

Welcoming

Academic

Respectful

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Ethical



Daily Bulletin

“When we have peace in our hearts and minds, we draw peace into our lives.”
—Iyanla Vanzant (born 1953)
Inspirational Speaker

Thursday, December 22, 2016

Schedule: Day 1

Friday December 23, 2016 is the beginning of the Holiday break –Early Dismissal 11:45

YEARBOOK

The 2017 Warde Yearbook is current for sale. You can order a yearbook at Jostens.com

WELCOMING ACADEMIC RESPECTFUL DYNAMIC ETHICAL

This is the environment, also known as school climate that we strive to achieve for every student, every parent or guardian and every member of our faculty and staff every day. Each of us plays a part in creating this school climate.

We want to learn what you know about our school and to help us learn we are conducting our School Climate Survey. It is a completely anonymous survey. Our goal is to have every parent/guardian at Fairfield Warde to complete the survey.

We are interested in what our parents think about our school climate and we want your thoughtful participation in the survey next week. We often use this information in determining our goals and areas of improvement.

We take the issue of our school environment very seriously and ask that you do the same when completing the survey by Friday December 23, 2016.

Directions: Open Infinite Campus and Log In

Under Family- open Messages

Open In-box

Click on: 2016 Climate Survey FWHS-Parent/Guardian

REFLECTIONS CONTEST

Attention Students! This year's PTA Reflections Contest is underway. The theme is "What is Your Story?". By following the link below you may enter this contest in any of these categories:

Dance Choreography

Music Composition

Film Production

Photography

Literature (writing)

Visual Art

Special Artist Division (for Special Education Students)

LINK to ENTRY FORMS: <http://www.ctpta.org/reflections-program>

You may enter in more than one category. **All entries are due Friday, January 6 in the High School**

Office. Please be sure to follow ALL contest rules for the category you enter, and fill in the entry form NEATLY and COMPLETELY. Entries without completed and legible forms will not be accepted. If

you have any questions, please see Mrs. Scatenato in room P11. Good luck! Get your project started.

HOMEWORK HELP

Starting Wednesday, November 16th, the Homework Help program will return. The program will run from 2:15pm-3:45pm on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursdays in the Library Laptop Lab. Students can receive extra help or support, or just access a quiet environment for work completion.

FWHS Midterm Exam schedule Jan 2017

Time	Thursday 1/19/17 DAY 1	Friday 1/20/17 DAY 2	Monday 1/23/17 DAY 3	Tuesday 1/24/17 DAY 4	Wednesday 1/25/17
7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	Period 1	Period 1	Period 2	Period 2	START of MP3 (no review day) DAY 1
9:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	~~~Break~~~				
9:55 a.m. – 11:55 p.m.	Period 3	Period 3	Period 4	Period 4	
12:10 p.m. - 2:10 p.m.	~~~~Make-up Exams~~~~				

NOTES:

- No mini periods will have exams
- All morning buses run on the usual schedule.
- Dismissal/afternoon buses are at 11:55; there are no late buses.
- Students do not need to report to school if they do not have a scheduled exam.
- Second semester (3rd marking period) begins on Wednesday, January 25, 2017 pending snow day adjustment. It will be a Day 1. There is no "review day."
- Aquaculture students attend Aquaculture during morning exam periods and will be picked up early enough to be back in time for the second exam of the day.

SNOW DAY CONSIDERATIONS PRIOR TO EXAMS

- If there is 1 snow day or 2 snow days on opposite schedules (*e.g.* One Day 2, One Day 3) prior to the start of midterms, the schedule will remain as is. If there are **2 or more** snow days that apply to the same Day rotation (*e.g.* Two Day 1's), then we will push the exam schedule back a day (exams would start on Friday, 1/20). The added instructional day would be changed to match the day rotation that was lost. For example, if two Day 2's were cancelled, 1/19 would be scheduled as a Day 2.

