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Daily Bulletin

"I began to realize how important it was to be an enthusiast in life. He taught me that if you are interested in something, no matter what it is, go at it at full speed ahead. Embrace it with both arms, hug it, love it and above all become passionate about it. Lukewarm is no good. Hot is no good either. White hot and passionate is the only thing to be."

**Roald Dahl (1916-1990);
British novelist**

Tuesday, February 18, 2014

Schedule: 2, 1, HR(3)Activity B, 4, 7, 8, 5, 6, 9

WARDE DAY

Attention Students and Teachers! The current Warde Day committee is looking to expand! This year Warde Day will be on Friday May 30th. If you are interested in helping plan and execute Warde Day please come to a meeting on Thursday February 13th after school in T-23. If you cannot attend this meeting, but would like to help see Ms. Peck in T-23 or Ms. Gomes in T-11.

Attention Parents who are Attorneys: The Warde Mock Trial team needs you!

On March 29, we are hosting a Mock Trial Festival. We are in need of attorney volunteers to serve as judges to the competition, as well as lead workshops on opening & closing statements, and direct and cross examinations. If interested in serving, please visit: <http://wardemocktrial.weebly.com/> or contact Charles Flynn : cflynn@fairfieldschools.org

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

NHS Members: We are looking for someone to tutor an 8th grader in Pre-algebra and French. This student lives in the Stratfield section of Fairfield, not far from Warde. This would be a paid position twice a week and volunteer once a week. Email Dr. Gloria @ cgloria@fairfieldschools.org if interested.

INTERESTED IN THE CHOIR PORGRAM?

This message is for students not currently involved in the FWHS Choir Program. I will be holding 2 choir preview rehearsals right after school for 45 minutes on Mon. **Feb. 10th** and Wed. **Feb. 19th**. These 2 identically structured days are designed to give students a look into the choir classroom. Are you a current freshmen, sophomore, or junior? Did you used to sing and you're thinking of getting back into it? Do you want to be a better singer but are not sure how to start? If any of those questions apply to you, I highly encourage you to come by on either Feb. 10th or Feb. 19th for one of the preview days!

The choir room is in the hallway right by the bus drop off area and the guy's locker room. I have green paper on my windows, so you can't miss it! Hope to see you on Feb. 19th!

SPIRIT WARE SALE

Please stop by our tables outside the cafeteria on **Tuesday, February 25** and check out all the Warde Spirit Wear items. We'll be there during all lunch periods. If you have any questions please contact Susan Fiske at sfiske@optonline.net or Denise Walsh at dwalshct@att.net.

SCHOOL COUNSELING, COLLEGE, AND CAREER NEWS

Interested in a Next Generation Manufacturing Career?

A representative from Housatonic Community College's Advanced Manufacturing Program will be presenting an overview of the program on: Tuesday, February 18th - During Periods 1, 4 and 7. In the Auto Technology Learning Area. See your school counselor regarding passes.

Applications to be a Teacher Assistant for the Summer Enrichment Program are now available in the College & Career Center (P-38)

Note: This is a volunteer position to work with children Pre-K – 2 grades.

MILITARY CAREER DAY

Wednesday, March 19, Main Lobby, 8:00am – 10:00am

Representatives will be available in the Main Lobby to speak with students about opportunities with several branches of the military.

ATTENTION JUNIORS

The Connecticut State Board of Education is now accepting applications from Grade 11 students who are interested in serving as members of the state board of education for the 2014-2015 year. Two students, who will be appointed by the Governor, will serve a one-year term, beginning July 1. Complete application packages must be postmarked on or before March 10, 2014. **Applications available in each guidance office and the Main Office.**

Did you know there is a free web-based SAT & ACT Prep Program available to all Warde Student's?

It is called *Method Test Prep* and can be accessed from the Home page in Naviance/Family Connection by selecting the "SAT & ACT Prep Program" link on the left side of the screen. The program offers:

- Evaluation Tests
- Lesson & Quizzes
- Vocab Builder
- Full Length Timed Exams
- Ability to track progress and identify areas of weakness
- Audio & Video explanations
- Complimentary webinars

* To see the list of upcoming webinars: <http://info.methodtestprep.com/upcoming-mtp-webinars/>

SAT Test Dates

| Date | Location | Regular Registration | Late Registration |
|---------|--------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| March 8 | FWHS* | February 7 | February 21 ** |
| May 3 | FLHS* | April 4 | April 18** |
| June 7 | FLHS & FWHS* | May 9 | May 23** |

