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# Daily Bulletin

# Today in History 1839 – The Daguerreotype, named for its inventor Louis Daguerre, and the first practical means of making a photograph, is announced in France on this day.

Wednesday, January 7, 2015 Schedule: 1, 2, 3(HR), 4, 6, 5, 7, 8, 9

### Fairfield Warde High School 2015 Mid-Term Exam Schedule

Time	Thursday 1/15/15	Friday 1/16/15	Tuesday 1/20/15	Wednesday 1/21/15	Thursday 1/22/15 Review Day	
7:30 a.m 9:30 a.m.	Period 1	Period 2	Period 4	Period 5		
9:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	~~~Break~~~				Regular MP 2 Thursday	
9:55 a.m. – 11:55 p.m.	Period 6	Period 7	Period 8	Period 9	schedule and rotation	
12:10 p.m 2:10 p.m.	Make-up Exams Scheduled by students with their teacher					

#### (Exam dates may change if weather conditions cause school cancellations. See below.)

#### Notes:

- All *morning* buses run on the usual schedule.
- *Afternoon* buses depart at 12:10. There are no late buses.
- There is no Activity Period on 1/20/15.
- Students do not need to report to school if they do not have a scheduled exam.
- If there are **1 or 2** snow days prior to the start of midterms, the schedule will remain as is. If there are **3** snow days, then we will push the exam schedule back a day (exams would start on Friday, 1/16).
- Second semester (3rd marking period) begins on Friday, January 23, 2015.
- \*Aquaculture students attend Aquaculture during exam periods 1, 2, and 4 and will be picked up early enough to be back in time for the second exam of the day. Those students will not attend Aquaculture on Wednesday, 1/21.

Delayed Opening Exam Schedule						
Time	Thursday 1/15/15	Friday 1/16/15	Tuesday 1/20/15	Wednesday 1/21/15	Thursday 1/22/15 Review Day	
9:40 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.	Period 1	Period 2	Period 4	Period 5		
11:40 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.	~~~Break~~~				Regular MP 2 Thursday	
12:10 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Period 6	Period 7	Period 8	Period 9	schedule and rotation	
	Make-up Exams Scheduled by students with their teacher					

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### NURSE'S OFFICE CLOSED DURING HOMEROOM

Please be advised the nurses will begin vision and scoliosis screenings for all ninth grade students on Monday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2014. The nurse's office will be closed during homeroom period for these screenings for the next several weeks except for emergencies.

### LIBRARY HOURS

The library will be open until 4:00 on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, beginning on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. It will close at 2:30 on Fridays.

### **CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

Parents need to bring a lease or mortgage statement or property deed AND a current utility bill to Central Office at 501 King's Highway East in order to process their change of address. PLEASE CALL 203-255-8398 TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT.

# SCHOOL COUNSELING, COLLEGE, AND CAREER NEWS

### Finding \$\$\$\$ for College Workshop - 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Graders

Wednesday, January 7<sup>th</sup> \*\* Library Media Classroom

"Financial Aid Basics for High School Students" Will provide a basic understanding of the four types of financial aid, the FAFSA and CSS Profile, cost of attendance and financial aid award letters. Period 4 (9:21 – 10:05)

"How to Research Scholarships" This hands-on workshop will help students find scholarships, understand how scholarships are awarded, provide guidelines on preparing and submitting scholarship applications. Period 6 (10:10am – 10:54am) AND Period 9 (1:26pm- 2:10pm)

### \*\* There will be a Parent Overview Presentation at 8:00am\*\*

Contact Ms. Lala, College & Career Center klala@fairfieldschools.org if you plan to attend and/or have any questions.

### FLHS & FWHS COLLEGE ADMISSIONS PANEL THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 2015 7:00 p.m. FAIRFIELD LUDLOWE AUDITORIUM

A panel of four 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 four 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 they will answer questions from parents and students. Representatives will be from Tufts University, UCONN system, Union College and one more to be announced. 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.

### Attention 9th Grade Parents

On Monday, January 12, 2015 from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. the school counselors at Fairfield Warde High School would like to invite you to join us for our 9th Grade Parent Program. This program will provide you with important information as we end the first semester of freshman year and also gives you the opportunity to meet with your student's counselor.

The counselors will meet by House to discuss such topics as:

- Mid-year exams how to prepare, what to expect
- An overview of the upcoming course selection process
- Family Connection a valuable online access program for parents and students

### SENIORS - GET HELP FILLING OUT THE FAFSA Saturday, January 24, 2015

Students and parents can talk to experts and get in-depth help filling out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). In addition to receiving assistance in filling out the FAFSA, participants will receive general information regarding state and federal financial aid programs. To Register: visit <u>www.CollegeGoalSundayCT.org</u> Time: 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Location: Housatonic Community College

## 2014 - 2015 SAT & ACT TEST DATES

2014 – 2015	SAT Test Dates:				
Date	Location	Regular Registratio	n Late Registration		
March 14	FWHS & FLHS*	February 13	February 27 **		
May 2	FLHS*	April 6	April 17**		
June 6	FWHS & FLHS*	May 8	May 22**		
*Be sure to register early at <u>www.sat.org/register</u> . Seats are assigned by College Board on a first-come, first- served basis and are not guaranteed to Fairfield students.					
**Late fee requi	red				

#### 2014 – 2015 ACT Test Dates:

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Date	Location	<b>Regular Registration</b>	Late Registration		
February 7		January 9	January 10 – 16**		
April 18	FWHS*	March 13	March 14 – 27**		
June 13		May 8	May 9-22 **		
*Be sure to register early at www.actstudent.org/start . Seats are assigned by ACT on a first-come, first-served					
basis and are not guaranteed to Fairfield students.					
**Late fee required					

# **ATHLETICS**

Fairfield Warde 2014-15 Athletic Events Schedule						
Date	Sport	Opponent	H/A-Facility	Time/Result	Bus Time	Note
Wed., 1/7	V Boys Swimming and Diving	Westhill/Stamford	Away - Westhill Pool [Directions]	3:15 p.m.		
Wed., 1/7	V Wrestling	Fairfield Ludlowe	Home - Fairfield Warde Large Gym [Directions]	7:00 p.m.		
Wed., 1/7	V Girls Gymnastics	Trumbull, Fairfield Ludlowe, Weston	Home [Directions]	6:30 p.m.		
Wed., 1/7	V Girls Ice Hockey	New Canaan	Away [Directions]	6:00 p.m.		
Wed., 1/7	V Girls Ice Hockey	New Canaan	Away [Directions]	7:40 p.m.		@ Darien Ice Rink

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO: Jordan Chesek, Rodrigo Arce, Rachel Tomarkin Joao Paltanin, Martinus Van Breems