

Daily Bulletin

Today in History

1977 – One day after taking office, U.S. president Jimmy Carter grants pardon to hundreds of thousands of Americans who avoided the draft during the Vietnam War. The pardon allowed draft dodgers to come back to the United States without fear of prosecution.

Thursday, January 21, 2016 Schedule: Day 2 Mid-Term

Don't forget Computer Proficiency Exam today January 21st at noon. See details below.

Fairfield Warde High School 2016 Mid-Term Exam Schedule

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

Time	Thursday 1/21/16 DAY 2	Friday 1/22/16 <mark>DAY 4</mark>	Monday 1/25/16 <mark>DAY 3</mark>	Tuesday 1/26/16 DAY 1	Wednesday 1/27/16
7:30 a.m 9:30 a.m.	Period 1	Period 2	Period 1	Period 2	START of MP3
9:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.		(no review day)			
9:55 a.m. – 11:55 p.m.	Period 3	Period 4	Period 3	Period 4	DAY 2
12:10 p.m 2:10 p.m.	~~~~Make-up Exams~~~~				DAI 2

NOTES:

- No mini periods will have exams
- Notice that the day rotation for 1/22 and 1/25 have been changed from original schedule
- All morning buses run on the usual schedule.
- Dismissal is 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 27, 2016 pending snow day adjustment. It will be a Day 2. There is no "review day" this year.
- 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, 1/22). The added instructional day would be changed to match the day rotation that was lost. For example, if two Day 1's were lost, 1/21 would be scheduled as a Day 1.

