



EAGLE NEWS – March 11, 2016

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

PARCC Testing Update:

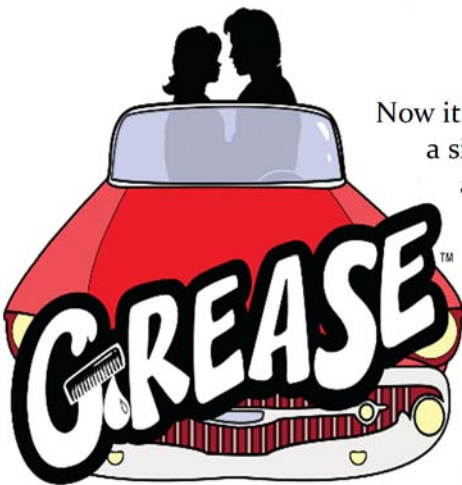
All students enrolled in an English 9, 10, or 11 course and/or an Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II course, will be required to take the PARCC assessment this year if they are enrolled in said courses. In order to ensure optimal testing conditions for those students who will be testing each day, there will be a delayed opening for all other students who are NOT testing. Additional notification and passes will be sent home and/or delivered to students for clarification on testing days!

Our *tentative* PARCC testing schedule for April is as follows:

Tues, April 12	Wed, April 13	Thurs, April 14	Mon, April 18	Tues, April 19	Wed, April 20
English 10	English 10	English 10	English 9	English 9	English 9
English 11	English 11	English 11	Algebra II	Geometry	Geometry
Algebra I	Algebra I	Algebra I			Algebra II

As always, we just wanted to make you aware, for planning purposes, our PARCC schedule. During this school year, West Deptford High School was named as having the HIGHEST SCORE IN GLOUCESTER COUNTY FOR OUR ELA 10 PARCC Scores. West Deptford High School has been a true example of how smoothly the tests are running across New Jersey and we would like to express our appreciation to our school community for the continued assistance and partnership in our highly viewed educational journey.

“GREASE!”



Now it's time to dust off your leather jackets, pull on your bobby-socks and take a trip to a simpler time as 'bad boy' Danny and 'the girl next door' Sandy fall in love all over again.

It's the original high school musical, featuring all the unforgettable songs from the hit movie including *You're The One That I Want*, *Grease Is The Word*, *Summer Nights*, *Hopelessly Devoted To You*, *Sandy*, *Greased Lightnin'* and many more.

So throw your mittens around your kittens and hand-jive the night away with the show that'll make you want to stand up and shout, 'A-wop-bop-a-loo-bop A-wop-bam-boom!'

IT'S THE MOST ELECTRIFYIN' EXTRAVAGANZA on stage!!... Be there or be square!

Performance Dates: Thursday, March 17 - 7:30pm, Friday, March 18 - 7:30pm, Saturday March 19 - 7:30pm

Tickets are \$10 in advance/\$15 at the door
Tickets are on sale now

From the Guidance Department:

- Counselors have met with most 10th and 11th graders about their courses for next year. Keep your eye out for a blue course selection form that should be coming home for your review and signature. Be sure to have your child return their signed course selection sheet to their counselor asap.
- 9th graders and any other students who have not completed their course selections will meet with their counselors in the next two weeks.
- Juniors are reminded that deadlines are fast approaching for the May and June SATs and ACTs. Students can sign up at www.collegeboard.com or www.actstudent.org.
- Rowan College at Gloucester County will hold a Spring Open House on March 22nd from 5:30 – 8:00pm for prospective students.
- Gateway High School is hosting a NCAA Information Night for athletes and their parents on March 16th at 6:30pm. All are welcome to attend.
- Many new scholarship opportunities have been posted for seniors. Check out the listing on Naviance as well as the list of local scholarships and awards on the guidance section of the high school homepage.
- All students who are currently taking AP courses should have registered by March 11, 2016 to take the official AP tests. If you have not yet registered and still wish to do so, please see Mrs. Quindlen by Monday, March 14th.

KEY CLUB NEWS:

Now is the time to register for Volleyball Marathon 2016 - Friday, April 8th. The students love to see you participate - either as a player or a ref/volunteer - and you are helping Key Club raise money for Cathedral Kitchen in Camden. Mr. Vilary, Mr. Rockwell, Mr. Jakubowski, Mr. Layton, Mr. Dougherty, and Mr. McAndrew played last year - you know you want to take them on! I have team packets in room 9.

For nearly 40 years the Cathedral Kitchen has been serving meals to the poor and hungry of Camden. What began as a simple ministry offering soup and sandwiches to a few people in need has grown into the largest emergency food provider in the city. The Cathedral Kitchen relies upon the private contributions of hundreds of individuals to help fund its programs. Without this financial support, it would be impossible to continue to feed all of the people who have come to rely on the Kitchen for meals.

Registration/Volunteer forms are due by Friday, March 18th - but if you email me your shirt size, you are good to go. No cost for volunteering, but we ask a \$20 per player donation. If you advise an organization or coach a team, we will gladly accept donations of pizza, pretzels, snacks, and water - and money. Money is always useful! Thanks for your continued support - cannot believe it is our 10th year.

