

1/30/15

Westbrook Walnut Grove Charger Report

STUDENTS

Happy birthday to Tessa B.

Congrats to boys' basketball C Team on their 4 OT win last night.

THE SNOW DAY WE HAD ON JAN. 8 WILL BE MADE UP ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd We will have school on Mon., 2/2/15.

A Lunch release order - 1/26-1/30
FACS 9, Algebra I, Algebra 8A, Keybrd 8B, PE 7AB

A Lunch release order - 2/2 - 2/6
PE 7AB, FACS 9, Algebra I, Algebra 8A, Keybrd 8B

Lunch today: Chicken Quesadilla w/salsa & black beans, broccoli w/cheese sauce, baby carrots, pineapple, fresh fruit, milk

Breakfast Monday - Cereal bars, yogurt, fruit, 100% juice, milk.

Lunch Monday - Chicken strips, crispy potatoes, coleslaw, baby carrots, fresh fruit, sliced pears, milk

02. **College/Military Reps:**

03. **GST NOTES:**

04. **FFA NEWS:**

February 11th will be State Degree and Proficiency interviews at the Tech Campus during the school day.

05. **SENIOR NEWS:**

- Remember to have Senior picture and baby picture to Tarynn and Coya by Feb. 1 or we will call your mom!
- Have song requests for slide show to Tarynn, Coya or Brittany by Feb. 1st.
- Your sr trip balance is due by Feb. 13. Accounts are up to date and available online.
- Seniors interested in speaking at graduation should see their advisor for information. Deadline for completed application is Feb. 13 to Mrs. Helgeson

06. **Scholarship Deadlines**

Feb. 6, South Central Electric

Feb. 27, www.buickachievers.com

March 1, American Legion Auxiliary

March 6, Redwood Electric

March 18, MI River Energy, www.mrenergy.com

07. **New Books** in the Media Center.

Dr. Frankenstein's Daughters

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Giselle and Ingrid are the twin daughters of Dr. Frankenstein, but they are very different people, and when they inherit his castle in Orkney Islands things change.

08. **Fastest Growing Careers in Minnesota** (www.iseek.org)
Childcare Workers - Take care of children in daycare settings.

\$10.43 / hour

High school diploma or equivalent is needed for entry.

09. There is a lost & found box by the main entrance. Please look there if you are missing items. The box will be emptied periodically. Items still there will be donated.

10. Walnut Grove Activity Club GAME NIGHT
WALNUT GROVE COMMUNITY CENTER
FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 2015

5:00 pm - 10:00 pm

All ages are welcome.

(Children under 10 must be accompanied by an adult)

Movies, Table Tennis, Foosball, Board Games available.
GAME SYSTEMS: Wii, X-Box, PS3, GameCube

Pop, Pizza & Other Snacks available for purchase.

11. **Senior High Play:**

If you were unable to tryout for the play Wednesday, but would still like to, please see Mrs. Kletscher to schedule a time.

12. **SH KNOWLEDGE BOWL:**

There is no more room at the RRC Knowledge Bowl meet so there will be no meet for us this coming Monday, Feb. 2.

Senior High Knowledge bowl will be Monday after school for 60-90 minutes in a challenge of team to team. If some Junior High would like to come they are welcome

Feb. 9 the Senior High Team will be going to Windom. Please sign up ASAP.

13. Earth Y.E.S. class, Solar Light Team, is looking for clear jars w/lids. If you have any to donate to us, that would be very helpful. Please leave the jars with Mr. Merrick. Thank you.

We are decorating solar light jars for Valentine's Day. You can buy one for your loved one and we can decorate it and put names down. Price will be \$6-\$10.

14. **One Act Play** - AM rehearsals in Helgeson's room, PM on stage Thurs., 1/29 - 3:30-5:00

Fri., 1/30 - Cast /crew eat A lunch, then meet in theater. School performance at 2:20. Load trailer immediately after show.

Sat., 1/31 - Load bus at 6:30. Leaving at 6:45 sharp. WWG performance scheduled for 1:30.

15. **Yearbook** continues to meet on Wednesdays after school.

16. Students: Bring your "Caught Doing Good" slips to Mrs. Dibble's room and put them in the jar for a chance to win a gift certificate

at midterm.

