High School North Weekly Update

All WW-P schools will be closed Friday, Feb. 14 (professional development day for staff) and Monday, Feb. 17, 2020.

PTSA News

HSN PTSA appreciates your support through your donation to our JWAC program. Your donations will help fund:

- the mini grants for teachers and clubs
- staff appreciation events
- parent programs, such as the Mykee presentation held last week 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. 19: <u>Student Volunteer/Job Fair</u> from 4 8 p.m. at HSN. This event is open to all students and is organized by the HSN and HSS PTSAs.

 Representatives from organizations and businesses such as the West Windsor Volunteer Fire Department, WW-P Education Foundation, West Windsor Arts Council, American Pools, That Pottery Place and more will be in attendance. See the <u>flyer</u> for more information.
- **Feb. 20:** Coffee with the Principal at 8:30 a.m. in the 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 Events & Notices

- Contact <u>Kathleen</u> for questions. Visit our website <u>www.WWP-SEPTSA.org</u> to become a member and find out more about SEPTSA.
- **Saturday, Feb. 8 Lego Buddies** 10:15 11:15 a.m., West Windsor Library. Join our informal gathering of elementary students with IEPs or 504s to socialize through Lego play. RSVP by Friday at 10 p.m. to <u>Kathleen</u>.
- Accepting Volunteers for Next Year Further to our announcement at last
 week's meeting, SEPTSA is accepting nominations for those interested to help in
 an officer capacity until Mar. 1. We welcome offers to help in any capacity
 throughout the year. For officer nominations, contact <u>Sophie Hanstveit</u> and for
 other volunteer inquiries contact <u>Kathleen</u>.
- **Sunday, Feb. 23: "Office Hours"** 4 6 p.m., McCaffrey's (upstairs cafe). Come meet other special education parents to talk or get informal advice on your issues! Contact <u>Jennifer Riccards</u> with questions.
- **Wednesday, Feb. 26: SEPAG meeting**, 7 9 p.m., Grover Middle School. The topic is TBD, but will likely be the special education program review that just began. Contact <u>Jennifer Riccards</u> with questions or RSVPs.

Links: <u>WW-P SEPTSA Facebook</u> | <u>WW-P SEPTSA Website</u> | <u>Membership Form</u>

School News

Check out the High School North <u>Calendar of Activities</u>, <u>The Knights' Armory</u> and High School North's Lost and Found.

Post Prom Committee:

Like the Post Prom <u>Facebook</u> page! Stay up-to-date on upcoming events, volunteer opportunities and more.

Want to support Post Prom but can't make our fundraising events? We'll make it
easy for you! Now you can **Just Write a Check** to support Post Prom. For all the
details, visit our <u>Post Prom website</u> and choose from one of three easy payment

- methods: drop off a check in the Post Prom box at the High School North front office, mail a check to our Post Prom committee, or pay via credit or debit card. No matter which method you choose, we are grateful for your support!
- 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 three 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, Feb. 23 at 1:30 p.m. 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.

Athletics

• Spring sports registration for high school students is now open in Genesis. Registration will close at 11 p.m. Feb. 19.

Reminders:

- Check out the <u>important upcoming dates in February</u>. Reminder, schools will be closed Friday, Feb. 14 (Professional Development Day for staff) and Monday, Feb. 17.
- Click here for the district's communication process and please make sure your phone numbers and email addresses are up-to-date in Genesis.

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 <u>Parent University Events</u> or review the previous presentations.
- With rising concern over the new coronavirus (2019-nCoV) outbreak that is currently centered in Wuhan, Hubei Province, China, WW-P continues to carefully monitor the situation and heed guidance that has been provided by state and national health organizations. For more information, please click here.

Community Education

- Registration for Spring After-School Enrichment is now open. Spring
 <u>after-school programs</u> are here and spaces fill fast. Do not delay registration!
 Registration closes Tuesday, March 24, 2020.
- **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, <u>menus</u> 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.
- Innovation Fair 2020: The Foundation's Youth Committee will hold auditions for **WW-P's Got Talent** at the HS South Playhouse, from Mar. 5 7. The district-wide talent show will be held May 16, 2020, and is a fabulous forum for kids to show off their talents. Acts may include individuals, groups and bands and is open to students in grades K-12! Click here to register to audition.

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>