Delayed Opening Exam Schedule

Time	Thursday 1/21/16 DAY 2	Friday 1/22/16 DAY 4	Monday 1/25/16 DAY 3	Tuesday 1/26/16 DAY 1	Wednesday 1/27/16		
9:40 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.	Period 1	Period 2	Period 1	Period 2	f		
11:40 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.		START of MP3 (no review					
12:10 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Period 3	Period 4	Period 3	Period 4	day) DAY 2		
	~~~Make-up exams are scheduled with teacher~~~						

#### PSAT SCORES-Important Information for Students in Grades 10 & 11 and their Parents

- We are continuing to work with College Board to obtain our PSAT scores. CB has not provided us with
  any rationale as to why we have not received the scores, only that they are working to get us our scores as
  quickly as possible. It appears that some students may have access to their scores while others do not. The
  district does not have access to any Warde scores.
- In order to access PSAT scores when they become available, students will need a College Board account. School Counselors have already met with students to establish College Board accounts as well as an account with Khan Academy for free SAT practice.
- The latest information from CB is that schools should receive a paper copy of students PSAT results on January 30th. There will be a notice posted on IC when these results are distributed to students.
- We thank you for your patience and will update you with any information as it becomes available.

#### **ACTIVITY PERIOD SIGN-UP**

Activity Period signups are now open again. Students may sign up for a new club or change the club that they are currently signed up for. Signups for the 2nd semester are open from Tuesday the 17th until Tuesday the 26th. To sign up, please see the link on the school website. Any questions, please contact Mrs. Freehill in T13 or Ms. MacIntosh in F10

#### INTERESTED IN APPLYING TO THE REGIONAL CENTER FOR THE ARTS?

Deadline for application to the Regional Center for the Arts is March 1. You can apply online at <a href="https://www.ces.k12.ct.us">www.ces.k12.ct.us</a>. Auditions start March 5th. If you have any questions please feel free to contact J.Scott Handley @203-365-8982, <a href="https://handleyj@cesl.k12.ct.us">handleyj@cesl.k12.ct.us</a> or Jenny Nelson @203-365-8978, <a href="helioning-nelsonj@ces.k12.ct.us">nelsonj@ces.k12.ct.us</a>. Open House is Thursday, February 4th at 7pm.

#### TUXEDO RENTAL FOR COUNTY ASSEMBLIES AND RED AND WHITE CHARITY BALLS:

The Music Parents Association is making tuxedos available to rent to Warde students for the Jan. 22nd and 23rd charity dances. Cost is \$35. Forms are available in the Main Office. Please contact Valerie Wilke, FWHS Uniform Coordinator, at wilkewmson@optonline.net, if you are interested. Deadline for ordering is Tuesday, January 19th.

#### **HOMEWORK HELP IS BACK**

If you would like to get some extra help please stop by the College/Career center starting Monday December 7th. They will be open on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 2:15 to 3:45.

#### **2016 FWHS YEARBOOK**

Reserve your FWHS 2016 yearbook ONLINE @: <u>Jostens.com</u> or <u>2016 Yearbook order form</u> (.PDF) YEARBOOK \$115.00

SIGNATURE PACKAGE \$145.00 includes Yearbook, 1 Line of Personalization, Color Autograph Section and 8 Multicolor Signing Markers

The deadline for personalization is January 23. The deadline for yearbooks without personalization is March 1.

#### **ODYSSEY**

Odyssey, Warde's Literary and Arts magazine, is meeting each Monday, 2:15 to 3:05. Please join us to review and discuss literary and artistic submissions. Submissions can be sent to <a href="mailto:fwhsodysseysubmissions@gmail.com">fwhsodysseysubmissions@gmail.com</a>.

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

**2016-2017 STUDENT CALENDAR:** The student (school) calendar for next year (2016-2017) can be found under Parent Resources at <a href="http://fairfieldschools.org/">http://fairfieldschools.org/</a>

### SCHOOL COUNSELING, COLLEGE, AND CAREER NEWS

#### JUNIOR JOB SHADOWING DAY PROGRAM

A job shadowing experience will be offered this spring to interested juniors. The goal is to provide students with the opportunity to spend one day with someone employed in a career area that interests them. Applications & FACT Sheet are available on the College & Career Center's webpage: FWHS – Counseling – College & Career Center – Job Shadowing (left side of screen.)

Application deadline is Friday, February 26th. Please see Ms. Lala in the College & Career Center or email klala@fairfieldschools.org with any questions.

# COMING SOON... COMPUTER PROFICIENCY EXAM

**January 21, 2016** 12:00pm SHARP! Room F11

Since we are in the holiday spirit, we have decided to offer an additional Proficiency Exam during Midterm Exams.

Please note, this is a one-time only extra opportunity for your students to take this exam. There will not be another exam offered until Finals week in June. No exceptions. Please plan accordingly.

Study guides available on website and on the U drive

#### SENIOR - GET FREE HELP FILLING OUT THE FAFSA!

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.

Saturday, January 23rd Housatonic Community College

Saturday, January 23rd Gateway Community College & New Haven Promise

Sunday, January 31st Norwalk Community College

To register: http://www.collegegoalsundayct.org/student-registration For what information to bring: http://www.collegegoalsundayct.org/what-to-bring

#### **SAT Test Dates 2015 – 2016**

Date	Location	Regular Registration	Late Registration
January 23		December 28	January 12 **
March 5	FWHS &FLHS *	February 5	February 23 **
May 7	FWHS *	April 8	April 26 **
June 4	FWHS & FLHS *	May 5	May 25 **

^{*}Be sure to register early at <a href="www.sat.org/register">www.sat.org/register</a>. Seats are assigned by College Board on a first-come, first-served basis and are not guaranteed to Fairfield students.

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Date	Location	Regular Regist	tration	Late Registration
February 6		January 8	Janua	ry 9 – 15 *
April 9	FWHS*	March 4		March 5 – 18**
June 11		May 6	May 7	<b>- 20</b> **

^{*}Be sure to register early at <a href="www.actstudent.org/start">www.actstudent.org/start</a>. Seats are assigned by ACT on a first-come, first-served basis and are not guaranteed to Fairfield students.

# Reminder: Zumba is after school every Thursday! 2:30-3:30 in the Cafeteria

FREE for all Staff and Students...join us when you can!

# **Athletics**

Fairfield Warde 2015-16 Athletic Events Schedule							
Date	Sport	Opponent	H/A-Facility	Time	Bus	Note	

^{**}Late fee required

^{***} For free online SAT test practice: https://www.khanacademy.org/sat

Thu., 1/21/16	V Boys Basketball	Ridgefield	Away - RHS Main Gym [Directions]	7:00 p.m.	PU 3:15, RE 8:30	
Thu., 1/21/16	JV Boys Basketball	Ridgefield	Away - RHS Main Gym [Directions]	5:15 p.m.	will ride with varsity	
Thu., 1/21/16	FR Boys Basketball	Ridgefield	Away - RHS Main Gym [Directions]	4:00 p.m.	PU 2:15, RE 5:30	
Thu., 1/21/16	V Girls Basketball	Ridgefield	Home - Fairfield Warde Large Gym [Directions]	7:00 p.m.		
Thu., 1/21/16	JV Girls Basketball	Ridgefield	Home - Fairfield Warde Large Gym [Directions]	5:15 p.m.		
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