



EAGLE NEWS – November 4, 2016

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL

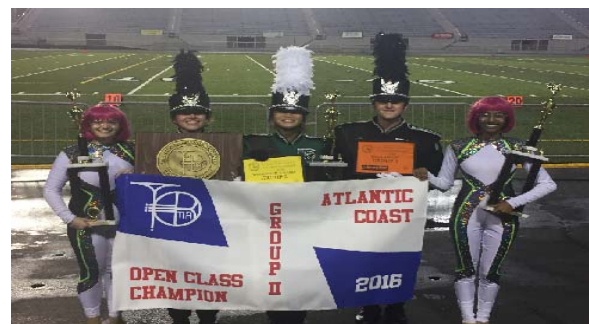
West Deptford Homecoming: I would like to thank all of the staff members, parents and students for another memorable Homecoming Dance event last Saturday. Thanks to the hosting junior class for taking our students to “A Kingdom Far Away...” during our Fairy Tale Homecoming Dance last Saturday. Special thanks to the 606 students who attended this dance and for representing our West Deptford Semi-Formal Event with pride and respect. Most importantly, thanks to all of the WDHS PTO and the many parents who donated food, money and time to our students.

Congratulations to Giovanni Gismondi and Madeline Bennett for becoming royalty as they were crowned Homecoming King and Queen 2016!!



Congratulations to the **WDHS LADY EAGLE FIELD HOCKEY** program on capturing their 4th straight NJSIAA SJ GROUP II CHAMPIONSHIP with a 2-0 victory over Delsea yesterday! NJSIAA GROUP II Semi-Finals....here we come!

CONGRATULATIONS to our Marching Eagles on their **FIRST PLACE** finish at the 2016 Tournament of Bands, Atlantic Coast Championships. Championships were held last Sunday in Hershey, PA where our Marching Eagles earned a score of 97.9 and brought home their **7TH CONSECUTIVE, ATLANTIC COAST CHAMPIONSHIP!** The Marching Eagles also won overall awards for best visual, best music, best brass and best woodwinds. Congratulations to all of our Marching Band on an outstanding season



Reminder.....WDHS WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7th – FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11th for TEACHER IN-SERVICE! Today is the last day of the Marking Period. Report Cards will be given to the students on Monday, November 14, 2016.

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:

- Coming Up! Counselors will present a **workshop on College and Career Planning to all JUNIORS on Dec. 7th & 8th**. Stay tuned for more info!
- **Seniors are reminded to complete their college applications by Thanksgiving and to update their Naviance accounts** to indicate where they need transcripts sent. Remember, transcripts cannot be sent to colleges unless you have a **signed transcript release form** on file.
- Seniors should check in Naviance for information on how to apply for a variety of **local and regional scholarship opportunities**.
- The **deadline to apply to Rutgers is coming up on December 1st**. Be sure to complete your application as well as the SRAR (Self-Reported Academic Record) by this deadline.
- **Rutgers, Camden is offering a Bridging the Gap grant program for low income families**. Families of 2017 high school grads with an adjusted gross income (AGI) of \$60,000 or less will receive a grant covering all of their tuition and fees. Families with an AGI of \$60,001 to \$100,000 will receive a grant covering 50% of their remaining tuition and the general campus fee after any other need-based federal and/or state grants are applied.
- **Seniors who plan to apply to RCGC** should complete their on-line app ASAP. Go to www.rcgc.edu/apply. Click on the link for **High School Priority application**. Once the application is complete, remember to stop down to guidance to pick up your free RCGC gift!
- **Juniors and Seniors:** There is still time to register for the **December 3rd SATs**, though a late registration fee applies. The Late Registration deadline for the December SAT is November 22nd. You can register at www.collegeboard.com. **Nov. 4th is the deadline to register for the Dec. 10th ACT**. Go to www.actstudent.org.
- **The ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery)** test will be given here at WDHS on November 16th. Interested students must sign up in the Guidance Office.

STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS:



Last week's Spirit Week was a huge success. Our Spirit Award winner was the Class of 2018! Congrats juniors! The homeroom in each grade level with the most participation will also be rewarded for their efforts! Thanks to everyone who contributed!

Winning Homerooms:

9th Grade- Mr. Costa, 10th Grade- Ms. Kosa
11th Grade- Mrs. Castone, 12th Grade- Mrs. Arra

NEWS FROM SADD:



October 31st-November 4th WDHS students and staff participated in Red Ribbon Week. **The theme is "YOLO" You Only Live Once- Be Drug Free!** SADD students came up with some fun awareness days to help spread the word. Special thanks to those who participated and supported SADD!



