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Daily Bulletin

"Hope lies in dreams, in imagination and in the courage of those who dare to make dreams into reality." Jonas Salk

Monday, February 3, 2014 Schedule: 1 2, HR(3) 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Warde PTA presents: Life After Warde" An Interactive Program for 12th Graders and their parents Wednesday, February 5th at 7pm Library Lecture Rooms & Auditorium

We don't want you to think... "I wish I had known to talk about that."

Deans, Counselors AND Students from Fairfield and Sacred Heart Universities will present to and share with both parents and 12th graders in an interactive format about:

• What is really happening outside the classroom on college campuses and their towns? Is it what you think?

• Parents will learn strategies and talking points to start the dialogue with your child: How do you expect them to navigate the situations, stay safe and help others to be safe?

• Students will meet with current college students and learn strategies and practices to protect themselves in the real world of college.

"The first 6 weeks of college for first-year students are critical to their success; about 1/3 will FAIL to enroll for their second year. (Source: Drug-Free Action Alliance)

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. 10 or Feb. 19th!

2014 FWHS Yearbook Information

Deadline is February 8, 2014 for ordering your yearbook. Order your copy of the 2014 FWHS Yearbook for \$110.00 All yearbooks must be pre-ordered.

Please place your order online at <u>www.jostensyearbooks.com</u>. 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



Remember your Valentine!! The AFS Club will be taking orders for roses during lunch periods, beginning on February 5th. Stop by and order your rose, fill out the message card and we will deliver to homerooms on February 13th. Roses are \$5.00 each.

SCHOOL COUNSELING, COLLEGE, AND CAREER NEWS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, Feb. 4, Gap Year Program @ FLHS: 6:00-6:30 Speaker...Auditorium; 6:30-8:30 Gap Year Program Fair...Small Gym

Gap Year Programs are becoming more popular and attractive to students who are interested in taking a year off between high school and college. On Tuesday, Feb. 4 from 6:00 – 6:30 PM in the FLHS Auditorium, a representative from USA Gap Year Fairs will speak about the history of gap programs, their advantages and suggestions for planning your own. From 6:30-8:30, representatives from approximately 30 Gap Year Programs will be available in the small gym to talk about their programs with students and their parents.

Wednesday, March 19 Military Career Day, 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.

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Date	Location	Regular Registration	Late Registration
January 25		December 27	January 10 **
March 8	FWHS*	February 7 February 21 **	
May 3	FLHS*	April 4	April 18**
June 7	FLHS & FWHS*	May 9	May 23**
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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 jans1090@aol.com with questions.

SPORTS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fairfield Warde 2013-14 Athletic Events Schedule						
Date	Sport	Opponent	H/A-Facility	Time/Result	Bus Time	Note
Sat., 2/1	V Boys Ice Hockey	Westhill	Home - Wonderland Of Ice	8:00 p.m.		

Sat., 2/1	V Cheerleading	FCIAC League	Home - Fairfield Warde Large Gym [<u>Directions]</u>	ТВА		Hosted by Fairfield Warde High School
Sat., 2/1	Dance Team	CCSU/Torrington HS TBD	Away	ТВА	ТВА	
Sat., 2/1	FR Girls Fencing	Novice Tournament @ Guilford HS	Away	9:00 a.m.	PU FWHS 7:30 a.m./Return 5:30 p.m. Will ride with Boys Freshman	
Sat., 2/1	V Girls Ice Hockey	New Canaan	Away [Directions]	6:00 p.m.		
Sat., 2/1	V Girls Ice Hockey	New Canaan	Away [Directions]	8:00 p.m.	PUFL:6:30 RE:9:15	@ Darien Ice

[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: 2/1 – Gazal Gulati, Oliver Maupin Mitchell Yeoh, Sagar Gulati 2/2 – Evelyn Hernandez, Gerald Claudett, Kyle Casey Devin Dyer, Francis Mirabile Neil Shah, Mia Hermsen 2/3 – Sara Gleysteen, Nicholas Stanton, Quinn Hermann