

April 16, 2019

Town Center Elementary School 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 updates, PTA 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

Thank you to all of the Kindergarten families who participated in our evening program about the importance of reading aloud with your child. We hope everyone enjoyed the meal, learning and the new books. A special thank you to Mrs. Tresansky, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Curran, Senora Cano, Mrs. Rao and Mr. Coleman.

Please remember to send your child to school with a reusable water bottle to help "Green" Town Center. We have water refill stations available for all to use. Please make sure their name is clearly visible somewhere on the bottle.

Reminders

- **April 19:** Schools and offices are closed
- **April 22-26:** Schools are closed for spring recess.

PTA News

Reminders

- **Town Center Family S.T.E.A.M Night** is Friday, May 3 from 6-7:30 p.m. Ticket price is \$10 per family, the last day to order tickets is April 18. Flyers have been sent home with students. You can also download and print the S.T.E.A.M. Night form, [here](#).
- **Wacky Wednesday - Silly Socks and Shoes Day** is Wednesday, April 17 (during school hours). Students can wear silly, crazy or mismatched fun socks and shoes to school. Students can also wear either GATOR GEAR or any outfit in school colors (blue or green) to show SCHOOL SPIRIT!

- **Town Center Yearbook 2018-19:** Order them now! The price per yearbook is \$25 and the last day to order is April 19. Click [here](#) to download the form or purchase a yearbook [online](#).
- **Yearbook Booster / Dedication Message:** Don't forget to write a special dedication message (booster) for your child or for your favorite teacher in the yearbook! Please email us with any questions or submit your dedications.
- **Town Center S.T.E.A.M Museum Volunteer Request:** Event is on Tuesday, May 7, during school hours. Check out additional [information about time slots available and the signup sheet](#).
- **National Teacher Appreciation Week** is May 6-10! Let us help you appreciate our teachers and make them feel special all week long. Please click [here](#) for more details.
- **Teacher and Staff Appreciation Grab & Go Snack Bar** on Friday, May 10. Help us set up an awesome Grab & Go Snack Bar for our teachers and staff, by [donating any snack or dessert](#) for the above.

Events

- **April 17:** Wacky Wednesday - Silly Sock and Shoe Day
- **April 17:** Administrative Professionals Day
- **April 30:** PTA - Sponsored Assembly (all grades - students only) Mystery Math at 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m.
- **May 1:** SEPTSA Meeting at 7 p.m.
- **May 3:** Family S.T.E.A.M Night from 6-7:30 p.m.
- **May 4:** Plainsboro Founders Day
- **May 6-10:** National Teacher Appreciation Week
- **May 8:** National School Nurse Appreciation Day
- **May 9-10:** Mother's Day Flowers

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.

Useful links: [PTA Website](#) | [Email](#) | [Facebook Page](#)

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

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

Community Education Program and Event Reminders

- [Summer Programs](#) - Summer registration has opened for students ages five to 14. Programs run from June 24 through Aug. 9, 2019. Half and full day options with extended care are available.
- [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 lunch [menus](#) for April!
- Sodexo [Parent 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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