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Daily Bulletin

Today in History

1847 – Jane Eyre is published under the pseudonym Currer Bell, who was actually English author Charlotte Brontë.

Tuesday, October 6, 2015

Schedule: Day 1

INDEPENDENT STUDY APPLICATIONS DUE TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6TH.

All applications for the independent study program should be submitted to Mrs. Pennell in Fitts House by **Tuesday, October 6th**. Should you still require an application, you can pick one up in Fitts at your convenience. If you have any questions, please see Mr. Simonsen, Fitts Housemaster, as soon as possible.

HOMEcomings DANCE: Saturday Oct 10 from 7-10 PM @ FWHS

TICKETS are on sale Oct. 1-7

Seniors pick up dance agreements in the main office or outside of P27 or P34 and purchase tickets afterschool in **P27 or P34**

Juniors pick up dance agreements in the main office or outside of T13 and purchase tickets afterschool in **T13**

2015- PSAT – THE NEW TEST

On Wednesday, October 14, 2015 all FWHS 10th and 11th graders will take the new PSAT in school. There is no cost and you do not need to register for the test. We will be posting a letter on our website and a schedule in the daily bulletin for all of our students. College Board no longer provides an opportunity for a Saturday administration of the PSAT.

School will be dismissed at 11:45. We will have the regular scheduled class for all grade 9-12 students in the morning from 7:30-8:11. This will be followed by the PSAT testing. Our 9th and 12th grade students will participate in different activities focused on their grade level. Seniors received information in Homeroom and there is a copy of this letter on our website.

During the week of September 28th all 10th and 11th graders will receive the Official Student Guide to the PSAT/NMSQT in homeroom. Please review this material and use the full length Practice Test to help you understand the types of questions and format of the test. Math and English teachers will be reviewing and discussing some of this information in classes over the next two weeks. We expect the results some time in December and they will be reviewed with students by the school counselors.

The 10th grade test is purely a practice and diagnostic tool- the results are not sent to colleges. It will provide information to help students and teachers prepare for future assessments.

The 11th grade test is also a practice test that does not get sent to colleges; however, a small number of students may qualify for the National Merit Scholarship recognition based on their scores from this test.

In addition, this will be a preview for the NEW SAT which will be administered to all juniors in March in school replacing SBAC as the new State of Connecticut student assessment of academic proficiency.

Please click on the link below for more information about PSAT/SAT

10th Grade PSAT <http://fairfieldschools.org/schools/fwhs/counseling/10th-grade/>

11th Grade PSAT <http://fairfieldschools.org/schools/fwhs/counseling/11th-grade/>

MOCK TRIAL

The Mock Trial team is interested in any parent attorney volunteers assisting our team. Please contact Charles Flynn : Cflynn@fairfieldschools.org or 203.255.8364.

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

COMPUTER PROFICIENCY

The first Computer Proficiency Exam will be held after school at 2:15 on **October 20, 2015** in the computer labs FWHS - F11. **See your counselor to sign up.**

PROCEDURE TO SIGN UP FOR FALL COLLEGE VISITS

Step 1: Access Family Connection/Naviance

<https://connection.naviance.com/warde>

✓ Enter Username:

✓ Enter Password:

Note: If you forgot your password, the Username = s/b the first letter of your first name and last name. Password = Student Number

Step 2: Schedule Your Visit

✓ Select the "colleges" tab

✓ Select "view all upcoming college visits"

○ You will now see a list of FWHS scheduled college visits

✓ Pick a school you would like to sign up for.

✓ Select "sign up"

○ You will now see the details for the college visit.

✓ Select "Sign me up" if you would like to attend this college visit.

✓

Step 3: Create Your Pass

- ✓ After you select “Sign me up”, you will see a confirmation notice.
- ✓ **Print this page, which is your pass.**
- ✓ **Bring the pass to your teacher and ask them to sign it.**
- ✓ **Put your name on the pass and bring this to the College & Career Resource Center when you attend the information session.**
- ✓ Remember to sign the attendance sheet at the information session otherwise you will receive a cut from your class.

Step 4: Be Prepared for Your Visit

- ✓ Review the below “*Tips to Maximize Your Meeting*” before attending the event.

Enjoy your visit

FALL COLLEGE VISITS

Representatives from approximately 200 colleges, universities, and technical/career schools will be visiting Fairfield Ward. To review the complete schedule, and to register for a specific college:

Naviance (school’s webpage) **Colleges Tab - Upcoming College Visits - Sign Up - Sign Me Up**. Questions?? Ms. Lala klala@fairfieldschools.org in the College & Career Center.