ATHLETIC NEWS:

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CLASS OF 2016 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES!

*Matt Moore 1973-1977, Kevin Wittmeyer 1993-1997, Jason Wood 1993-1997,
Meghan McGlinchey 2005-2009, 2009 – 2010 Wrestling Team*

The annual Hall of Fame Induction Banquet will be held on Sunday November 20th at 1:30 pm at Riverwinds Restaurant. To purchase tickets contact the West Deptford High School Athletic Department.

ATTENTION WINTER STUDENT-ATHLETES! The winter season is quickly approaching. Be sure to complete all necessary paperwork as soon as possible. You can pick this up in the WDHS Athletics Office or visit our Athletics webpage.

DECA NEWS:

DECA NEEDS YOUR HELP!!!

DECA will be raising money for the New Eyes charity in homerooms **November 14 through November 18**. New Eyes is a charity that purchases new prescription eyeglasses for residents of the US in need and gives out used glasses to those in need in developing countries. The organization is non-profit and benefits both children and adults who would not be able to get glasses on their own.

Donations can be given for homeroom collections OR checks can be made out to WDHS DECA and given to Mrs. Dupont in Room 10 and the DECA club. Any size donation is greatly appreciated! Thank you!

CBI NEWS:



Ms. McCool's and Mrs. Sexauer's classes teamed up Monday for some spirited activities. Included **in the fun** was **bowling, cupcake decorating, tic-tac-toe bean bag, guess games, mummifying, bingo, and lots of memories**. Students enjoyed getting together **to participate in the fun-filled week**.



KEY CLUB NEWS:

Many thanks to all the students, staff and community members who donated food during Spirit Week and the Homecoming Football Game. On Saturday, October 29th, Key Club President Tyler Barna, Webmaster Sarah Cabello, Member Jacob Jackson, and Advisor Mrs. Yeager delivered the food to the Colonial Manor United Methodist Church food pantry. The volunteers stocked shelves, filled grocery bags, and carried items to the cars of clients.

Volunteers are needed every Saturday from 9-11 AM at Colonial Manor food pantry located at 56 Elberne Street. If you or your student are interested in volunteering, contact Mrs. Yeager.

On Wednesday, November 2nd, Key Club members made approximately 160 PB&J sandwiches to be distributed to the hungry in Camden. The following students participated: Maria Poblete, Sam Steward, Vincent Tate, Emily Engles, Patrick Walton, Kara Yarusso, Morgan Walsh, Gavin Paul-Welsh, Mackenzie Jupin, Gillian Blades, Hayley Axelrod, Onaizah Fabrigas, Kelly VanFossen, Brooke Bailey, Annette Wanjiku, Lori-Ann Johnson, Katie Lee, Rebecca West, Kathleen McLaney, Jasmine Tamous, Sreeram Mandava, Josh Shaffer, Katelyn Skarupa, Dante Paterna, and Liana Egresitz. Thanks to Mrs. Yvonne Herbst for volunteering her time and her kitchen. Thanks also to all the students, parents, and staff members who donated peanut butter, jelly, and bread.

On Thursday, November 3rd, Key Club members Sarah Cabello, Laura Gallo, Lori-Ann Johnson, Annette Wanjiku, and Julia Imoobe served dinner at Cathedral Kitchen in Camden.

The **Operation Blessing Food Drive** is underway and the WDHS Key Club needs food, food and more food to help make food baskets for the needy families in our community. The most needed items are canned vegetables, soups, stews, peanut butter and jelly, stuffing, instant potatoes, rice, pasta, noodles, macaroni, pasta sauces, cereal, oatmeal, tuna fish, powdered milk, pancake and baking mixes. Now through Wednesday, December 7th you can drop off your donation in the box in the main lobby.

Now through November 17th, Key Club is having a **Wawa Shorti-Hoagie Voucher Fundraiser!** COST PER VOUCHER: \$4.00 (Retail value of \$4.69)

They are accepted at all Wawa locations & never expire!

They will be delivered in early December - Just in time for the HOLIDAY SEASON- they make great gifts & stocking stuffers!

Please complete attached order form and give to your favorite Key Club member or Mrs. Yeager, WDHS Key Club Advisor.

RENAISSANCE CLUB NEWS:

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 in to 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!



Chick-fil-A Calendars on Sale NOW!!



