

FEBRUARY 2007

Green & Gold Gazette

It is hard to believe that the first half of the year is completed and third quarter is well underway. Our school continues to be a place where students are not only learning; but also participate in a variety of activities. These activities will help them develop social and leadership skills. I continue to be impressed by our day-to-day life here in "Westfield Country". Soon winter activities and athletics will be drawing to a close, and spring programs are just around the corner. Eighth graders have already completed their graduation portraits and the date of graduation (May 31) is already looming on the horizon!

I have been asked about our goals for students and staff here at Westfield. As I joined on the District 13 Administrative Team at the end of last summer, it was my hope that our students would be able to develop a positive relationship with me. "New beginnings, new horizons" was my motto and continues to be my compass for the directions and goals we are moving toward. The partnerships established between students, staff and parents continues to grow and will provide a solid foundation for future improvement.

Everyday our faculty works together with a common purpose to motivate and guide your student while grade level teams encourage active parent involvement in the education of your child. Our staff has a wide variety of instructional strategies and skills we are blessed to have practiced in our building that ultimately impact your child. As we work toward our goals we are translating our beliefs, mission statement and aspirations into an SIP plan that gives life and meaning to why we work to improve. The job is never done. It is an ongoing inclusive process where we work to meet the goals of increasing student achievement for all our students. Our faculty continues to work on our district School Improvement Process goal of increasing literacy, analyzing data, identifying areas of need and being very deliberate with our interventions. Consistent coaching and regular instruction will help our students benefit to the greatest degree. While in-

ferential thinking has been our central focus we continue to draft our curriculum maps that will basically become our road maps or blue prints for curriculum direction and day to day instructional practices.

Maintaining a student-centered atmosphere continues to be a focus of my effort this year. Your child is our focus and as I get to know your son or daughter, I would encourage you to take the perspective of how can we help your child blossom into a successful adolescent. On that note, I strongly encourage you to attend on Feb. 27, a night with Dr. Thomas Phelan, an international lecturer on adolescents. As partners in your child's success, we can gain a clearer understanding of what can sometimes be referred to as "turbulent years" our children.

Mark your calendars now for the annual ISAT testing happening in March. This test, given over the course of four days (March 10 through 13) is mandated by the state of Illinois and is designed to measure student achievement in comparison with state standards. Our teachers have prepared our students well for the ISAT as the concepts and skills needed to be successful on this high stakes testing is embedded within our daily curriculum. I ask parents to convey to their children the importance of individual effort and taking this test seriously. The results reflect on each individual student and on our school district as a whole.

Warm Regards,
Dr. Debbie Kling

The Board of Education committed in 2005 to a biennial cycle for stakeholder feedback to assist our school and district improvement efforts. Last year, parents and community members were surveyed for customer satisfaction with programs and services. This year, staff and students will be surveyed.

We anticipate that your youngsters (only those in grades 3 to 8) will take this written survey with their principals at school during the last ten days of February. The survey should take about 30-45 minutes to be completed.

*Kim M. Perkins, Ed.D.
Superintendent*



ACTIVITIES, CLUBS, AND ATHLETIC INFORMATION

WESTFIELD LUNCH BOOK CLUB

Once again, the Westfield Lunch Book Club will meet and read and talk and eat! We love to read and talk about the books we read. We are looking forward to hearing about new books, interesting authors and good food. Our members this year are: Seona Abraham, Laura Flegeau, Crystal Gasca, Jenna Marie Gorniack, Cristina Hernandez, Kelly Lancaster, Kelly Lents, Pujan Patel, Jorge Rivera, Jordan Schimka, and Amanda Siciak. Our first meeting will be February 13.

*New members are always welcome!
Model reading and encourage your child to read*

BUSY MONTH FOR BAND AND CHOIR AT WESTFIELD

February is a very busy month in the District 13 Music Department. Many students in both choir and band are busy preparing solos and/or small ensemble selections to compete at the Illinois Grade School Music Association's Solo and Ensemble Contest. There are 19 band small ensembles, 13 vocal soloists, and 35 band soloists who are participating in the contest. To help prepare, these students will be performing their selections at a special 'preview' concert on Thursday evening, 2/22/07 at 7:00 pm at Westfield.

This year's contest is being hosted by District 13, and we will be welcoming seven other schools to come to the Erickson Elementary School for this big event. The other participating schools are Roselle Middle School, Jay Stream, Wood Dale, Blackhawk, Medinah, Springwood and Stratford Middle School. We are very excited to be hosting this prestigious event, and would like to thank all of the band and choir parents in advance for all their help organizing the day. We would also like to thank the administration and custodial staff for their support during both the planning and implementation of this contest.

