



EAGLE NEWS – January 20, 2017

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

**** Midterm Exam Schedule****

HALF DAY SCHEDULE FOR HIGH SCHOOL ONLY

Wednesday, January 25, 2017- Monday, January 30, 2017

<u>Time</u>	<u>Wednesday</u> <u>1/25/17</u>	<u>Thursday</u> <u>1/26/17</u>	<u>Friday</u> <u>1/27/17</u>	<u>Monday</u> <u>1/30/17</u>
7:31am-8:01am	Study Period 3 <i>Report to Period 3 Classroom</i>	Study Period 1 <i>Report to Period 1 Classroom</i>	Study Period 8 <i>Report to Period 8 Classroom</i>	Study Period 2 <i>Report to Period 2 Classroom</i>
8:01am-9:31am	Period 3 Exam	Period 1 Exam	Period 8 Exam	Period 2 Exam
9:35am-9:47am	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom	Homeroom
9:51am-10:21am	Study Period 6 <i>Report to Period 6 Classroom</i>	Study Period 7 <i>Report to Period 7 Classroom</i>	Study Period 4 <i>Report to Period 4 Classroom</i>	Study Period 5 <i>Report to Period 5 Classroom</i>
10:21am-11:51am	Period 6 Exam	Period 7 Exam	Period 4 Exam	Period 5 Exam

NOTES:

- ❖ Everyone must report on time for each exam and also to homeroom for attendance every day.
- ❖ Students that are late to school will not be permitted to enter an exam after it has already begun.
- ❖ Students are required to stay in the exam testing room until the scheduled testing time is complete.
- ❖ There will be a scheduled make-up exam day on Tuesday, January 31st with a proctor in LGI/Media Center. Otherwise, students can arrange a make-up date with their individual teachers.
- ❖ **IMPORTANT** - Students that have a lunch/study hall exam period are permitted to leave during that designated period ONLY if they have written permission from a parent. This permission must be sent to the Attendance office **in advance**. We strongly suggest that students use their study hall/lunch exam period to study for additional exams. ALL students must sign into homeroom each day.

If there is any way that we can help you support the education of our students, please let us know. Thank you in advance for *all that you do to make our school great!*

--Dr. Gismondi

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM THE GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT:



1. **Earn college credits** for WDHS courses you are already taking! Students who are eligible to participate in Camden County College's Dual Credit Program have received information packets and registration forms. Students who would like to take advantage of this opportunity **MUST** apply by Jan. 20th, 2017. If you have any questions, please see your guidance counselor.
2. **Juniors** are encouraged to log into Collegeboard to view their PSAT scores and link to a free on-line personalized tutorial program. Students who are having trouble logging in or creating a Collegeboard account should schedule an appointment with their counselor.
3. **Sophomores** will have the opportunity to take advantage of a Guidance Dept. "Walk-in- Wednesday" later in February to get assistance with accessing their PSAT scores and understanding what they mean. Stay tuned for more info!
4. **Juniors!** Not happy with your PSAT scores? Consider taking the WDHS SAT Test Prep course to help improve your skills before taking the real SAT. Info about this test-prep class can be found on the high school home page.
5. **Juniors** who are thinking about 4 year colleges and universities should register to take the SAT and/or ACT this spring. Students received handouts with all the test dates, registration deadlines, registration information, etc. back in December during their college planning classes.
6. **Parents** of those seniors who plan to attend college in the Fall, 2017 are reminded that the FAFSA needs to be completed in order for students to access any financial aid, student loans, and in some cases, scholarships. Go to <https://fafsa.ed.gov> to complete the FAFSA. Deadlines to file vary by college and university. Beware of sites that charge you a fee. The "real" FAFSA is FREE so be sure you go to the correct site!
7. **Seniors** are reminded to update their Naviance accounts to let us know where they have been accepted and where they plan to attend, once they make that final decision!
8. **ALL STUDENTS!** Mid-term exams begin on Jan. 25th. In order to do your very best, please start reviewing notes, making sure all your current assignments are completed, and take advantage of upcoming teacher review sessions.
9. **Girls** who may need help purchasing prom gowns are invited to a special event on Jan. 28th at Eastern Regional High School. High quality, low cost designer gowns, shoes, and accessories are available. For more info, stop by the guidance dept.

GRAPHIC DESIGN DEPARTMENT NEWS:

Congratulations to Graphic Design 2 students, Christian Savin and Ali Vergilio!