Need a holiday gift for people at work? A simple holiday thank you for the mail man, bus driver or favorite teacher? A Pollyanna gift that has to suit everyone? Or just an extra gift to have.... just in case???

Renaissance Club has got it covered! **For only \$7** you can have a **2017 Calendar** featuring the Chick-fil-a cow. But more importantly, it comes with a "calendar card" which gives the holder **free items at Chick-fil-a all year long!!!**

This is a great deal! You can spend double this amount on a calendar at a kiosk in the mall, and you don't get a year's worth of discounts!

These are available now through a Renaissance Club member, or email Mrs. Pence (epence@wdeptford.k12.nj.us) or Mrs. Falcone (ifalcone@wdeptford.k12.nj.us) to get yours.

These are sold on a first come, first served basis and are only available until the beginning of December (if they last!)- so get yours now!

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

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

Parents:

Do not forget to purchase and design your own senior vanity ad!!!

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 an 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:

Yearbook Advisor- Erin Pence epence@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

Yearbook Assistant Advisor- Mark Drummond mdrummond@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

Yearbook Financial Advisor- Lauren Dupont ldupont@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

Senior baby pictures and quotes are DUE TODAY 11/4/16!

Attention Seniors and Senior Parents!

This year the Yearbook staff wants to include more in the Senior Section in order to make it a more personal book for all of our Seniors. We are asking for 2 things to be turned in from each Senior (if they wish to participate).

1. A baby picture
 - a. These will be seen right next to their senior portraits (an example is below – but our layout will be a little different)



- b. Please send all pictures to school in an envelope to the attention of Mrs. Erin Pence. Pictures will be scanned and returned to you in the same condition they were received. If you choose to scan them, please email them to epence@wdeptford.k12.nj.us.
2. A famous quote
 - a. Please be sure that this is a quote with a valid source. The source must be named with the quote. All quotes are subject to inspection by advisors and administration. If an inappropriate quote is turned in, it will not be printed.

We appreciate your help in making the Yearbook the best it can be!

Give your student a **yearbook** of memories to last a lifetime.

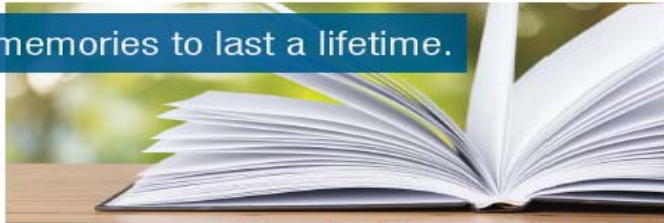
Order your 2016 West Deptford HS Yearbook Today!

Deptford HS Yearbook - \$115.00
 Custom Digital Package - \$134.99

Yearbook, Autograph QR Code Sticker Set, eYearbook
 Senior Package - \$130.00

Yearbook, Nameplate Line 1, Icon 1 & 2
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 Austin, TX 78715-0069

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 To check your order status:
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 3. View to print receipt

A \$10 fee is applied to all canceled orders. Your check payment may be converted to an electronic payment - your account could be debited the same day as payment is received and the original check will not be returned.

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Qty	Option	Price	Total
_____	Custom Digital Package	\$134.99	_____
_____	Senior Personalization Pkg	\$130.00	_____
_____	Value Package	\$120.00	_____
_____	West Deptford HS Yearbook	\$115.00	_____
_____	Full Page Corporate Ad	\$450.00	_____
_____	1/2 Page Corporate Ad	\$250.00	_____
_____	1/4 Page Corporate Ad	\$150.00	_____
_____	1/8 Page Corporate Ad	\$75.00	_____
_____	Full Page Corporate Ad 1st Page	\$550.00	_____
_____	Full Page Corporate Ad last page	\$500.00	_____
		Total Enclosed:	_____

Payment Information 2016-17

Respond by: 10/14/2016

Student Name _____ Grade _____

Address _____ Homeroom Teacher _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ Email address for order confirmation purposes only (Order ID #)

I am paying by check or money order (payable to Balfour)

Personalization (20 characters per line max.)

Line 1 _____

Icon 1: _____ Icon 2: _____

Remit to
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 P.O. Box 150069
 Austin, TX 78715-0069

To order using your
 credit or debit card,
 call 1-800-853-1337



CLASS OF 2017

Is Raising Funds with Delicious



The class of 2017 is raising funds for their personal accounts. For every item a student sells, they will earn \$5.00. The money in personal accounts may be used to purchase a yearbook, prom ticket, spirit wear, etc. Your help is greatly appreciated.

