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Daily Bulletin

“I have walked that long road to freedom. I have tried not to falter; I have made missteps along the way. But I have discovered the secret that after climbing a great hill, one only finds that there are many more hills to climb. I have taken a moment here to rest, to steal a view of the glorious vista that surrounds me, to look back on the distance I have come. But I can only rest for a moment, for with freedom come responsibilities, and I dare not linger, for my long walk is not ended.”

Nelson Mandela 1918-2013

Former president of South Africa

Monday, December 9, 2013

Schedule: 1, 2, HR (3), 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

“The Fairfield Warde Class of 2015” will be holding a toy and book drive for the Center for Women and Families in Bridgeport. The collection will begin on December 2nd and run through December 18. Collection drop off spots will be in the House offices and just outside the Main Office. Thank you in advance for your kind donation.

The FBLA Club will be collecting Stocking Stuffers and Stockings for the Troops who are stationed overseas for the Holidays from December 4 – December 10th. Donations can be dropped off in F14 or any of the House Offices. You can fill them with surprises of holiday candy, socks, hot chocolate or hot cider packs, hand-held games, word puzzles with a holiday pen, travel-size toiletries. Use your imagination to make this a special gift. Don't forget to add a holiday card for each stocking with your name so they know they are not forgotten! AdoptaPlatoon is military.com approved organization that supports deployed troops overseas.

ALL AFS MEMBERS PLEASE SEE MRS. ATTRUIA IN THE LIBRARY FOR NEW INFORMATION REGARDING FRUIT DELIVERY.

MUSIC DEPT.

December Practice Schedule and Other Carillon events are posted www.fairfieldmpa.org

IRISH SOCIETY

Irish Society's musical wing is looking for vocalists, String players, percussionists, instrumentalists and most importantly harpists for its musical wing, *Celtic Thunder*. Please email cflynn@fairfieldschools.org or Tommy Mackey mackey.tommy3@gmail.com or Caroline Helgans carolinehelgans@gmail.com or see Charles Flynn in F5.

VISION SCREENING

Vision screening/scoliosis screening will begin on Monday, October 21 during homeroom. This will be ongoing through December. Please have the girls dress appropriately for the scoliosis screening.

SPIRIT WEAR SALES IN DECEMBER

TIME IS RUNNING OUT TO GET YOUR SPIRIT WEAR FOR THE HOLIDAYS

We'll be selling Spirit Wear only two more times before the holiday break. Don't miss out. Many students have expressed an interest in receiving Spirit Wear as a gift. Have you asked your son or daughter what they may want? Look for us on the following two days:

Tuesday, **December 10** from 7 to 8 a.m., outside the Main Office

Tuesday, **December 17** during all the lunch periods (10 a.m. To 1 p.m.), by the cafeteria

Contact Susan Fiske at sfiske@optonline.net or Denise Walsh at dwalshct@att.net with any questions.

IT CAN WAIT

FCCLA is spreading the word to stop texting and driving. Please go to itcanwait.com to sign the pledge to not text and drive, or stop by the FCCLA table outside of the cafeteria during lunch this week. The **It Can Wait** campaign focuses on educating people – especially teens – about the dangers of texting and driving. The message is simple, yet vital: When it comes to texting and driving, It Can Wait.

FIRST ANNUAL NEWTOWN KINDNESS CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE

The Newtown Kindness team, committed to fostering compassion in children and inspiring life-long contributors to society, has partnered with the Fairfield Police Department in its effort to extend an act of kindness back to the tri-state area. Collected toys and gifts will be distributed to area underprivileged children and families. Toys and gifts may be delivered to FWHS and placed in the box outside the Main Office.

FUND RAISER

Warde's Backpacking Club is sponsoring a Fundraiser on Wednesday, **December 18th**, from 2:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Garden Catering on Black Rock Turnpike. Need a break from all the holiday preparations? Come to Garden Catering and 10% of all sales will go to the Backpacking Club to fund bus transportation. Thank you in advance for your support! Any questions, contact Rachel Maltz (P07).

SCHOOL COUNSELING, COLLEGE, AND CAREER NEWS

FINANCIAL AID PRESENTATION

If you were unable to attend the Financial Aid Presentation Night, there is link to the presentation on our school website.

Computer Proficiency Exam

Date: Tuesday, January 21, 2014

Time: 12:15pm

Location: Fairfield Ludlowe HS

Room: 303

Go to the College and Career Center for Study Guide.