Their designs were chosen to be printed on the SURE (Students United for Respect and Equality) shirts for the event being held at Rowan University on March 16, 2017. Chris and Ali were invited to attend where 300 students and staff will be wearing their shirts. Congratulations! **Christian Savin – T-Shirt Front**



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Ali Vergilio – T-Shirt Back



DECEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH:



Not pictured - Natalie Asselta & Daniel Wilent

Business ED - Jacob Franks
Applied Technology – Maximillian Finocchi
Guidance – Kayla Zanolle
Mathematics- Natalie Asselta
World Language- Thomas Cairns
Health/Physical Education – Daniel Wilent
Science- Jennica Everly
English- Nastasia Satchell
Social Studies – Daivon Brown
Fine Arts – Allison Vergilio



ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT NEWS:

CONGRATULATIONS to Gio Gismondi and Gillian Purvenas for being named "**Wendy's High School Heisman Award Winners!**" Each student will be honored on their own special night by "Wendy's" of West Deptford! Also, their respective teams will receive 15% of the profits that night between the hours of 5pm and 8pm. See the flyers below for more information! Congratulations to Gio and Gillian!

Get Together At
Wendy's
HAVE FUN RAISING FUNDS

**FOOD,
FUN AND
FUNDS!**

We are having a fundraiser at Wendy's® and need your support!
Drop by, bring your friends and family, and enjoy some delicious
Wendy's food with us. Let's Have Fun Raising Funds!

WEST DEPTFORD HIGH SCHOOL
Thursday, January 26th
5-8PM
WENDY'S OF WEST DEPTFORD

COME OUT AND SUPPORT OUR
HIGH SCHOOL HEISMAN AWARD WINNER!
GIOVANNI GISMONDI

We'll earn 15% of all sales during the hours of our event -
Join us for a fun evening and show your support!

You know when it's real.™

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WEST DEPTFORD HIGH SCHOOL
Wednesday February 22nd
5-8PM
WENDY'S OF WEST DEPTFORD

COME OUT AND SUPPORT OUR
HIGH SCHOOL HEISMAN AWARD WINNER!
Gillian Purvenas

We'll earn 15% of all sales during the hours of our event -
Join us for a fun evening and show your support!

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CONGRATULATIONS to Winter Track student-athlete Anette Wanjiku who placed 1st in the High Hurdles at the Kutztown University Meet last weekend!

CONGRATULATIONS to the WDHS Football Team who were recognized at the most recent West Deptford Town Hall meeting for their championship season!



ATTENTION SPRING STUDENT-ATHLETES! It is time to get your paperwork in! Visit the WDHS Athletics Page or stop down to the WDHS Athletics Office to gather information!

KEY CLUB NEWS:

On Thursday, January 19th, Key Club members visited Brightview Assisted Living in Woodbury. Residents and Key Clubbers played Bingo and visited with the patients in the Alzheimer's and Dementia unit. The following students shared their time with the elderly: Ali Horn, Grace Arseneau, Gabriela Schultz, Alexia Benson, Hannah Phifer, Mackenzie Conaway, Chris Watts, Sreeram Mandava, Brad Schultes, Jared Schultes, Kayla Zanolle, Kathleen McLaney, Jamie Cesaro, and Lindsay Barney.



Key Club members are preparing for next month's "Sweethearts Dance" at Brightview Assisted Living. Members stayed after school to make corsages for their dates.








ACTIVITIES NEWS:The annual Mr. West Deptford Contest is tonight Friday, January 20th at 7 pm. Admission is \$5 at the door. We hope to see you there!

ATTENTION ALL SENIORS: Your \$20 cap and gown payment is now due. Please bring payment to the main office. If paying by check, please make payable to "JOSTENS".



ATTENTION ALL SENIORS: The final **SENIOR TRIP PAYMENT IS DUE**. Please hand in your final trip payment to the main office by 01/31/2017 or sooner. If there is a problem, please feel free to call the office.

CBI NEWS:

CBI is sponsoring their annual "Souper Bowl" Competition during the month of January

The homeroom that collects the most cans of soup will earn a *Super Bowl* breakfast tailgating party.

Soup donations will be collected from each homeroom on February 1st

The *Super Bowl Party* will be thrown to the lucky winning homeroom on Friday February 3rd

Please support the needy.

Let's "Score A Touch Down" in the New Year!
Thank you for your support!
CBI- Yes We Can (Rm. 28)

TECH ED AND WOODSHOP NEWS:

**The Eagle's Nest is now offering
WDHS car window stickers.**

Show your school pride!!

WDHS FOOTBALL



20 16

STATE CHAMPS

NEW!!!

