to talk about their colleges. You can see the list in your SCOIR account (<https://app.scoir.com/signin>) and also sign up to meet with them on their virtual links. The following colleges have signed up:

Wednesday, November 18, 2020

12:30-1:00pm - Albany College of Pharmacy

1:00-1:30pm - Alfred University

2:00-2:30pm - Dutchess Community College

Ketcham 2020-2021 Yearbooks are now on sale!

Own a part of this historic year! Yearbooks SOLD OUT by March last year...don't be left out!

Yearbooks are currently at the lowest price of the year - \$80 through December 25th.

Order your yearbook at <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com> and use School Code: 11816221. We are currently only accepting online orders.

PTSA

Face masks and neck buffs ordered through PTSA will be available for pickup on Wednesday from 5 to 6pm at school. If you cannot make this distribution, please contact rckpts@gmail.com

Save the date for our next meeting - Nov. 18 at 7pm. Online meeting details will be sent out prior to the meeting.

Random Acts of Kindness

"Of all virtues and dignities of the mind, goodness is the greatest" — Francis Bacon

For kindness quotes and more, follow us on Instagram at RCKrandomactsofkindness

Yearbook

Yearbook is looking for submissions of artwork portraying student life in the year of 2020, with a focus on how life has changed since the onset of COVID-19. Artwork may be created in any medium, but **MUST** be submitted as a CLEAR photograph as a response to the google form. All artists should retain the original artwork. Submitting work here does **NOT** guarantee its entry in the book. Various factors impact image choice including, but not limited to: image resolution, print quality, and page layout. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Taei_y_n9mSyDmRFzSK_51WIT9Z_FClz57Qjl3-LCmQ

RCK Athletics

Registration for Winter Sports is open until Nov. 22 in FamilyID. <http://www.familyid.com/roy-c-ketcham-high-school-wappingers-junior-high-school>

Transportation schedules are now available online. Visit the WCSD

Transportation page for details.

<https://www.wappingersschools.org/cms/lib/NY01001463/Centricity/Domain/42/RCK%2011-3.pdf>

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