2014 FWHS Yearbook Information

The yearbook is officially on sale! Order your copy of the 2014 FWHS Yearbook for \$110.00 until **February 8, 2014.**

All yearbooks must be pre-ordered. The deadline for personalized copies is January 15, 2014. Please place your order online at www.jostensyearbooks.com. Click Yearbooks> Order your yearbooks > Enter Fairfield WARDE High School, Fairfield, CT and place your order using a credit card. If you prefer to pay by check, please print and complete from the Warde Yearbook Page (checks should be made payable to FWHS - Yearbook) mail to:

*Fairfield Warde High School
Attn: Paul Zhitomi - Yearbook
755 Melville Avenue
Fairfield, CT 06825*

Attention Seniors and Parents:

Senior Congratulatory Ads:

RESERVE A CONGRATULATORY Parent Ad for your Graduate's Yearbook TODAY!

Final Deadline Extension 12/9/13

Please visit www.gradad.com for ad examples, ad creation tools, directions and prices.

For further information and technical support, please call 1-866-394-9729.

Order forms can be found on the yearbook homepage. Ads are due by **November 25, 2013**. As always, thank you for your support!

Ad Size	Color	Black & White
Full Page	\$ 480.00	\$ 300.00
1/2 Page	\$ 300.00	\$ 215.00
1/4 Page	\$ 215.00	\$ 130.00
1/8 Page	\$ 130.00	\$ 75.00

ALPHA PREP

Sophomores, Juniors...fall sports over? Winter is the perfect time to prep for the spring SAT/ACT

SAT prep - Nov. 19 - Jan. 21 Tues & Thurs 3-5pm at FLHS

ACT prep - Dec. 12 - Feb. 6 Thurs 3-5pm at FLHS

SAT Prep - Jan. 11 - Mar. 1, Saturdays, 11am-1pm at FLHS

SAT Prep - Jan. 15 - Mar. 5, Wed 5:30pm-7:30 at FLHS

Practice SAT Exam - Dec. 14, Saturday 9-12:30 at FWHS Cafeteria

(Practice exams are \$25 for all non-alphaprep students. Results are only shared with student.

To register for AlphaPrep classes or practice exam, log on to www.alphaprep.com (type FPHS in the course code window.) **Note that the upcoming classes will take place at Ludlowe High School**, but all Fairfield public school students are encouraged to sign up regardless of which high school you attend. Warde will host classes again in March, go on line for more info. Please see your guidance counselor if financial assistance is needed.

PTA Contact: Mary Nardone jans1090@aol.com.

SPORTS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fairfield Warde 2013-14 Athletic Events Schedule						
Date	Sport	Opponent	H/A-Facility	Time/Result	Bus Time	Note
Mon., 12/9	V Girls Basketball	Notre Dame- Fairfield	Away - Sister Marion Rielly Auditorium at Notre Dame [Directions]	4:30 p.m.	p.u. 3:00pm/ret. 6:00pm	Scrimmage

Gridiron Club

The Gridiron apologizes for the late notice but the Gridiron meeting on Dec 5th is postponed to next Thursday Dec 12th in the library at 7:30. The banquet is December 15th at Testos.

T.J. Gallagher has been nominated for statewide Channel 3 FNF (Friday Night Football) Athlete of the Week. Voting is done through an online poll at WFSB.COM. To vote Click on Sports and Friday Night Football or directly: <http://www.wfsb.com/category/211206/friday-night-football> (poll is located in middle of page halfway down). Voting will run through Friday December 6th - late afternoon. The winner will be announced on Friday's 6pm sportscast and again on the 11:15pm FNF show that night. Please spread the word to students, parents, fans and others to vote.

Boys Lacrosse

There will be a mandatory Boys lacrosse meeting for all players who are intending to tryout this fall. The meeting will take place Monday, **December 9** at 2:15 in the library lecture room. Please contact coach Cunningham if you have a conflict.

Winter Sports Shuttle Bus Information

Gymnastics	Bus #65	will pick up in back of school every day going to Sportsplex Arrives 2:20; departs 2:30
Boys Swim	Bus #67	will pick up in back of school every day going to LA Fitness, Trumbull Arrives 2:00; departs 2:20
Girls Ice Hockey	Bus #289	will pick up in back MWF going to Wonderland of Ice Arrives 2:15; departs 2:25
Bowling	Bus #2	will pick up in back of school T & R going to Nutmeg Lanes Arrives 2:10; departs 2:25



Happy Birthday wishes to:
Andres Almanza, Emma Houghton
Aristotle Proskinitopoulos,
Mathilde Bahadourian, Rashaum Ricahrds