On Friday, April 8th the West Deptford High School Key Club is hosting its **10th Annual Volleyball Marathon** at RiverWinds Community Center. Last year's event was a great success raising \$3,000.00 for **Cathedral Kitchen** in Camden. We hope to exceed that total this year as we raise funds for again for **Cathedral Kitchen**. All participants are required to raise funds to play, so we are seeking **food and beverage donations** which will be served to the students and staff participating in our charity event - pizza, food trays, cases of water, individual snacks, and fruit are always a big hit. **Monetary donations** also are gratefully accepted. We also are seeking donations of **gift cards, gift baskets, and incentive prizes** for the highest fundraisers. If you choose to endorse our project, and respond by March 18th, your business name will be prominently displayed on the back of the t-shirts that will be distributed to all participants. We greatly appreciate any donation you can make. Make checks payable to "West Deptford High School." Contact Mrs. Yeager if you can make a donation.

PAAC CLUB NEWS:

PAAC, GSA, and Rachel's Challenge are participating in the "SURE Summit" at Rowan University on March 17. The SURE Summit is a leadership training workshop that focuses on conflict resolution, personal responsibility and goals, creating positive role models in the community as well as promoting the idea of "giving back" to the community. The students look forward to a productive and informative trip to Rowan University.

ATHLETIC NEWS:

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! The mandatory Spring Sports meeting will be Monday March 21st. **TIME CHANGE:** Meeting will now start at 6pm in the auditorium. Parents and student-athletes must attend. There will be sport specific breakout meetings to follow.

DECA NEWS:

WEST DEPTFORD HS DECA, has just kicked off our Yankee Candle® Fundraiser and I need your help! We are raising funds for competitive events and to support our local clubs and community programs . Our group earns 40% of every dollar you spend. Simply [click here](#) to see the exciting collection of America's Best Loved Candles™, candle accessories, flameless fragrance and assorted gift wrap. Shop online 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – everything is shipped directly to you. If you don't click on my link listed above, you need to enter my **Group Number** 990030026 and my **Seller ID** Lauren5 in order for DECA to receive credit.

[Click here for my site](#) If you are having trouble with the above link, you may copy and paste the following link in to your browser:

<https://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com/FFentry.htm?publicKey=YbOStgJVjeySAXzrK5SqWr5znragcteJ&frComp=ycf> Our fundraiser will be running from 08-Mar-2016 through 18-Mar-2016. Please help me by placing your order before the end of our sale.

Thanks, DECA and I really appreciate your support!

NHS NEWS:



West Deptford High School
National Honor Society
Red Eagle Pie Sale Fund-Raiser

All Proceeds To Benefit



Order Form

Please Write the Quantity Requested for each:

Coconut Custard \$11	Apple \$12	Apple Crumb \$12	Peach Crumb \$12	Cherry Crumb \$12	Five Fruit Crumb \$12	Blueberry Peach Crumb \$12	Apple Caramel Nut \$12
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All pie orders & payment are due to
Jen Stuart or Jody Davis at the High School
by Thursday, March 17th

Make checks payable to "WDHS".

Pies must be picked up on Tues, March 22nd between 2:00 & 2:40pm

Pies can be frozen.

Child Study Team News:

Thank you to Jamie DeFrancis and Denise Leaf for organizing a successful transition night for special education students.

ANGLERS CLUB:

Anglers Club will be going to Batso Lake on Sunday, March 20th. Students will be able to fish at the lake or go on a 4.5 mile hike around the lake. See Mr. Burr or Mr. Campbell if interested. Transportation will be provided.

SOPHOMORE CLASS NEWS:

WDHS Sophomore class is sponsoring a fundraiser! All moneys will go directly to the class! If you don't know a WDHS sophomore, just email Mr. Seeley at mseeley@wdeptford.k12.nj.us or call 856-848-6110 ext. 2222!

Class of 2018

MOREY'S PIERS FUNDRAISER

From **Monday, February 29th** through **Monday, March 14th**, the sophomore class will be selling discounted passes to the Morey's Piers and Beachfront Water Parks. These tickets make great gifts – and they **NEVER EXPIRE!** Feel free to share this deal with your friends and family so they too can enjoy the Wildwood Boardwalk at these great prices!

**The following passes are available at discounted prices:

Splash and Ride Combination Pass - \$65 *(You save \$18!)*

- Can be used as a TWO DAY TICKET! (or you can use it all on one day!)
 - One day: All day and evening Admission to amusement rides on all THREE of Morey's Piers!
 - Second day: All day admission to BOTH Beachfront Water Parks!

Amusements Only Pass - \$45 *(You save \$17!)*

- All day and evening Admission to amusement rides on all THREE of Morey's Piers!

Water Park Only Pass - \$35 *(You save \$10!)*

- All day admission to BOTH Beachfront Water Parks!

Seller Rewards:

- For each pass sold, you'll receive the following credit to your personal account:
 - \$15 for each Combination Pass
 - \$7 for each Amusement Only Pass
 - \$6 for each Water Park Only Pass



- **Additionally, if you sell...**
 - \$300 in passes, you'll receive 1 Water Park Pass!
 - \$500 in passes, you'll receive 2 Water Park Passes!
 - \$1000 in passes, you'll receive 4 Water Park Passes!

**PLEASE MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO WEST DEPTFORD HIGH SCHOOL
ORDERS DUE MONDAY, MARCH 14TH!**

Please contact Mr. Seeley (mseeley@wdeptford.k12.nj.us) or Mr. Crane (jcrane@wdeptford.k12.nj.us) with any questions.