

PARENT BULLETIN

WILLIAMSVILLE BEE BEES

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NO SCHOOL/EARLY DISMISSAL

There will be no school on Monday, January 21, in observance of Martin Luther King's birthday.

School will dismiss at 11:30 on Friday, February 15 for a school improvement day.

There will be no school on Monday, February 18, in observance of President's Day.

DECEMBER/SEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to our 7th grade, December students of the month. They are Zoe Beard for Science, Julia Ribaldo for Math, Camryn Meridith for English, Tucker Johnson for History, and Ellie Ford for Language Arts. These students were chosen based on their academic effort, behavior, and citizenship.

PURCHASE YOUR YEARBOOK IN FEBRUARY

On Friday, February 1, students will be given a manila envelope during wrap up. This envelope needs to be completed, money enclosed, and returned to the office by Thursday, February 28 if they wish to purchase a yearbook. The cost of the yearbook is \$20.00. If your student misses this opportunity, they can purchase a yearbook on the last day of school for a slightly higher price.

PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF THE CLASS OF 2023

We wanted to let you know of some upcoming dates that pertain to your student.

~On Wednesday, **January 23, 2019**, there will be a Freshman Registration Informational Meeting from 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. in the WHS gym. All incoming freshman and their families are urged to attend.

~On **Friday, January 25, 2019**, Mrs. Chladny, the high school counselor, will meet with the 8th grade students. Registration materials and information for their upcoming 2019-2020 school year will be distributed. Please review these materials with your student. The registration form included in the materials will help determine what core classes and electives your student will be taking as a freshman. This form needs to be completed, signed, and returned to the Junior High office by February 1, 2019.

~Additionally, if a student needs further assistance, both Mrs. Chladny and Mrs. Damery will be available to meet with them individually as needed from January 28-February 1 by appointment. To schedule an appointment with one of the counselors, please have your student sign up on the clipboard in the Junior High office or contact Mrs. Damery at 566-3600.

CHORUS NEWS

~Solo and Ensemble Contest is Saturday, February 23. Participating students will be receiving rehearsal tracks and must practice at home. We will be rehearsing at school as well, but the majority of the work needs to be done independently at home. A schedule of performance times will be sent home as soon as it is made available to the directors.

~Friday, April 26: Organizational Contest (7th and 8th grade only)

~Wednesday, May 1 - Spring Concert 7:00 PM

~Saturday, May 11: Vocal Jazz Night (Boppin' Bee Bees)



ANNUAL 8th GRADE SIX FLAGS TRIP

The date for the Six Flags Trip for 8th graders is Tuesday, May 28. Students who sold a magazine in the annual fundraiser every year they've attended WJHS will get a free ticket. Every year your student did not sell a magazine, they'll be charged \$10.00. We'll be letting students know what they owe for the Six Flags trip soon.

8TH GRADE GRADUATION DATE

The class of 2019 will graduate on May 24 at 6:30 p.m. They were measured for their gowns on January 11 (no caps). The cost of the gown is included in the graduation fee that most of you paid with registration. If you didn't pay that fee yet, we'll be letting you know by mail soon.

WCUSD BUS RIDER POLICY

Just to remind everyone of the school district policy about riding another bus besides your own. At the junior high level, the district allows students to ride only one bus. In emergency situations where a parent needs a student to ride another bus, a note must be brought to school from the parent stating the reason why a student should ride an alternate bus. A student riding with others on alternate buses for social reasons is not allowed.