Delayed Opening Exam Schedule

Time	Thursday 1/19/17 DAY 1	Friday 1/20/17 DAY 2	Monday 1/23/17 DAY 3	Tuesday 1/24/17 DAY 4	Wednesda y 1/25/17
9:40 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.	Period 1	Period 1	Period 2	Period 2	START of MP3 (no review day) DAY 1
11:40 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.	~~~Break~~~				
12:10 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Period 3	Period 3	Period 4	Period 4	
	~~~~Make-up exams are scheduled with teacher~~~~				

# *School Counseling and Career Center News*

## **DO WHAT YOU ARE**

Throughout the week of December 12-16, during Social Studies classes with the School Counseling Department, all sophomores and juniors completed *Do What You Are*, a self-discovery personality type assessment. This assessment generated a report that provided students with important information about their personal characteristics. Personality type and career interest survey results reveal which careers and college majors offer the greatest likelihood of success and with these insights prepare students for more educated decision making and goal setting. *We encourage all parents to log onto Family Connection and review these important survey results.*

## **FLHS & FWHS COLLEGE ADMISSIONS PANEL**

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 2017**

**(Snow date: Tuesday, January 10)**

**7:00 P.M. FAIRFIELD LUDLOWE AUDITORIUM**

A panel of six experienced college admissions officers will discuss how various colleges go about the process of selecting their students for admission to their schools. Each will give a ten-minute overview of their institution and discuss how they review applications, the criteria they believe are important, and how they make their final selections to build a class each year.

The six schools represent a very diverse group of colleges. The presenters have experiences at a number of colleges and varied backgrounds. Their comments—while specific to their individual schools—will also give parents and students an insight into admissions at similar schools and the entire application and admissions process.

After their presentations, admissions officers will answer questions from parents and students.

### **OUR PANEL:**

#### **Chloe Sigillito**

Admissions Counselor  
UCONN  
Fordham University

#### **Laura Doniger, Ed.D.**

Program Coordinator Gateway to  
Gateway Community College

#### **Peter Foxen**

Admissions Counselor  
University of Connecticut

#### **Rachael Raymond**

Admissions Counselor  
Springfield College

#### **Jarrett Saunders**

Senior Asst. Director, Undergraduate Admissions  
University of Massachusetts, Amherst

#### **Milena Carrese**

Admissions Counselor  
Marist College

*The evening will be informative and valuable for juniors and their parents, as well as underclassmen and their parents: it is never too early to start thinking about post high school plans. Please join us!*

## ***FREE FAFSA WORKSHOP FOR 12TH GRADE PARENTS***

We are pleased to offer an opportunity for 12th grade parents/guardian(s) to attend a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) workshop with Ms. Holly Franquet, Director of the College Place-CT. The FAFSA is the main financial aid form used by colleges to determine the amount of financial aid offered to students.

**These workshops will be held in the College & Career Center (P-38) on Thursday January 12, 19 and 26 at the following times: 8:30-9:30, 9:30-10:30 and 1:00-2:00.** There will be four families in each workshop. These workshops fill quickly, so please contact Kate Lala at (203) 255-8357 or email at [klala@fairfieldschools.org](mailto:klala@fairfieldschools.org) the Tuesday before each session.

To complete the FAFSA, you will need:

Student: Social Security number, date of birth, permanent resident number (if not a U.S. citizen), and 2015 tax return & W-2s (if applicable)

