

April 16, 2019

## High School North Weekly Update

The West Windsor-Plainsboro Regional School District has created a new email system for parents and guardians. Every week you will receive our school's newsletter. This email will include school information, PTSA news, district updates as well as athletics, community education, counseling information and more.

**Due to spring recess, the next newsletter will be sent Tuesday, April 30, 2019.**

### School News

#### NJSLA TEST (formerly known as PARCC)

**Grade 9 and 10** students should plan to take their bus at their regularly scheduled pick-up time. Testing will begin at 7:40 a.m. and students have been informed of the test location through a letter received in Language Arts class.

- On **Tuesday, April 16, 2019**, students will take two, 90-minute units of Mathematics for their Algebra 1, Algebra II, or Geometry course.
- On **Wednesday, April 17, 2019**, students will take two, 90-minute units of English Language Arts (ELA) for their LA I or LA II course.

**Grade 11 and 12** students and any student not enrolled in Algebra I, Algebra II, or Geometry should plan to be at their bus stop two hours later than the regular pick up time. Upon arrival to school, students will be directed to designated locations.

#### Events

- **April 15:** Pirate Marching Band Show Reveal/Parent Meeting from 6-7:30 p.m. in the Band Room
- **April 17:** Jazz Band and Percussion Ensemble Concert from 7:30-9 p.m. in the theatre

#### Athletics

- Check out the 2019-20 [Registration Dates](#) for High School Athletics
  - High School South and Grover Middle School's [athletic schedules](#)
  - Check out the WW-P High School Girls [Summer Soccer Conditioning Program](#)
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## PTSA News

### Events

- **May 2:** Dr. Leonard Sax, MD PhD
  - For High School and Middle School Students, 5-6 p.m. in the HSS Playhouse "Instagram is eating me alive." Free for all students.
  - For parents: The book signing is from 6:30-7 p.m.; the presentation is from 7-9 p.m. in the new theatre. "Instagram is eating my daughter, and my son won't stop playing Fortnite" \$10 admission per adult. Admission is free to all HSS PTSA members.
- **June 1:** HSS PTSA Spring Flea Market, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. (rain or shine), main parking lot. Space is available for \$15. For more information please email us!

**SEPTSA:** SEPTSA in conjunction with AAPSG and Dutch Neck, Maurice Hawk, Town Center and Wicoff PTAs, present Best Practices in Early Literacy – Becoming a Reader: May 1, 7 p.m. at Grover Middle School. Deborah Lynam, director of partnerships and engagement at the AIM Institute for Learning and Research, will be the presenter. Deborah is active in literacy and education initiatives at local, state and national levels, and holds graduate-level certification in Orton-Gillingham through Fairleigh Dickinson University. The AIM Institute for Learning and Research provides teachers and professionals both training and access to field experts in the areas of spoken language, reading, writing, and math. The programs reflect the latest research and knowledge of best practices and evidence-based instruction within each area.

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### District Updates

- Each week we will upload all flyers and a PDF version of this email to the [website](#).

**Useful links for the district:** [District Website](#) | [Academic Calendars](#) | [Calendar of Events](#)

### Community Events

- 2019 [Plainsboro Centennial Events](#) Information
- [A letter from the Mayor](#) of Plainsboro Township about Founders Day
- Looking for more programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the [community event section](#) on the district's website!

## **Counseling**

- Join us 7-9 p.m. Thursday, May 2, for Parent University: [Parenting in the Age of Social Media](#) at Grover Middle School. Additional information will be sent out soon.

## **Community Education Program and Event Reminders**

- [2019-20 Kindergarten Extension Registration](#) - Kindergarten Extension registration is now open for the 2019-20 school year. Participants must reside in and attend a West Windsor-Plainsboro school in order to use the service. The program will be held at Dutch Neck Elementary School.
- [2019-20 Integrated Preschool Registration](#) - Integrated Preschool registration is now open for the 2019-20 school year. The program will be held at Village School. Participants must be 3 or 4 by Oct. 1, 2019, and independently toilet trained prior to the program start. West Windsor-Plainsboro Regional School District residency is required.

## **Food Services**

- Check out the breakfast and lunch [menus](#) for April!
- Sodexo [Parent Survey](#)
- Sodexo [Student Survey](#)
- Check out the [April 2019 Sodexo Newsletter](#)

## **WW-P Board of Education Foundation**

- [Innovation Fair](#) - The West Windsor-Plainsboro Education Foundation is hosting its Third Annual Innovation Fair. The fair will be held at High School North Saturday, May 18, 2019, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- [STAR Campaign](#) - Give a STAR to honor your child's teacher, guidance counselor, principal or other staff people who make a difference in your child's life. STAR requests are due by May 3, 2019.

**Make sure to follow the district on WW-P's official social media pages.**

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