

Westbrook Walnut Grove Charger Report

STUDENTS

Karen will be out of the office for the next 2-3 weeks and will miss you all terribly. Mrs. Madson will be running the school in Karen's absence. Please go easy on her.

Happy Birthday to Mai Her X.
Happy Birthday to Natalie V.
Happy Birthday to Skyler S.

These students owe \$1 for the JH play. Please pay to Karen ASAP.

Georgia B., Ethan P., Michaela S., Elias L., Ashley B., Brandon B., Beth D., Lincoln H., Alex K., Benzie Y.

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Tom Y., Ashley B., Travis C., Alex Bl., Amanda H., Elias L., Anthony R., Grace W., Michaela S., Brittany E., Ben O., Emanuel L., Cole B., Anthony K., Hunter B., Jordaan J., Matthew Ke., Kaitlyn S., Jerry Y. Breana H.

Lunch Today: Deli sub, Sunchips, mixed green salad, honey-glazed carrots, fresh fruit, applesauce, milk.

Breakfast Monday: Muffin, fruit, milk.

Lunch Monday: Chili, grilled cheese sandwich, fresh broccoli/carrots with dip, orange smiles, pineapple, milk.

01. Winter **sports pictures** by Lifetouch are scheduled for next Monday, **December 9** as follows:

In Westbrook: Girls A/B - 3:15; Boys A/B/C - 3:40
In Walnut Grove: JH BB - 4:30; JH GB to follow.

02. **Life 101** - Wed., Dec. 11 P3

03. College/Military Reps

Thurs. Dec. 19, 2:30 pm LaJames

04. FFA NEWS:

Fruit comes in Monday, Dec 9. Pick up Dec 9-11.

Small Animal, Fish and Wildlife, and Parli-Pro will all practice Tuesdays and Thursdays 3:30-5:00 until further notice.

05. SENIOR NEWS:

Attention Senior frozen food sellers...

The following seniors owe for frozen food. Pay up: Alex B., Dana C. Steven Y., Jimmy W., Zua H., Alex K.

Benny the Bouncer

The pans that were missing on Friday are here. Pick them up from Mr. Hannan. The chicken kiev will not be coming. Please apologize to the people who bought them. Was someone short a cinnamon roll order the other day? Let Mr. Hannan know.

06. Scholarship Deadlines

Jan. 6- West Central Ag.

Jan. 9, www.reganfoundation.org/scholarships

Jan. 10- Burger King

www.bkmclamorefoundation.org/WhatWeDo/ScholarsProgram

07. **Yearbook** meets Tuesdays before school and Thursdays after school.

08. New Books in the Media Center

Prisoner B-3087 author- Gratz, Alan
IR-769 7 pts.

Based on the life of Jack Gruener, this book relates his story of survival from the Nazi occupation of Krakow when he was 11 through a succession of concentration camps to the final liberation of Dachau.

Check it out!

09. Mrs. Helgeson is offering two classes for SMSU College credit next semester.

College American Government- quarter 3, period 3

College Psychology- quarter 4 period 6

Stop in to see Mrs. Ourada and get them added to your schedule.

10. The holidays are fast approaching. Time to get your Prairie Smoke BBQ gift baskets. Orders are due by Dec. 13 to guarantee a holiday delivery. If you are interested contact the BOLT class to get a brochure.

11. ONE NATION meets after school Wednesdays.

12. There will be an **ACT test prep class** offered for 10th - 12th graders. We will meet Sunday Dec 1 and Sunday Dec 8 from 6-8 pm in Mrs. Dibble's room. Cost is \$20 per person. Math and Science will be covered the first week and English and Reading will be covered the second week. Either sign up in the office or talk to Mrs. Dibble before Thanksgiving break.

13. Knowledge Bowl:

Practice Schedule:

Thursday morning 8:00

Thursday B Lunch

Monday's 3:30-

Senior High going out for Knowledge Bowl please sign up with Mrs. Hendrickson

14. Saving Planet Earth

Recycle your holidays! Today through January 10th, the Earth YES class is offering to recycle your old or broken Christmas lights. Please bring them to the bin located outside Mr. Merrick's room. Thank you!

15. Please stop at the office for your Homecoming photos: Madison T., Stephanie A., Alexa B., Hannah D., McKenzie D., Dayna C.