Parent(s): Social Security numbers, dates of birth, month/year of latest marital status (married, separated, divorced, or widowed), and 2015 tax return & W-2s (if applicable)

Before your appointment, the student and one parent should go to <https://fsaid.ed.gov> and make FSA IDs. Please bring the user names and passwords with you.

*It's the most wonderful time of the year!  
The Computer Proficiency Exam is Near!*

Thursday, January 19, 2017

12:00 p.m. in Room F11

See attached flyer

Bring your photo ID (student ID, driver's permit/license or passport, etc.).

Students must sign into their school Google .net account. to register.

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**SAT Test Dates 2016 – 2017**

Date	Location	Regular Registration	Late Registration Online	Late Registration Paper
Jan. 21	FLHS**	Dec. 21	Jan. 10 **	Jan. 3 **
Mar. 11	FWHS*	Feb. 10	Feb. 28 **	Feb. 21 **
May 6	FWHS & FLHS *	Apr. 7	Apr. 25 **	Apr. 18 **
Jun. 3	FWHS & FLHS *	May 9	May 24 **	May 16 **

*Be sure to register early at [www.sat.org/register](http://www.sat.org/register) . Seats are assigned by College Board on a first-come, first-served basis and are not guaranteed to Fairfield students.

**Late fee required

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**ACT Test Dates 2016 - 2017**

Date	Location	Regular Registration	Late Registration	Photo Upload Deadline
Feb. 11	-----	Jan. 13	Jan. 14 -20 *	Feb. 3
Apr. 8	FWHS*	Mar. 3	Mar. 4 – 17**	Mar. 31
Jun. 10	-----	May 5	May 6 – 19 **	Jun. 2

*Be sure to register early at [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org) . Seats are assigned by ACT on a first-come, first-served basis and are not guaranteed to Fairfield students.

**Late fee required

*Athletics*

Date	Sport	Opponent	H/A-Facility	Time/Result	Bus Time	Note
Wed., 12/21	V Boys Basketball	New Milford	Away - New Milford HS [Directions]	7:00 p.m.	PU 3:15, RE 8:30	
Wed., 12/21	JV Boys Basketball	New Milford	Away - New Milford HS [Directions]	5:15 p.m.		
Wed., 12/21	FR Boys Basketball	New Milford	Away - New Milford HS [Directions]	4:00 p.m.	PU 2:15, RE 5:15	
Wed., 12/21	V Boys Ice Hockey	Branford	Away - NORTHFORD ICE PAVILION [Directions]	6:15 p.m.	PU at WOI 4:15, RE 7:30	
Thu., 12/22	V Boys Swimming and Diving	Greenwich	Away - GHS Pool [Directions]	3:30 p.m.	PUFW:1:55 PUFL:2:15 RE:5:00	
Thu., 12/22	V Wrestling	Wilton, Greenwich, Shelton	Home - Fairfield Warde Small Gym [Directions]	4:00 p.m.		
Thu., 12/22	V Girls Ice Hockey	New Canaan	Home - Wonderland of Ice [Directions]	3:30 p.m.		
Thu., 12/22	Miscellaneous Events	Newport Junior Trip		TBA		

## **ZUMBA CLASSES ARE STILL EVERY THURSDAY!!!!**

**2:30-3:30 in the Teachers' Café (winter location)**

**The class features cardio routines, as well as arm and abdominal toning routines.**

**Come move and sweat to the music as we kick off the school year! SPREAD THE WORD: FREE FOR ALL STAFF AND STUDENTS, come when you can.**

**DONT FORGET YOUR SNEAKERS AND WATER BOTTLE!**

## **YOGA CLASSES are still on MONDAYS ☺**

**2:30-3:30 in the TEAHCER'S CAFÉ**

Come join Students and Teachers learn yoga, breath work, meditation and more!

**SPREAD THE WORD: FREE FOR ALL STAFF AND STUDENTS, come when you can.**



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:**



**Sydney Foote, Andrew Collins  
Jackson Gallati, Ian Konigsberg**

# FWHS

## Computer Proficiency Exam

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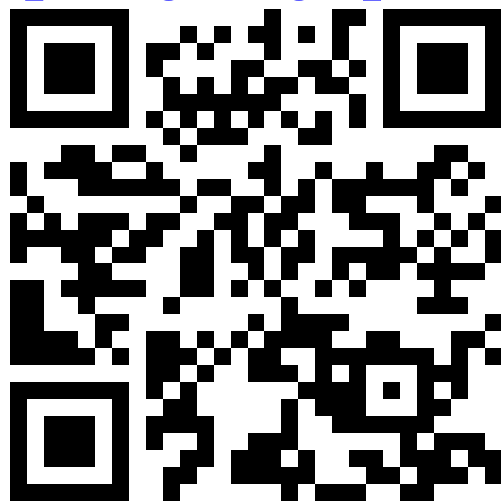
**Thursday January 19**

**12:00 p.m.**

**Room F11**

Warde Computer Proficiency Sign ups

<https://goo.gl/pkt1eg>



**Bring your photo ID (student ID, driver's permit/license or passport, etc.).**

**Students must sign into their school Google .net account. to register.**

Thank you.

*The **FWHS** Business Department*