High School North Weekly Update

All WW-P schools will be closed Monday, Feb. 17, 2020. Please note: The next newsletter will be sent on Feb. 28.

PTSA News

Upcoming Events:

- Feb. 19: Student Volunteer/Job Fair, 4 8 p.m. at HSN
- **Feb. 20:** Coffee with the Principal at 8:30 a.m. in the main office conference room.
- Mar. 7 and 8: SAT Bootcamp, 9 a.m. 1 p.m. Students attend both days.

Event Details:

Feb. 19: Student Volunteer/Job Fair 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 flyer for more information.

Feb. 20: Coffee with the Principal at 8:30 a.m. in the main office conference room. HSN PTSA invites all parents to Coffee with the Principal, Dr. Dauber. This is an opportunity for you to meet with the principal in a relaxed setting. Dr. Dauber will address any general questions and concerns parents may have. Come with your questions and or concerns or just to have coffee with the principal. Due to space limitations and to help us plan for the event, we request that you use the <u>link to sign up</u> by Feb. 18. Thank you!

Mar. 7 and 8: SAT Bootcamp 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. at HSN. Students attend both days. Learn THE PLAYBOOK for beating the SAT at its own game. THE PLAYBOOK is the definitive course for students who want to march into the test with confidence,

momentum, and every key strategy fresh in their mind. Tuition is \$195 for the entire weekend. It includes eight hours of expert instruction and strategies from an instructor who has helped thousands of students to maximize their score. For more information on this special prep opportunity or to enroll, visit learntheplaybook.com, click Upcoming Courses & Events on the menu bar, and pick the SAT Boot Camp at North.

Useful links: PTSA Website | Membership & Scholarship Donations
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,
- 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>)

If you have questions about information in the PTSA section please email us.

SEPTSA Events & Notices

- Contact Kathleen (<u>Kkz4@verizon.net</u>) for questions. Visit our website <u>www.WWP-SEPTSA.org</u> to become a member and find out more about SEPTSA.
- 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 Sophie Hanstveit
 (mjwannabe829@yahoo.com) and for other volunteer inquiries contact Kathleen
 (Kkz4@verizon.net).
- **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 Jennifer Riccards (jenballen@yahoo.com) 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 Jennifer Riccards (<u>jenballen@yahoo.com</u>) with questions or RSVPs.

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

School News

Check out the High School North:

- <u>Calendar of Activities</u>
- The Knights' Armory
- 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 <u>register now!</u> Must be at least 16 years old to attend.

Reminders:

- Check out the <u>important upcoming dates in February</u>. Reminder, schools will be closed Monday, Feb. 17.
- 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 in Genesis. **Registration will close at 11 p.m. Feb. 19.**

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

- 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." A panel of stakeholders will present the risks, challenges and realities of vaping among adolescents within our community. 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, 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. <u>Spring</u>
 <u>after-school programs</u> are here and spaces fill fast. Do not delay registration!
 Registration closes Tuesday, Mar. 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 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 <u>community events section</u> on the district's website!
- In mid-March, homes will begin receiving invitations to complete the <u>US</u>
 <u>Census</u>. Responses may be submitted online, by phone, or via mail. Results will impact the federal funds our communities and our schools receive.

Food Services

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

WW-P Education Foundation

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>