*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

| Date | Location | Regular Registration | Late Registration |
|----------|----------|----------------------|-------------------|
| April 12 | FWHS* | March 7 | March 8 – 21** |
| June 14 | FWHS* | May 9 | May 10 – 23** |

*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

ACT Prep Class Starting in February at Warde - REGISTER NOW

ACT and SAT are very different tests and some students find the ACT a better fit. In general, the ACT is a straightforward exam that is tied more directly to the curriculum taught in school. Questions, however, can be long so being a fast reader is an advantage. There is less emphasis on vocabulary, than on the SAT. The math section tests more advanced concepts - like trigonometry. But, again, questions are very straightforward and not tricky, like in SAT exam. The ACT also has a science section which does not really question your science knowledge, but rather your ability to interpret data provided. The writing section is optional on the ACT, whereas its required on the SAT, although many schools require the ACT writing section. Some schools will waive a required SAT subject test for ACT students. (Some do not, so check college requirements.)

ACT Preparatory Class: Thursdays, 3pm-5pm from Feb. 20- Apr. 10 at Warde HS

To register for the upcoming AlphaPrep ACT class, go to www.alphaprep.com and click on Services tab, then type FPHS in the course code window. Contact Mary Nardone jans1090@aol.com with questions.

SPORTS ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMENS' OUTDOOR TRACK AND FIELD-COME JOIN US!

WHEN: THURSDAY, 2-20-2014

WHERE: LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM

WHAT TIME: 2:15-2:30

WHAT TO BRING: AN OPEN MIND

****OUR BIG FOLLOW-UP MEETING WILL BE ON TUESDAY, 2-25-2014 FROM (2:15 – 3:15) IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM**

GOLF

Girls Golf Meeting right after school on Feb. 18 in the cafeteria. Thanks

VARSITY LETTER JACKETS

The athletic department is looking to submit an order for Varsity letter jackets. The cost ranges from \$125 to \$150. If interested please go to the Athletic director's office or see Mr. Shaughnessy for an order form. We want to submit the order no later than next Friday.

BASEBALL

There will be a mandatory baseball meeting for all candidates trying out for the baseball team on **Thursday, Feb. 20th** at 2:15 in room F-8. If you can't attend see Mr. Caron before Feb 20th.

| Fairfield Warde 2013-14 Athletic Events Schedule | | | | | | |
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| Date | Sport | Opponent | H/A-Facility | Time/Result | Bus Time | Note |
| Sat., 2/15 | V Boys Fencing | Hopkins School | Away | 9:00 a.m. | PU FWHS 7:30 a.m. / Return 1:30 p.m. | Greenwich High school and North Haven High School will also participate in this match |
| Sat., 2/15 | V Boys Ice Hockey | New Canaan | Home - Wonderland Of Ice | 8:00 p.m. | | |
| Sat., 2/15 | V Wrestling | FCIAC Tournament @ New Canaan | Away | TBA | | |
| Sat., 2/15 | V Girls Fencing | Hopkins School | Away | 9:00 a.m. | PU FWHS 7:30 a.m./ Return 1:30 p.m. (Will ride with Boys team). | Greenwich HS and North Haven HS, will also participate in this match. |
| Sat., 2/15 | V Girls Gymnastics | FCIAC Championships @ Westhill HS | Away | TBA | | |
| Sat., 2/15 | V Girls Ice Hockey | Stamford | Away | 3:10 p.m. | PUFL:1:45 RE:4:30 | @ Terry Connors |
| Sat., 2/15 | V Girls Ice Hockey | Stamford | Away | 6:00 p.m. | | |

[\[Directions\]](#)

Winter Sports Shuttle Bus Information

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| 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: 

*2/14 - Maia Hernanadez, Kathernie O'Neill, Morgan Miller
Sadie Moncayo, Maia Kvitashvili, Evan Surrick
Matthew Coppola*

*2/15 – Clayton Mitchell, Caio Camillozzi, Melissa Dimaio
Timothy Finn, Alison Dimaio, Brian Moron
Stuart Siano*

*2/16 – Mehdi Dahir, Kieran O'Day, Brenna McGeady
Connor O'Donnell, Nevin Acevedo*

*2/17 – Reid Williamson, Gary Azarian, Shivani Doshi
Grace Orben, Brian Russell, Margaret Sullivan
Michael Sheets*

*2/18 – Courtney Burns, Conor Giff, Megan Frillici
Juan Galvez*