



WEST DEPTFORD HIGH SCHOOL

EAGLE NEWS – September 29, 2017

- Social Media – throughout the year I will send reminders to our High School Community REMINDING our parents to please monitor your children’s social media, texts or any electronic communication that can be used. If you are not doing this now, please begin to monitor your child’s social media activity and address inappropriate behavior immediately. Create your own account and follow your child. It only takes one regrettable post for your child to lose privileges here at school and impact their future.

Social media is not a reliable source of information. If you have questions regarding your child’s school, please go to the district website for more information. You can also call your child’s school for accurate information. Too often we see comments on social media attempting to address or clarify a school-related issue that are often inaccurate, misleading, and/or irresponsible. If you want to know, call us, we are always happy to provide accurate and reliable information.

- Special thanks to all of our parents who were able to attend our successful Back-To-School Night last evening. As always, it was great to see all of our parents and welcome you back to our school community.
- Please take note that students who are not participating in a club, sport and/or extracurricular activity must leave the school at the end of the school day. We cannot have students walking or hanging in the hallways without supervision. Thank you for your support. Always remember that communication is key to our success. If you ever have any questions, problems or concerns, please contact the school so we can assist you in obtaining the answers to your questions!

--Dr. Gismondi

GUIDANCE NEWS:

Grades 10 & 11: Students will take the PSAT on October 11th. No sign up is required.

Grades 11 & 12: Students are invited to sign up to attend college presentations on-site during the school day. Over 30 colleges, universities, and trade schools will be here throughout the fall. Students must sign up through Naviance.

Grade 12:

- **All seniors and parents** are encouraged to sign up for the Guidance Remind text messaging system. **Simply text @wdhs18 to 81010.** We will be sending info about scholarships, testing dates, reminders about applications, etc. so please sign up!
- **Seniors and their parents** are reminded to check their email for important resource information for the guidance dept.

- **Seniors are encouraged** to start exploring scholarship opportunities. As we receive scholarship information, we will post it under the scholarship tab in Naviance. Students can then link right to the scholarship applications. Check back frequently as new scholarships are posted frequently!
- **The deadline to register (with a late fee) for the October 7th SAT is Sept. 27th.** Go to Collegeboard.com to sign up. The next SAT test date is November 4th. Registration deadline is Oct. 5th.
- **LAST CALL! Senior Transcript Release Forms** (for any student who plans to apply to college, trade school, any scholarship program, etc.) must be signed by a parent and returned by Sept. 29th.
- **Attention Seniors who plan to apply to any Historically Black Colleges and Universities!** If you have maintained an overall GPA of an 83 or higher and have scored a 900 or better on your SATs, you may be eligible to apply for the New Jersey Rising Scholars Scholarship. Please see your guidance counselor for more information. Applications are due by Oct. 23rd.
- **Effective October 1st**, parents of seniors can complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). Go to <https://fafsa.ed.gov> for information.

NHS NEWS:

National Honor Society is hosting their annual American Red Cross Blood Drive at West Deptford High School for staff and students on **Monday, October 17!** To donate, students must be at least sixteen years old. See any NHS Member or contact Mrs. Stuart or Mrs. Davis to sign up! Each donation can help save up to 3 lives, so sign up today.

SAFE SPACE NEWS:

West Deptford Safe Space will meet every **Wednesday at 2:10 pm in room 37**. If you want to educate others about tolerance, become an ally, and how to support the LGBTQ community, please stop by!

YEARBOOK NEWS:

Buy your yearbook today and **SAVE!** Yearbooks are on sale for **\$85** if you purchase before **October 27th!**



Click here to purchase:
<http://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A05206900>
 Click here to purchase a senior vanity or corporate ad:
<http://jostensadservice.com/?REF=A05206900>

ORDER YOUR 2017-2018 WEST DEPTFORD HIGH SCHOOL YEARBOOK TODAY.	YEARBOOK \$85.00
There's nothing else like getting your copy of the official yearbook. It's the limited edition collection of our school's stories for this year. Don't let your student miss out on sharing and reliving the big events that will make this year special.	SIGNATURE PACKAGE \$90.00 Includes: Freshman, Personalities, & Schoolwide Spirit (Letters, Autograph Section)
Our book is now on sale for the lowest price of the year. ORDER NOW AND SAVE \$10.00!	PERSONALIZATION \$1.00
	ICONS FREE!
	AUTOGRAPH SECTION \$3.00
	PHOTO POCKETS \$3.00
	CLEAR PROTECTIVE COVER \$3.00

ORDER DEADLINE: 10/27/2017



WEEK OF RESPECT NEWS:

Week of Respect is Oct 2-6. Be on the lookout for ways to promote **Respect, Kindness, and Compassion** here at WDHS.

WDHS SERVICE CLUB NEWS:

**WE NEED
YOUR HELP!**

Please drop off items for the Saint Francis Veterinary Center in Room 10!

- Clean towels/blankets
- Cat/Dog food and treats
- Collars and leashes
- Toys
- Cat litter
- Beds
- Anything will help!

Each item donated = 1 piece of candy!

Donation runs from 9/20 to 10/13. Anything is appreciated to help the furry victims of Hurricanes Harvey and Irma!



RENAISSANCE CLUB NEWS:

The Renaissance Club is selling Chick-fil-A sandwiches every Wednesday! For only \$5 students can purchase a sandwich and a bag of chips! First come, first served!!!





