

Jan. 10, 2020

## High School North Weekly Update

**Monday, Jan. 20: All WW-P schools and board offices will be closed.**

### PTSA News

Wishing you all a very happy and healthy year 2020! Thank you families for supporting HSN PTSA through your donation to our JWAC program. Your donations will help fund the mini grants for teachers and clubs and scholarships for graduating seniors. Please continue to show your support to HSN PTSA by donating to our [JWAC program](#), PTSA memberships and Scholarship fund. (For more information: [PTSA membership](#), [JWAC program](#))

### Upcoming events

- **Jan 15:** [HSN PTSA general membership meeting at 7 p.m. in the HSN media center.](#) The speaker for the evening is **Mr. Riley, HSN head of counseling**. The evening's topic will cover course selection, course rigor, and considerations that should be made when selecting courses for next year. Following the presentation, there will be time for a Q&A. Parents may ask general questions related to course selection and SAT/ACT testing (examples include: *When should students start test prep?*, *When is a good time to take the test?*, *Which test should students take?*, *How many subject tests should students take?* *Is there a limit on the number of times one can take the test*). Use this [link](#) to register for this event.
- **Feb 20:** Coffee with the Principal at 8:30 a.m. in main office conference room.

**Useful links:** [PTSA Website](#) | [Membership & Scholarship Donations](#)

If you have questions about information in the PTSA section please [email](#) us.

### SEPTSA

- **Jan. 30: PTSA Meeting "Understanding How to Improve IEPs and 504s" - 7 p.m.**, at Community Middle School (55 Grovers Mill Rd, Plainsboro). The speaker, Beth Manes, J.D., Special Needs Attorney, will

help parents understand how to effectively use IEP documents and evaluations to improve your child's school experience.

Please contact Jennifer Riccards ([jenballen@yahoo.com](mailto:jenballen@yahoo.com)) for questions or to RSVP.

**Links:** [WW-P SEPTSA Facebook](#) | [WW-P SEPTSA Website](#) | [Membership Form](#)

- **Jan 28:** [SPAN, Parent Advocacy Network](#) will present **“Look to the Future: Transition from School to Adult Life”** hosted by WW-P Jan. 28, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. at Community Middle School. Click [here](#) for more details and registration information.
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## School News

### Reminders:

- Check out the High School North [Calendar of Activities](#), [The Knights' Armory](#) and High School North's [Lost and Found](#).
- Check out the [important upcoming dates for January and February](#).
- Click [here](#) for the district's communication process and please make sure your phone numbers and email addresses are up-to-date in Genesis.

### Senior Parents:

It is your last chance to order a senior tribute for this year's yearbook. Order forms are due by Friday Jan. 17, 2020. Please click [here](#) for the order form and return it to the main office. Please contact [Lorraine.Sieben@ww-p.org](mailto:Lorraine.Sieben@ww-p.org) if you have any questions.

**Ordering senior yearbooks:** In order to guarantee your senior's name is stamped on the cover of his/her yearbook, please order by Friday, Jan. 17, 2020. The price of the book is \$100. There are two ways to order:

1. To use a credit card, debit card, or PayPal go to [yearbookforever.com](http://yearbookforever.com) and enter West Windsor-Plainsboro High School North.

2. To use a check, bring payment made out to West Windsor Plainsboro High School North to the main office.

Please email [tom.connolly@ww-p.org](mailto:tom.connolly@ww-p.org) if you have any questions.

## **Post Prom Committee**

- Like the Post Prom [Facebook](#) page! Stay up-to-date on upcoming events, volunteer opportunities and more.
- In order to make Post Prom successful, we depend on the partnership of schools, families and civic-minded business owners and corporations. Are you or do you know a local business owner? We invite our community business leaders to become a sponsor of Post Prom by making a tax deductible donation. Find out more [here](#).
- The Post Prom committee is collecting McCaffrey's receipts and Box Tops for Education. You can mail your receipts/Box Tops directly to Ellen Lieber at 113 Parker Road, Plainsboro NJ 08536. Please send in your McCaffrey receipts quickly as they only honor receipts less than 3 months old.
- [Buy your tickets now](#) for the highly anticipated **Pocketbook Bingo** fundraiser, which will be held at 2 p.m. **Sunday, Jan. 26** at Millstone River School. This year's selection of handbags is OUT OF THIS WORLD and includes Kate Spade, Coach, Ralph Lauren, Tory Burch and more! There will be twelve rounds of bingo, a 50/50 raffle and handbag raffles. You can register individually or reserve a table with 8 to 10 people by emailing Gaby at [gabriellelk@aol.com](mailto:gabriellelk@aol.com) or Angie at [adbcrichon@yahoo.com](mailto:adbcrichon@yahoo.com). Tickets are \$25 in advance (purchase by Jan. 20, 2020) or \$30 at the door. Purchase your tickets online at [wwpn-postprom.org/pocketbook-bingo](http://wwpn-postprom.org/pocketbook-bingo) now!

## **Athletics**

- Spring sports registration for high school students will open on Genesis at 8 a.m. on Jan. 21 and will close at 11 p.m. on Feb. 19

- HSN is looking for student athletes who are interested in playing baseball for the 2020 spring season. Please click [here](#) to complete the interest form and begin receiving information regarding pre-season workouts and the upcoming season.

### **Around the District News**

- [WW-P athletes and fans can now find out about game and practice cancellations by calling our athletic hotlines.](#)
  - **Tuesday, Jan. 28:** A special free [presentation of the “Do You Know Mykee” assembly](#) at 7 p.m. in the HSS New Theater sponsored by the district PTSAs. Parents and students in grades 8-12 are invited to attend.
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### **District Updates**

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

### **Counseling and Wellness**

- **Parent University:** A special Parent University event will be held **Thursday, Jan. 16, 7 p.m.** at High School North. **The topic: Is Video Gaming Addiction Real?** will examine the impact of video gaming on children and adolescents. Check out the 2020 dates for our upcoming [Parent University Events](#) or review the previous presentations.

### **Community Education**

- **Extended Day Program** registration is ongoing throughout the school year. [Sign up by clicking here.](#)
- Space is available in the morning and afternoon **Kindergarten Extension!** [Register by clicking here.](#)
- **Upcoming SAT Programs** - Community Education sponsored classes through [Kaplan](#), [Princeton Review](#), and [Lentz & Lentz](#) are offered throughout the school year at High School North and South.

## **Community Events**

- 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**

- Download the [Sodexo's So Happy app](#) to view nutritional information, allergens, [menus](#) and more.

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

- Check out the upcoming [Board of Education Meeting](#) dates. Agenda and materials for Board meetings are published after 3:30 p.m. the Friday prior to the meeting.

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

[Twitter](#) | [Facebook](#) | [Instagram](#) | [LinkedIn](#) | [Youtube](#)