Dear LT and ESC Staff:

Your work is remarkable. Have a great mid-winter break, when it gets here!

Judy

Walled Lake Consolidated School District Update: February, 13, 2020

Hi WLCSD Families,

Michigan Department of Education officials visited Guest Elementary, Geisler Middle School and WL Western High School to see the amazing work our educators are doing to ensure all students are being served. Thank you to the staff, parents and students who participated in these visits.

Important Information:

1. Purchase tickets for the Foundation for Excellence’s: Tuition Expedition 50/50 Scholarship Raffle. View “Got Tickets?” video produced by WLN HS Film club.
2. Superintendent Kenneth Gutman’s Community Coffee is set for Thursday, Feb. 27, at 1 p.m.
3. Census 2020 is April 1 – get the facts.
4. Two Hour Delay Procedure
5. Although Walled Lake Schools has not experienced, in any way, the Novel Coronavirus, or 2019-nCoV, a new respiratory virus first identified in Wuhan, Hubei Province, China in December of 2019, we are staying abreast of all precautions and information available, both locally and federally. This is the Oakland Health Department link and this is the Center for Disease Control link.
6. At the 7 p.m., Monday, Feb. 24, WL PTSA Council meeting at Pleasant Lake Elementary Ms. Cathy Kochanski, assistant superintendent of Learning Services, will give a presentation on Walled Lake Schools’ initiatives to comply with the Third Grade Reading Law.

Congratulations and thank you to:

- WLW Wrestling team on winning the D-1 wrestling title. (C&G News Article)
- The three high school choirs for performing the “Name of Love” tour at all four middle schools.
- WL Northern Jazz/Poms teams on their recent competition at the UDA National Dance Team Championships in Orlando, Fla. and the WL Northern he Junior Varsity team for placing 3rd in the Poms category. View their performances.
- Phillip DesRochers, WL Northern, and Joanna Zahra, WL Central, on being awarded the Chick Evans Scholarship. The two will receive a four-year scholarship to attend either U of M or MSU. (C & G news article)

Events & Reminders:

- High School Parents: Have you completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, FAFSA?
- Skilled Trade scholarship application for Michigan students (Deadline March 29)
- Oakland County Parks summer job openings and Oakland County Parks Summer Hiring Fairs (Feb. 22 & March 7)
- Telluride Farm 2020 Calendar of Events
- Oakland Schools Free Back-to-School Clinics
- Special Services – Parent Advisory Committee (PAC)
  - 2019-2020 Meeting Schedule – Join Us!
- Real Life Choices, April 29, CHS

COMMUNITY EDUCATION

- Community Education Winter Youth Leagues
- Community Education After School Classes
- Community Education Winter Programs

FUNDRAISERS/SPECIAL EVENTS

- Hospitality House Strike Out Hunger – Bowling Event, Feb. 16!
- Mission Comfort Blanket Making Event (March 28) read the press release.
- WLW Band Fundraiser at California Pizza Kitchen, Feb. 24-25
- WLW Choir Booster Mom to Mom Sale - March 7
- J Egyptian for Joseph (March 19)

SPORTS

- Baseball/Softball – register now
  - Commerce Little League (registration)
  - Lakes Athletics-Baseball Registration
  - WLWHS Band Fundraiser at California Pizza Kitchen, Feb. 15

For more information and upcoming events, please visit www.wlcsd.org.
Girls Hockey:
- Walled Lake Wild Women’s Hockey Schedule
- WLW Hockey Schedule
- Walled Lake Central/Waterford United Hockey Schedule

Boys Hockey:
- WL Northern Boys Hockey Schedule

Football
- Walled Lake Braves (football and cheer registration) – informational session March 25
- Commerce Chargers (football and cheer registration)
- Lakes Area Hawks registration (football and cheer)

Soccer
- CW3 soccer

Lacrosse
- WL Central Vikings Lacrosse Coaches Meeting (March 4)

AWARD NOMINATIONS
- Nominations being accepted for Shining Star Award for support of special needs community. Due: March 1
- Nominations being accepted for a Golden Apple award for staff members and volunteers. Ongoing

Have a safe mid-winter break, Feb. 17-21! School resumes on Monday, Feb. 24!

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