The Renaissance Club is also sponsoring White-Out Games for our Fall Sports Teams. We start on Monday 10/2 as we cheer on our boys' soccer as they battle Haddonfield at WD Park at 7:30 pm. Come and buy a t-shirt for only \$5! Wear these shirts again for Girls' Soccer on 10/10, Field Hockey on 10/11 and Football on 10/20!

CLASS OF 2020 FUNDRAISER:

Class of 2020

Pop Socket Sale

Orders due no later than Friday October 6th

\$10.00 Each

Green and White WD Logo shown below



Name	Homeroom Teacher	# of PopSockets	Total Enclosed

Cash or checks accepted. Make checks payable to West Deptford High School with student's name in the memo section. Turn in this form with payment to Mrs. Arra or Mrs. Kappre (room 8 or 11)

CLASS OF 2021 NEWS:

PRE-GAME COOKOUT:

What goes better with football than a pre-game cookout? Come out and support the WD Football Team and the Class of 2021 on October 20th for the WD vs. Haddonfield game! We will have the first ever pre-game cookout! There will be food, refreshments, games music and raffles! Find a Class of 2021 member to buy your pre-sale ticket! We cannot wait to see you there!!

Class of 2021 Cookout Order Form

Event Date: 10/20

WD vs. Haddonfield Game
5pm- 7pm

Seller's Name: _____ Money Due Back By: Monday October 9th

Name	Phone #	Qty	Price Each	Total Due	Paid
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**** Required to sell at least 3 tickets per student****

JUNIOR CLASS FUNDRAISERS:



We are excited to be partnering with **FUN PASTA FUNDRAISING!** Shop now using the website below and order some creative, delicious pasta goodies. It's simple, and you'll love

the selection - great for any special occasion or just for yourself!

With each sale, our group earns 40% which helps us reach our fundraising goal. The money each student makes will go into their personal accounts. They will be able to use this money in the future toward senior trip, homecoming tickets, spirit wear, etc.

WITH EVERY BAG OF PASTA PURCHASED, FUNPASTA WILL DONATE A BAG TO EITHER FLORIDA OR TEXAS FOR HURRICANE RELIEF!

Plus, you get FREE shipping over \$50!

Thanks for your help! Your order will be shipped from Nashville, TN within 3-5 days.

FUNDRAISER ENDS 10/16/17!

Click on the **updated** link below to access the website:

<https://www.funpastafundraising.com/shop/west-deptford-class-of-2019>

WEST DEPTFORD CELL PHONE WALLETS

These cell phone wallets stick to the back of any case and can hold your ID, credit cards, and cash. **\$5 each** If you would like one (or more than one 😊), please contact Mrs. Patton or Miss Stetson. spatton@wdeptford.k12.nj.us cstetson@wdeptford.k12.nj.us



WEST DEPTFORD WATER BOTTLES

Need to rehydrate after
bleeding green all day?

For just \$5, get your 28 oz
WD Water Bottle to drink the
finest filtered water West
Deptford offers.

Support the Class of 2019 by
seeing Mrs. Patton or Miss
Stetson, and get yours before
they are gone!!!!



ATHLETIC OFFICE NEWS:

WINTER STUDENT-ATHLETES: It's not too early to turn your Athletic Participation Paperwork in! Stop down to the Athletics Office or visit our WDHS Athletics website to gather that information. Winter sports are right around the corner!

WDHS ATHLETICS HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 2017 INDUCTION CEREMONY!



WDHS
26th ANNUAL
ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

Induction Ceremony
Sunday November 19, 2017

RiverWinds Restaurant
1075 Riverwinds Dr.
West Deptford, NJ 08086

Reception 1:00 – 1:30pm
Luncheon – 1:30pm
Tickets - \$35/person

Inductees:

Fred McColl 1976-1979

Suzanne (Stipp) Press 1979-1982

Coach Bob Byatt 1991-2004
(Head Boys Basketball Coach)

Rachel (Mehaffey) Shappell 2004-2008

2009-2010 BOYS SOCCER TEAM
(Head Coach Tim Cammarota)

MARCHING BAND FUNDRAISER:



**West Deptford Marching Band 2017 raffle for a
\$500 cloud9living.com Gift Certificate**

Have you ever wanted to see the Philadelphia Skyline from a Birdseye View, experience the thrill of being a Nascar Driver or would you enjoy a night with friends, while your personal Chef is in the kitchen preparing a gourmet meal for you and your guests?

These are just a few examples of 2,000 experiences you can choose from across 51 regions in the United States with your \$500 cloud9living.com gift certificate.

Pick the experience or multiple experiences that suit you best, take an experience off your bucket list and make memories that will last a lifetime.

Contact a member of WDMB to purchase your Raffle Ticket for \$5.00 each

BEST OF LUCK TO YOU!!!

The Raffle will be drawn on October 14th.

You do not need to be present to win.

For questions please reach out to Anja at (856)-540-5417 or email

wdhsbandparents@gmail.com

Please make checks payable to WDHS Band Parent Assoc.

COMMUNITY NEWS:

The Special Olympics is looking for some volunteers: Please click on the link below for complete details and registration form.

2017 Fall Volunteer Registration

<https://2017fallevents.my-trs.com/>

South Cycling Sectional – Must be at least 14 years old

Bankbridge School, Sewell

Sunday, October 1; 8:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

South Soccer Sectional – Must be at least 14 years old

RiverWinds Community Center, West Deptford

Saturday, October 21 – Sunday, October 22; 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.