



EAGLE NEWS – March 4, 2016

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

This afternoon, West Deptford High School was fortunate to host a Q102 iHEART radio event for our music students. Pop star, Daya, joined us for a brief performance as well as a Question and Answer session with our students to discuss her on-going tour, education (she is a senior graduating from High School) and the demands of her job at her age! Daya's song "Hideaway" is Top 5 on the Billboards in this country at the present time. It was an honor to be a part of this mini-concert.



GUIDANCE NEWS:

- Many 10th and 11th grades have met with their counselor this week to discuss courses for next year. **Please ask them for their blue course selection sheet which will need your review and signature. This form must be returned in a timely fashion in order to avoid delays in processing your son/daughter's requests.**
- **Juniors are encouraged to take the SAT and/or the ACT this spring.** Students can register now for the May or June SAT dates. Go to www.collegeboard.com. Students can also sign up for the April or June ACT tests. Please note that the deadline to register for the April ACT is March 4th. Go to www.actstudent.org.
- All students who are currently taking AP courses have received registration information for the **official AP tests. Students must sign up by March 11, 2016.** Students who receive free or reduced lunch should see Mrs. Quindlen about getting their fees waived for these tests.
- **Seniors who plan to attend RCGC:** There are a TON of RCGC scholarships posted on the RCGC website. Please look over them and consider applying! Also, students who need to take **all areas** of the RCGC College Placement Test have received information on the "Get on the Bus" trip and should consider signing up. If space allows, students who only need to take a portion part of the test will be considered.
- **Students in all grade levels:** There are numerous **exciting opportunities for summer programs offered around the country** in everything from video game design to pre-med to fashion design...and everything in between! Many offer college credit and scholarship opportunities! Be sure to check out the Summer Opportunities Newsletter listed under the Guidance Tab on the high school homepage.

KEY CLUB NEWS:

On Sunday, February 28th, Key Club members hit the Red Carpet at the Lowe's Hotel in Philadelphia to support Volunteers of America Delaware Valley at their biggest fundraiser of the year - Oscar Night. The event is an Oscar themed gala which raised over \$200,000 for Volunteers of America programs which help the homeless and veterans. The following students participated: Rasha Abouelsaadate, Camryn Arseneau, Grace Arseneau, Brianna Austin, Avery Bailey, Alexia Benson, Sarah Cabello, Sydney Cargill, Laura Gallo, Mia Forbes, Shane Moore, Natalie Policella, Jeinajua Reed, Katelyn Reichert, Juliana Stauffer, Kelly VanFossen, Matthew West, and Micaela Wilner.

On Wednesday, March 2nd, Mrs. Herbst's classes and Key Club members made 154 peanut butter and jelly sandwiches for the homeless. Thanks to Mrs. Herbst for supervising the students and for the use of her kitchen. The following Key Club members contributed: Kaitlyn Naphys, Vittoria Gambino, Christina Petito, Alli Horn, Sunny Walters, Brianna Austin, Emily Gilligan, Madison Kelly, James Phillips, Natalie Policella, Kelly VanFossen, Heather Ward, and Katie Lee. Thanks to Jeinajua Reed, Tyler Cobb, Belle Nicholas, and Christina Petito for donating peanut butter, jelly, and bread.

On Thursday, March 3rd, Key Club members Samantha Spence, Rebecca VanDorick, Laura Gallo, Lindsay Barney, Danielle Houpt, Jeinajua Reed, Sarah Cabello, and Lexi Meitzler served dinner at Cathedral Kitchen in Camden.

Mark your calendars for Tuesday, March 22nd - Key Club Wendy's Night! Dine out at Wendy's on Crown Point Road between 5-8 PM and a portion of your bill will benefit WDHS Key Club Volleyball Marathon 2016 which benefits Cathedral Kitchen in Camden.

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:

BEST OF LUCK to Eagle Wrestlers Cameron Shields, Jason Carter and Dylan Fischer at this weekend's NJSIAA State Championship Wrestling Tournament in Atlantic City this weekend!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! The mandatory Spring Sports meeting will be Monday, March 21st at 6:30pm in the auditorium. Parents and student-athletes must attend. There will be sport specific breakout meetings to follow



DECA NEWS: Congratulations to all DECA members for a successful, competitive State conference. Special recognition goes to Ryan Zuzulock and Connor DeMareo for making it to the finalist round and placing first in their Business Law and Ethics role play, to Alex Abbot for placing first in his Business Services role play, and to Matt West for receiving the highest score overall on his Business Services exam. Additionally, Matt West and Christian Lindabury received special recognition for their community service project as well as David Munyan, Matt McSorley and AJ Kilpatrick for their membership campaign, earning them all spots to the National Conference.

NHS NEWS:



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

All Proceeds To Benefit



Childhood Cancer Research

Order Form

Please Write the Quantity Requested for each:

Coconut Custard	Apple	Apple Crumb	Peach Crumb	Cherry Crumb	Five Fruit Crumb	Blueberry Peach Crumb	Apple Caramel Nut
\$11	\$12	\$12	\$12	\$12	\$12	\$12	\$12

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.

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!)

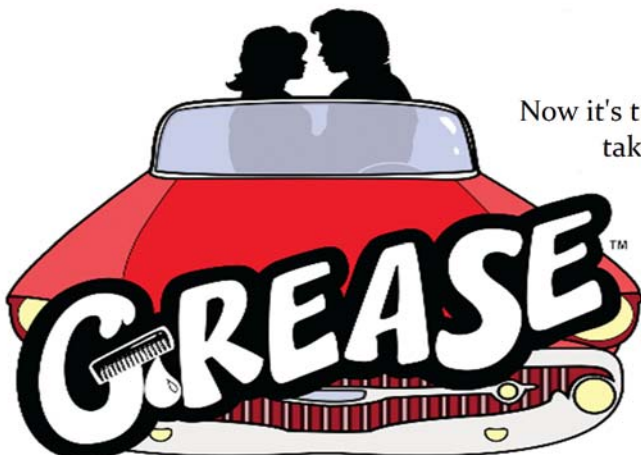
- All day admission to BOTH Beachfront Water Parks!

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 (icrane@wdeptford.k12.nj.us) with any questions.



THIS YEAR'S SPRING MUSICAL IS 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

FRENCH TRIP NEWS:

Two charter buses filled with French, Madrigal and Choir students, parents, and chaperones, Madame Tortu-Sliwecki, Dawn Jasper, Bill Yerkes and Amy Vassallo, had a fabulous time on their annual trek to NYC to see "Un Américain à Paris." Madame planned the trip and created a curriculum pertaining to the George Gershwin classic providing students with a background for the show, its relevance to the curriculum and its music. The day was filled with sight-seeing, shopping and the all-important dining experiences! The reaction to the experience has been very positive.

CBI NEWS:

Students in Ms. McCool's CBI Class and Mrs. Sexauer's Sociology Class painted rocks to be used in the WDHS Courtyard. Ms. McCool and Ms. Sexauer's classes have been working on the courtyard for the past few years. They anticipate a "Grand Opening" before the end of the year. Teachers will be able to use this area as an outdoor classroom. Staff can also use it during their lunch break to get some sun and enjoy nature.