See school store for options and pricing

All proceeds go towards the
TechEd/Woodshop Program



RENAISSANCE CLUB NEWS:



The Renaissance Club is selling the perfect solution to your Super Bowl needs!! **A re-heatable tray of 64 nuggets for Chick-fil-A!**

Order yours for **only \$25** and pick it up in the WDHS front lobby on 2/4/17 from 9:30 am to 11:00 am. Act quickly! **All orders must be submitted by 1/23/17!**

Contact Mrs. Pence (epence@wdeptford.k12.nj.us)

or Mrs. Falcone (ifalcone@wdeptford.k12.nj.us) with any questions.

The Renaissance Club is also selling Chick-Fil-a sandwiches after school **EVERY Wednesday!** Sandwiches are \$4! All proceeds go to the Renaissance Club whose goal is to build school leadership through academic achievement and school spirit.

SAVE THE DATE! The Renaissance Club is hosting their first Car and Truck Show! It will be held on **Saturday, May 20, 2017**. If you are interested in showing a car or truck, or if you are interested in being a vendor at our Car and Truck Show, please fill out one of the attached forms and send them into the attention of either Mrs. Falcone or Mrs. Pence. All spots (car/truck as well as vendors) are \$15. The Renaissance Club appreciates your ongoing support! We hope to see everyone there!



AN INVITATION TO PREPARE FOR THE REDESIGNED 2017 SAT:

To: West Deptford High School Juniors, **Class of 2018**

When: One evening per week, beginning February 6, 2017, for 11 weeks (either Monday or Wednesday with the exception of Monday, February 20th), and ending on April 26, 2017 (a calendar with the specific class dates is on the back of this invitation)

Time: 7:00pm – 8:30 pm (alternating weeks of math & verbal instruction)

Cost: \$115 per student (**non-refundable**) (includes a 2017 SAT prep text for students to keep)

To prepare for: May and June SATs

RSVP: by Friday, January 26, 2017

Questions: Email Mrs. Davis: jdavis@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

To register: Bring form below and payment (make checks payable to West Deptford High School) to the main office)

- Students will be scheduled in the order in which they are registered based on their preferred evening until that evening's session is full.
- Students will need to bring a pencil and a scientific or graphing calculator to each class.
- Students will need to have transportation to and from class and must be picked up promptly at 8:30 pm.
- Students will be given a calendar with their class meeting dates by Wed, February 1st.
- Please notify Mrs. Davis if your child will be absent from a class session prior to the start of class.
Attendance in class is necessary to achieve optimal benefits.
- Disruptive behavior will not be tolerated. If your child is disruptive during class, they will receive a warning. If the behavior does not improve, your child will be asked to leave class early that evening. If the behavior continues during the following classes, your child will be asked to leave the program and no refund will be issued.

Please return bottom portion with payment to register for SAT prep class

Student Name _____

Parent Name(s) _____

Parent Signature _____

Preferred Evening: Monday Wednesday Either

Contact Phone Number _____

Parent's Contact email _____

(Email will be used for class reminders and to verify your child's absence from class)

SAT 2017 CALENDAR

February 2017					March 2017				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
6 A	7	8 B	9	10	6 A	7	8 B	9	10
13 A	14	15 B	16	17	13 A	14	15 B	16	17
20	21 A	22 B	23	24	20 A	21	22 B	23	24
27 A	28	1 B	2	3	25 A	26	27 B	28	29
April 2017									
M	T	W	Th	F					
3 A	4	5 B	6	7					
10 A	11	12 B	13	14					
17 No	18 Class	19 This	20 Week!	21					
24 A	25	26 B	27	28					

**THE ORDERING DEADLINE HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO
JANUARY 24TH, 2017**

**ATTENTION SENIORS AND SENIOR PARENTS!
YEARBOOK SALES HAVE BEGUN!!!**

Prices starting at \$115. To order, visit <https://shop.smart-pay.com/> today!

BUY A YEARBOOK and a SENIOR VANITY AD NOW UNTIL JANUARY 24TH!!!!

Ad instructions

Ad link: <http://shop.balfour.com/smi47541/catalog/category/view/s/yearbook-ads/id/312796/>

4 Easy steps:

1. Choose an ad
2. Create an account
3. Design the ad
4. Then pay for the ad

*NOTE: If you are having technical trouble or difficulty designing the ad, call the call center, (800) 853-1337, and an assistant will help!

Local Business Owners: The West Deptford High School Yearbook staff cordially invites you to be a corporate sponsor for the 2017 yearbook. Your donation will benefit our school and students by helping to offset the cost of production of our award-winning publication. The success of the yearbook is dependent on the support of sponsors with interest in supporting our school and community. Kindly consider a donation to help sustain our continued success in producing a high-quality product at an affordable cost for our students. Thank you for your consideration. Click here <https://shop.smart-pay.com/> to design your ad.

If you have any questions, please see the contact information below:

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