<u>College</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Mitchell College	Tue October 6, 2015	8:00 AM
University of Maine at Farmington	Tue October 6, 2015	9:30 AM
Southern Methodist University	Tue October 6, 2015	10:30 AM
St. Lawrence University	Tue October 6, 2015	11:00 AM
Haverford College	Wed October 7, 2015	8:00 AM
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	Wed October 7, 2015	9:00 AM
Sacred Heart University	Wed October 7, 2015	9:30 AM
University of Chicago	Wed October 7, 2015	10:30 AM
Hope College	Thu October 8, 2015	8:00 AM
Lafayette College	Thu October 8, 2015	9:00 AM
Saint Michael's College	Thu October 8, 2015	9:30 AM
Lasell College	Thu October 8, 2015	10:30 AM
University of Rochester	Fri October 9, 2015	11:00 AM

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

CHET Advance Scholarship

CHET Advance Scholarship is a program offered by the Connecticut State Treasurer’s Office to help students (12th & 9th graders) pay for college. For information visit [www http://chetadvance.com](http://chetadvance.com) **

Deadline October 6, 2015**

AES Engineering Scholarship

The program is open to high school seniors. Please note, the scholarship is not only available for students studying Engineering. In addition, there is no GPA requirements to apply for this scholarship. For more information, visit <http://scholarshipdesk.com/2015-aes-engineering-scholarship-an-essay-based-scholarship-usa>

**** Deadline October 7, 2015****

Bruce Fishkin Scholarship Fund

For high school seniors, GPA of 3.0 or greater, minimum ACT composite score of 22 – 400-500 word essay. For more information, visit brucefishkinscholarshipfund.com ** **Deadline October 15, 2015****

Horatio Alger Association Scholarship Program

The program provides financial assistance to students who have financial need and have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity. For information visit [www http://scholars.horatioalger.org](http://scholars.horatioalger.org) **

Deadline October 25, 2015**

NFIB Young Entrepreneur Awards

Scholarships created to recognize young people who have demonstrated entrepreneurial spirit and initiative. For information visit [www. http://www.nfib.com/foundations/yef/yef-programs/young-entrepreneur-awards/](http://www.nfib.com/foundations/yef/yef-programs/young-entrepreneur-awards/) **

Deadline December 15, 2015**

Connecticut Bar Foundation Essay Contest

“Minors and Medical Decisions.” For information visit [www. Ctbarfdn.org](http://www.Ctbarfdn.org) ** **Deadline February 26, 2016****

Wendy's High School Heisman Award

The Wendy's High School Heisman Award honors students who excel in academics, athletics and student leadership. To access the application or for more information, visit www.wendysheisman.com.

SAT Test Dates 2015 – 2016

Date	Location	Regular Registration	Late Registration
October 3	FLHS*	September 3	September 22 **
November 7	FLHS*	October 9	October 27 **
December 5	FWHS*	November 5	November 23**
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 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

ACT Test Dates 2015 - 2016

Date	Location	Regular Registration	Late Registration
September 12	-----	August 7	August 8 – 21 **
October 24	FWHS *	September 18	September 19 – October 2 **
December 12	-----	November 6	November 7 – 20 **
February 6	-----	January 8	January 9 – 15 *
April 9	FWHS*	March 4	March 5 – 18**
June 11	-----	May 6	May 7 – 20 **

*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.

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NEW INTRAMURAL PROGRAM!

Free Zumba classes with Jessica Fumasoli offered to ALL Warde staff and students!
Classes will be held on Thursdays starting **September 17th** in the cafeteria from 2:30-3:30.

****Make sure to wear sneakers, bring a water bottle and towel.****

Any questions email: jfumasoli2@fairfieldschools.org.

Athletics

The Athletic Department would like to submit an order for Varsity Letter jackets by October 10th. If you would like to order a letter jacket please see Mr. Shaughnessy at the Boys Physical education office or Mr. Fry at the athletic office for an order form.

Fairfield Warde 2015-16 Athletic Events Schedule

Date	Sport	Opponent	H/A-Facility	Time	Result	Note
Tue., 10/6	V Boys Cross Country	Wilton, Bridgeport Central, Brien McMahon	Away - Allen's Field [Directions]	4:00 p.m.	PU 2:30, RE 5:30	
Tue., 10/6	V Boys Soccer	New Canaan	Away - Dunning Stadium [Directions]	7:00 p.m.	PU 5:15, RE 8:30	
Tue., 10/6	JV Boys Soccer	New Canaan	Away - Saxe Middle School Field [Directions]	4:00 p.m.	PU 2:30, RE 5:30	
Tue., 10/6	FR Boys Soccer	New Canaan	Home - Tunxis Hill Park [Directions]	4:00 p.m.		
Tue., 10/6	V Girls Cross Country	Wilton, Bridgeport Central, Brien McMahon	Away - Allen's Field [Directions]	4:00 p.m.	PU 2:30, RE 5:30	
Tue., 10/6	V Field Hockey	St. Joseph	Home - Tetreau/Davis Field [Directions]	4:00 p.m.		Cargo Bus
Tue., 10/6	JV Field Hockey	St. Joseph	Home - Tetreau/Davis Field [Directions]	5:30 p.m.		



HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:



*Tess Shinbaum, Brendan Ruff, James Kaiser
Ellie Cuoco, Johnier Santos, Kelton Engemann*