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Daily Bulletin

"It is wonderful what great strides can be made when there is a resolute purpose behind them." Sir Winston Churchill (1874-1965); British statesman, prime minister, author, Nobel Prize winner

Thursday, February 20, 2014 Schedule: 2, 1, HR(3)4, 8, 7, 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 20th** 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: <u>http://wardemocktrial.weebly.com/</u> or contact Charles Flynn : <u>cflynn@fairfieldschools.org</u>

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.

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 <u>sfiske@optonline.net</u> or Denise Walsh at <u>dwalshct@att.net</u>.

WARDE'S BATTLE OF THE BANDS

Are you in a band? Do you want to compete in a Battle of the Bands at school? The Music Management Club is hosting a concert later this spring **in the courtyard**!!! Come to Mr. Saad's room (T9) and sign your band up! Auditions will be held soon, more information to come.

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. To participate in the program, a student will have to complete an application, which is available in the College & Career Resource Center and School Counselors' offices. The Application deadline is March 4th.

Applications to be a Teacher Assistant for the Summer Enrichment Program are now available in the College & Career Center (P-38) <u>Note</u>: This is a volunteer position to work with children Pre-K – 2 grades.

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 Students?

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

- Evaluation Tests

- Ability to track progress and identify areas of weakness

- Lesson & Quizzes

- Full Length Timed Exams

Audio & Video explanations

- Vocab Builder

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

		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 <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 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 <u>www.actstudent.org/start</u> . Seats are assigned by ACT on a first-come,				
first-served basis and are not guaranteed to Fairfield students.				
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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 <u>www.alphaprep.com</u> and click on Services tab, then type FPHS in the course code window. Contact Mary Nardone <u>jans1090@aol.com</u> 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 Thursday, Feb. 20 in T22.

BASEBALL

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

GIRLS TENNIS

Conditioning will resume on **February 26** at 2:30, starting in the fitness center. If you have not turned in your signed parent permission slips to Coach Jamgochian yet, make sure you bring it to her office as soon as possible. Also check in to the nurse's office to confirm your medicals are up to date for the spring season.

SAILING TEAM

There will be a meeting of the Fairfield COOP Sailing Team on **Monday, February 24**, 2014 at 3:00 p.m. in the Fairfield Ludlowe High School Cafeteria.

There will be a one way shuttle bus leaving Warde at 2:25 p.m. for this meeting.

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.

Fairfield Warde 2013-14 Athletic Events Schedule						
Date	Sport	Opponent	H/A-Facility	Time/Re sult	Bus Time	Note
Fri., 2/21	V Girls Gymnastics	Daniel Hand, Fairfield Ludlowe	Away	Cancelled	PU 3:15p.m. / Return 7:30	
Sat., 2/22	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 Schoolwill also participate in this match
Sat., 2/22	V Boys Ice Hockey	Branford	Away - NORTHFORD ICE PAVILION	4:40 p.m.	PU 2;40 p.m. / Return 6:40 p.m.	Pick up and return to FLHS
Sat., 2/22	Dance Team	State Championship	Away	ТВА	ТВА	This event to be held at Hamden HS
Sat., 2/22	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., 2/22	V Girls Gymnastics	Ro Carlucci Gymnastics Tournament	Home - Gymnastics & Cheer Academy 85 Mill Plain Rd, Fairfield	4:00 p.m.		

[Directions]

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: Meghan Flynn, Jack Dowden, Sarah Fosco Anthony Battaglia, French Hawkins