HOW TO HELP

- * Show the catalog to friends, relatives, and co-workers.
- * Please, no unsupervised door-to-door selling.
- * Please collect the money when you take the order.

Details

- 1. The Sale begins today and ends November 14, 2016.** Students are asked to simply take orders from family, friends, and neighbors. Please do not sell to strangers. Many parents help by taking a brochure to work and taking orders from co-workers. Please collect money when taking orders.
- 2. Make checks payable to: **Class of 2017****
- 3. Please turn in your money in the collection envelope by November 14, 2016.**

Any questions or comments, please email

Ms. Freedman at: lfreedman@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

Or Mrs. Berth at: cberth@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!

WDHS BASEBALL

Designer Bag



Thursday November 17, 2016

Doors Open at 5:30pm – Bingo starts at 6:30pm

West Deptford High School Cafeteria 1160 Old Crown Point Road West Deptford, NJ 08093

Open to Adults Only – Must be 18 or older to play and attend

TICKET PRICES

\$25 – In Advance (Form below due by Nov. 10th)

\$30 – Price at Door (Cash ONLY)

Your ticket price includes:

- 12 games of bingo (12 bingo sheets)
- Desserts
- Water, coffee and tea

You may bring your own food and NON-alcoholic beverages

Available for purchase:

Extra Bingo Sheets * Dabbers * Basket Auction Tickets * 50/50 Tickets

Reserved seating for groups of 8 to 10

For additional information please contact Charisse Arra: charissearra@comcast.net

WDHS BASEBALL

Designer Bag



Please print neatly. Email required to receive your confirmation and tickets. Registration forms due by November 10th. Return this form to with your payment to your child's homeroom teacher in an envelope marked WDHS BASEBALL: BINGO c/o Charisse Arra. Cash or checks made payable to WDHS HRC.

Your Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Group Reservations
 Groups of 8 to 10 may reserve a table. All group members must list the same first and last name below to ensure the reservation. If your group doesn't have at least 8 members buy tickets, we cannot reserve your table.

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

I would like to order _____ tickets at \$25.00 each..... \$ _____

I am unable to attend but would like to make a donation to the WDHS HRC..... \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____



WDHS Key Club



Shorti Hoagie Voucher Fundraiser

COST PER VOUCHER: \$4.00

(Retail value of \$4.69)

Order as many vouchers as you wish.

They are accepted at all Wawa locations & never expire!

Just in time for the HOLIDAY SEASON - they make great gifts
& stocking stuffers!

Orders are due by **Thursday, November 17th** – Please cut
off the bottom half of the flyer, fill it out and return it to Mrs.
Yeager, with payments – cash or check made out to WDHS – in
an envelope labeled with your name and grade.

The vouchers will arrive in early December.

Thank you for supporting WDHS Key Club!

Name _____

Grade: _____ Homeroom: _____ Cash Check

Number of Vouchers: _____ * \$4.00 = _____ Total

Orders are due by Thursday, November 17th
Delivery: Early December



Thirty-One Gifts Operation Blessing 2016 Fundraiser

West Deptford High School NHS is selling **Thirty-One Gifts** to raise funds for **Operation Blessing**, our holiday service project.



Operation Blessing provides toys, food and clothing each year for over 100 of our district's neediest families!!

Totes, purses and organizers make great gifts for the holidays!!
25% of your order will go towards Operation Blessing.

Order online at

<https://www.mythirtyone.com/1876795/shop/Party/EventDetail/9499142>

The last day to order is Monday, November 28th

Questions??? Email Jody Davis: jdavis@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

The West Deptford High School NHS is sponsoring Operation Blessing on Saturday, December 10th. Operation Blessing has become a district and community-wide initiative that will provide Christmas assistance to over 100 West Deptford school district families in need.

Operation Blessing is hosted by the WDHS NHS but it would be impossible without the support from the entire WD community.

We are in need of non-perishable food items, grocery store gift cards in \$10 values, new gifts for children aged 0-12, and \$20-\$25 gift cards for teenage students. We also collect new blankets, warm winter items, and clothing (especially coats, shoes, and underwear).

Monetary donations can also be made. Checks should be made payable to WDHS.

We are collecting items until December 5th. We appreciate your generous support!

Please email Jody Davis or Jennifer Stuart if you have questions.

JDavis@wdeptford.k12.nj.us

JStuart@wdeptford.k12.nj.us