

Nov. 15, 2019

Maurice Hawk Elementary School Weekly Update

PTA News

The PTA would like to thank our committee and volunteers for setting up Movie Night! We could not provide all of these family friendly events without your tireless work and effort.

Get ready for our upcoming event! **Ice Skating Night:** Our Second Hawk Ice Skating Night will be on **Sunday, Dec. 8** from **4:30-6:30 p.m.** at the Mercer County Skating Center. A flyer and registration form was sent home in your child's backpack this week. Please complete and return the form with payment as soon as possible. Please note that all children must be accompanied by an adult and everyone requires a ticket to attend the event. If you have misplaced the form, it is available on the [Hawk PTA website](#).

Also, if you are available to [help out with set up and provide assistance at the registration desk](#), please sign up.

Thank you for your support,
Maurice Hawk PTA Executive Board

Useful links: This is your PTA and we want to hear from you. Reach out to us with any comments or questions.

[Website](#) | [Email](#) | [PTA Calendar](#) | [Facebook](#) | [Donation Information](#)

SEPTSA

- SEPTSA is a districtwide PTSA supporting parents, guardians and students who receive special education, related services and accommodations for physical, emotional and or learning challenges.
- If you have a student with an IEP or a 504 plan and you missed our table at Back To School Night, click [here](#) for the membership form.

Useful Links: [WW-P SEPTSA Facebook](#) | [WW-P SEPTSA Website](#)

School News

Maurice Hawk grade 1 students will experience an assembly/planetarium visit Thursday, Nov. 14. The assembly will be held in the auxiliary gym and will enrich the first grade science unit, "Patterns in the Sky."

Nov. 18-22 is designated as American Education Week. Please refer to the informational letter sent electronically from your child's teacher.

Please join us for **Maurice Hawk School's Book Fair at Barnes and Noble** in the Market Fair Mall Thursday, Dec. 5!

- Any purchases made on that day in store, or online Dec. 5-10 using the special book fair voucher code, will raise money for the school. Vouchers will be sent home before the book fair date.
- If you visit the store between 4-8 p.m. Dec. 5, you will find teachers wrapping purchases, reading stories, and helping with craft activities.
- Join us for a fun evening of meeting friends, enjoying stories, holiday shopping, and supporting Maurice Hawk Elementary School!

Reminders

- Please join our PTA.
- Follow Maurice Hawk on [Twitter](#).

Around the District

- Reminder that all WW-P schools will have an early dismissal Wednesday, Nov. 27 and will be closed Thursday, Nov. 28 and Friday, Nov. 29. Check out the [Academic Calendar](#) to see additional upcoming dates.
- Believe it or not, **winter weather** will be coming soon. To be proactive and to ensure that you are "in the loop" on all announcements regarding weather-related closings or changes in schedules, please click [HERE](#) for our

district's Communication System. To sign up to receive additional messages from the townships please use the following links: [Plainsboro Township/Police Alerts](#) | [West Windsor Township/Police Alerts](#)

- Some fantastic WW-P high school theater productions will be occurring during the next two weeks. High School North will present *Clue* Nov. 14-16 and High School South will present *Moon Over Buffalo* from Nov. 21-23. Click [here](#) for show details.
 - Did you know that WW-P has an Athletic Hotline? [Athletes and fans can find out about game and practice cancellations by calling our hotlines.](#)
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District Updates

- [District Website](#) | [Academic Calendars](#) | [Event Calendar](#)

Counseling and Wellness

- The next Parent University event will be held 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 21, at Grover Middle School. "Parenting in the Age of Social Media" will be the evening's topic. Understand new realities, current trends and best practices for parenting in the digital age where social media has become a significant part of the adolescent experience. Check out the upcoming [Parent University Events](#) for the 2019-20 school year.

Community Education

- Winter After-School Enrichment is now open for registration. Registration closes Tuesday, Jan. 7, 2020. [Spaces fill fast, so do not delay.](#)
- Family Fun Nights and Upcoming Adult Programs: [Check out what is coming up with Community Education.](#)
- Extended Day Program registration is ongoing throughout the school year. [Sign up when you need it.](#)
- Upcoming SAT Programs - Community Education sponsored classes through [Kaplan](#), [Princeton Review](#), and [Lentz & Lentz](#) offered throughout the school year

at High School North and South. Find the right program for you and register online.

Community Events

- [Teen Vaping: What You Need to Know](#) - An informative presentation by Dr. Michael Steinberg, director of Rutgers Tobacco Dependence Program, Monday, Nov. 25, 2019, from 7-9 p.m. at Princeton High School Performing Arts Center. The evening is sponsored by Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse.
- Are you looking for programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the [community event section](#) on the district's website!

Food Services

- Make sure to download [Sodexo's So Happy app](#)! Download the app to view nutritional information, allergens and more. Check out the [menus](#) for this month and take the parent/student surveys!

WW-P Education Foundation

- The Education Foundation is accepting requests through Dec. 15, 2019, for the [STAR Campaign](#). Give a STAR to honor your child's teacher, guidance counselor, principal or staff member who makes a difference in their lives. Your donation helps fund our many grants that enrich your child's education. Click on the attached flyer for more information.

WW-P Board of Education

- Check out the upcoming [Board of Education Meetings](#) and materials.

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

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