17. Junior High Musical Practice -

18. One Act Play performance Friday. Release at 2:15. Show starts 2:20 sharp.

Students grades 7-12 are invited to watch the theater competition piece The Insanity of Mary Girard on Fri., Jan. 30, at 2:25. This play features a woman who has been placed in a mental asylum against her will, and the "furies" (thoughts) that go through her mind and try to push her into madness. This play uses adult language and themes to discuss the difficult topic of severe mental illness and the abuse of the mental health system in the 18th century. While attitudes have improved toward mental illness in recent years, we still have so far to go. If you are uncomfortable with these adult themes, please see Mr. Richards to be put into study hall during that time.

19. **Driver's Education** begins on Tues., 2/10 with parents. Class is 7:00-9:00 PM.

You must be at least 14 years old by Feb. 10 in order to take the class.

Cost of the classroom portion of Drivers' Education is \$50.

Cost of the behind-the-wheel portion of Drivers' Education is \$175.

All classes will be held in Westbrook. After the first class, transportation from Walnut Grove to and from class will be provided.

Any questions please contact Doug Lee at leedfac@wwgschools.org
Or Pat Merrick at merrickpfac@wwgschools.org

ANNOUNCEMENT 2

For all students who completed the class with Mr. Larson and are ready for behind the wheel. We will be starting that when weather becomes more stable. Contact teachers to set up times.

20. Thank you for recycling the plastic bags. We would appreciate it if they are put in the silver container by the Custodian's room, NOT by Mr. Merrick's room. - Mr. Merrick

21. There will be a JR. fundraising committee meeting on Monday, Feb. 2nd in the art room. From 7:45 to 8:15 am.

22. Speech Team members, please see Mrs. Enstad for a practice time. Our first tourney is at Redwood Falls on February 14. If you need to order scripts, please see Mrs. Enstad.

23. The new student areas are working well. Mr. Woelber is very happy with the students and their participation.

However, he did leave out one small detail. Let's only have the TV on before and after school as well as during the noon hour. Let's not have the TV on any other time unless a small class needs to use it for classroom purposes.

24. The Windom Girls Hockey team, including our own Addy Beaty, will be playing against Fairmont in Fairmont on Feb 3 for the first round of the section hockey tournament.

STAFF

01. Weekly Progress Reports are due on Wednesdays. Reports are printed by 7:45 AM on Thursdays.

02. STAFF- SAVE THE DATE

WWG Holiday Party will be held Sat. Jan. 31, 2015

There are a few more spots open for the "SnowBall" event this Saturday night in Lucan. See Mrs. Enstad if interested.

03. Just a reminder to please turn in your signed timecards/time sheets by Friday. Thanks, Jane

04. Tues., 2/3 – Para meeting, workroom, 7:45 AM.

05. Wed., 2/4 – Dist. Eval., 7:45-9:00 AM.

06. Mid-term Progress reports are due to the office by the end of the day on Thurs., 2/5. Please remember that you want to send PROGRESS REPORTS not MID-TERM GRADES.

OTHER HAPPENINGS

Sat., 1/31 – 6th gr. boys BB tourney at WB, 1:00-3:00.

Sun., 2/1 – Open gym in WB & WG, 1:00-3:00 PM.

Wed., 2/4 – Open Gym in WB, 6:30-8:00 PM.

Sat., 2/7 – GB, 4th gr. tourney at Wabasso.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Fri., 1/30 – GB, Fulda at WB, 6:15. Supervisor-Theisen, Concessions-Juniors.

WR, AB, BOLD at Tracy, 6:00.

Sat., 1/31 – One Act Play competition at Pipestone. Bus leaves at 6:45 AM.

Mon., 2/2 – BB, Cedar Mtn. at WB, 5:00. Supervisor-Baumann, Concessions-Seniors.

JH GB at Mtn. Lake, 5:00.

Tues., 2/3 – BB at Hills, 6:15.

WR, AB at Tracy, 5:00.

JH GB, HLO at WG, 4:30.

Thurs., 2/5 – GB, Adrian at WB, 6:15. Pep band plays. Elem. GB at ½ time. Supervisor-Theisen, Concessions-Juniors.

JH BB at Brewster, 4:30.

Fri., 2/6 – BB at Okabena, 6:15.

Sat., 2/7 – 9th gr. BB tourney at Edgerton, 9:00 AM.

Region One Act Play competition.