16. Open gym will start Sunday December 8th from 2-4 pm. Open Gym will be available every Sunday in December, January and February. Children 4th grade or lower must be accompanied by a parent or older sibling.

17. **Little Smokey Monday** – 10 Little Smokies on a stick for \$2.00.

18. Attention Juniors who are working concessions this Saturday. There is a time change. See the sign-up sheet for details.

19. There will be a Windom Dollars for Scholars fundraiser meal offered at the boys basketball game in Windom Tuesday, December 10: Meatball commercial and cookie for \$5 (made by River City Eatery). Serving 5:15pm until gone.

20. Reminder: When school is 2 hours late, you will need to eat breakfast at home –or support the ala carte program. No breakfast will be served on those days.

STAFF

00. Let's clean out the fridge before our potluck. If anything is left in it on Friday the 13th. (and not marked) it will be thrown away.

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

02. Please try to pay off your lunch bill this month.

Thank you,
Kathy

03. Saturday, December 14, 2013, is the all school Holiday party at the Brau Haus in Lucan. 5:30 Social Hour Dinner at 6:30

Reservations and payment are **due TODAY**. See Kelly or Carolyn. We hope you are planning to attend!

The Committee for a Merrier Christmas

04. The next PLC date is Wed., Dec. 18, 7:45-8:15 in Mrs. Helgeson's room.

05. There are six dates open where supervisors are needed for home events. The dates are: Dec. 13-BB, Jan. 16-GB, Jan. 21-BB, Jan. 28-BB, Feb. 13-GB, Feb. 24-GB. Please sign up with Karen or Mr. Theisen if you can help. Thanks!!

06. MARK YOUR CALENDARS, HEAT UP THE CROCK POT, AND PUT ON YOUR STRETCHY PANTS! The staff potluck will be on Tuesday, Dec. 17 in the teachers' workroom.

07. Some folks are having trouble getting into SmartER through Internet Explorer to check their pay stubs. The Service Coop is aware of this problem and it will be corrected within a few weeks but in the meanwhile, they suggest you use the address below and use Google Chrome or FireFox as the browser to check SmartER. Sorry for the confusion. Jane
<https://swscer.swscer.org/Login.aspx?acct=logout&dn=2898>

08. FLEX ELECTIONS FOR 2014: Anyone interested in Flexing for 2014, December is the time of year to get your Flex Elections done for the 2014 calendar year. Please elect 'On-line' with EBC or there is a paper election form in your 2014 Packet. Paper forms need to be returned to me by Monday, December 16, 2013. Thanks, Jane

09. HS Faculty Meeting 7:30 am, Wednesday, December 11.

10. If you check for your December payroll on ESS today (12/04/13), the Retro Payroll is showing up now but the regular December payroll will follow in a few days. Thanks, Jane

OTHER HAPPENINGS

Fri., 12/6 – Game night. Walnut Grove Community Center. 5:30–10:30 pm

Sun., 12/8 – Open Gym in WB, 2-4:00 pm.
JO VB – WB Gym, Noon-4:00pm

Mon., 12/9 – ECFE at WB, 6:15.
Elem. 4-6 Concert, WG.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Fri., 12/6 – BB at Lamberton, 6:15. Bus leaves WB at 5:10.
WR at Willmar. Bus leaves WB at 12:30.

Sat., 12/7 – BB, Wabasso at WB, 6:15. Supervisor-Theisen, Concessions-Juniors.
JH BB at Tracy Trny, Bus leaves WB at 9:00am, WG at 9:25am.

Mon., 12/9 – GB at Ivanhoe. Bus leaves at 3:50.

Tues., 12/10 – BB at Windom, 6:00. Bus leaves WB at 4:00.
WR at Tracy, 5:00. Bus leaves WB at 3:15.
JH GB at Milroy, 4:30. Bus leaves WB at 3:15, WG at 3:35.
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Thurs., 12/12 – GB at WB, 6:15. Supervisor-Theisen. Concessions-Seniors.

Fri., 12/13 – BB at WB, 6:15. Supervisor-??.

Concessions-Juniors. Pep Band plays.

WR at Pipestone, 6:00.

JH GB at WG, 4:30.

JH BB at Heron Lake, 4:30. Bus leaves WB at 3:20.

Sat., 12/14 – JH WR at Brookings, 10:00.