High School North Weekly Update

PTSA News

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 <u>JWAC program</u>, PTSA memberships and Scholarship fund. (For more information: <u>PTSA membership</u>, <u>JWAC program</u>)

Upcoming Events:

- **Feb. 4:** Parent Discussion Group held from 8:45 9:45 a.m. in the HSN main office. Click here to register. See the attached flyer for details.
- **Feb. 19**: Student Volunteer/Job Fair from 4 8 p.m. at HSN. This event is open to all students. More details to follow.
- **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 (<u>jenballen@yahoo.com</u>) for questions or to RSVP.

Links: WW-P SEPTSA Facebook | WW-P SEPTSA Website | Membership Form

Jan 28: <u>SPAN, Parent Advocacy Network</u> will present "Look to the Future: Transition from School to Adult Life" hosted by WW-P and the West Windsor-Plainsboro Education Association Jan. 28, 2020, at 6:30 p.m. at Community Middle School. Click <u>here</u> for more details and registration information.

School News

- Program of Studies Week will be held Monday, Jan. 27-Friday, Jan. 31 with lunch presentations in the auditorium from 10:54 11:35 a.m. All students in grades 9-11 are encouraged to attend. Supervisors, teachers and counselors will be on hand to review academic offerings and answer questions in advance of course scheduling. Click here to become familiar with the course options. The scheduling process will begin in February. Additional details will be posted shortly.
- Check out the High School North <u>Calendar of Activities</u>, <u>The Knights' Armory</u> and High School North's <u>Lost and Found</u>.

Post Prom Committee:

- Like the Post Prom <u>Facebook</u> 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.
- Have fun, get fit and fundraise for Post Prom all at once with Bar Method
 Princeton! Register online for this special fundraiser Bar Method class on
 Sunday, February 23 at 1:30 pm. It's a great way to try a coach-led, fun-filled
 class with friends for only \$15, 100% of which goes to WWP North Post Prom.
 There is only room for 35 people in the class, so register now! Must be at least
 16 years old to attend.
- <u>Buy your tickets now</u> 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 or Angie at adbcrichton@yahoo.com. Tickets are \$25 in advance or \$30 at the door.

Reminders

- Check out the <u>important upcoming dates for January and February</u>.
- Click <u>here</u> for the district's communication process and please make sure your phone numbers and email addresses are up-to-date in Genesis.

Athletics

- Spring sports registration for high school students is now open on Genesis. Registration 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

- <u>WW-P</u> 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.

District Updates

• <u>District Website</u> | <u>Academic Calendars</u> | <u>Event Calendar</u>

Athletics

 Check out the <u>WW-P Athletics monthly newsletter</u> with information on spring sports registration, exciting upcoming competitions, and honors achieved by our student athletes.

Counseling and Wellness

- **Parent University**: The next Parent University event will be held Thursday, Feb. 20, 7 p.m. at CMS. The topic is "Vaping: What Your Kids Don't Want You to Know." Check out the 2020 dates for our upcoming Parent University Events or review the previous presentations.
- With rising concern over the new coronavirus (2019-nCoV) outbreak that is currently centered in Wuhan, Hubei Province, China, the West Windsor
 Department of Human Services has issued a <u>Public Health Notice</u> in response to questions regarding the illness and travel concerns that the local health department has begun to receive.

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 <u>Kaplan</u>, <u>Princeton Review</u>, and <u>Lentz & Lentz</u> 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 events section on the district's website!

Food Services

• Download the <u>Sodexo's So Happy app</u> to view nutritional information, allergens, menus and more.

WW-P Education Foundation

• The Foundation is accepting requests through Feb. 9, for the <u>HEART Campaign</u>. Give a HEART to honor your child's teacher, guidance counselor, principal or staff member who makes a difference in their life. Your donation helps fund grants that enrich your child's education.

WW-P Board of Education

• Check out the upcoming <u>Board of Education Meeting</u> 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.

<u>Twitter | Facebook | Instagram | LinkedIn | Youtube</u>