For more information about your child's participation in IGSMA solo and ensemble contest, please contact Sue Metzger or Karma Krzysiak at Westfield Middle School, or email them through the district website.

WESTFIELD CHESS CLUB

After a long Christmas break, our Westfield chess team was hungry for competition. On January 20th, at Glenbard South High School, our team participated in the Raider All-Grades Team and Individual Tournament. With well over 400 of the best chess players in Illinois, Westfield dominated the middle school section with the following performances. In 7th place was 8th grader Reid Alisuskas. In 6th place was 7th grader Evan Deichstetter, 3rd place 6th grader Kenil Patel, 2nd place 7th grader Armand Go, and in 1st place overall was 7th grader Zack Nudo.

Word about our Westfield chess program is spreading throughout the Chicagoland area, as several tournament directors have been commenting how well our students have been performing (and, ahem...we have been capturing first place in most of these tournaments). It would not surprise our staff to see many of our Westfield Students playing chess at the high school level and beyond; especially with the amount of improvement the coach, Mr. Stamatakos, has seen in some of our students this year.

SEVENTH GRADE BOYS BASKETBALL

The seventh grade boy's basketball team has sixteen wins and only one loss at this time. The Warrior's defense has been able to hold their opponents to an average of 21 points. Anthony Iavarone and Kevin Spejcher anchor the defense with good rebounding and interior play. Joey Passarelli and Ryan Castello have provided a consistent scoring output from the guard positions. Nick Zanghi is a two year starter and has provided consistent leadership, defensive intensity, and an ability to score from anywhere on the court. Jon Housour, Tyler Smith, and Aaron De George have provided solid guard play off the bench. Mike Ragan, Mike Dickerson, Zack Raucci, and Jered Small have all played key minutes off the bench and continue to improve their overall skill level.



AUTHOR RIDLEY PEARSON VISITS WESTFIELD



How did Peter Pan learn to fly, and how did he end up in Neverland? And what goes on in Disney World after hours anyway? These burning questions were addressed on Tuesday, January 30, a day of literary excitement in Bloomingdale. In a generous spirit of cooperation, the Bloomingdale Public Library shared with Westfield a visit with New York Times best-selling author Ridley Pearson, author of *Kingdom Keepers*, *Peter and the Starcatchers*, and *Peter and the Shadow Thieves*. After brunch at the Bloomingdale Country Club, Mr. Pearson conducted two presentations for Westfield students, incorporating a writer's workshop and perception activities that engaged and intrigued his audience. Language Arts teachers especially appreciated Mr. Pearson's emphasis of the revision component of the writing process, the importance of which can be difficult to convey to student writers. Mr. Pearson later appeared at the Bloomingdale Public Library for an evening event with a book signing session.

Teachers prepared students for the author visit by sharing Mr. Pearson's books through read out loud, and many students obtained copies from the IMC to read on their own. Seventh grade students shared chapters of *Peter and the Starcatchers* by presenting dramatizations and artwork.

Westfield's Reading Motivation Committee and the entire Westfield community thank the Bloomingdale Public Library for sharing, at no cost to our school, a visit with this dynamic author.



STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

The Westfield Student Council, once again, demonstrated their fantastic ability to raise money this year when we participated in Bloomingdale Township's annual Sharing Tree. From each homeroom at Westfield, students were able to raise over \$3,000 dollars in order to purchase Christmas gifts for the disadvantaged children in our area. This was accomplished in less than 10 days!!! A phenomenal display of giving by our generous community!

On December 7th, students went to Target Superstore and shopped like experienced consumers buying toys, clothing, DVD's, video games, and many other much needed items. Later on that day, each homeroom had a chance to see the fruits of their labor, as gifts were wrapped and packaged neatly for delivery to the drop-off site. Each and every year this event gives our students a chance to place themselves in the shoes of someone who truly has very little to celebrate over the holidays. And each and every year, our students do a fantastic job. Congratulations Westfield!!!

Westfield also hosted a family social night at Dave and Busters in Addison on January 6th. Great food, games, and music provided a festive atmosphere for those who attended. Many thanks goes out to the families who attended, but a special thanks goes out to the Villasuso family, who came out in full force to support our event. Of those kids who attended, it was difficult to gage how much fun the children were having...while there was a substantial amount of .

Stayed tuned next month for our Valentine's Day dance on February 16th, and in March for our upcoming "Basketball Brawl" which will pit the eighth grade students against the faculty of Westfield. Inquire about tickets early as this event sells out in a hurry.

CELL PHONES

Please remind your child that cell phones should be stored safely in lockers while at school. At no time should students have phones available for use during school time. Should a violation occur, student will be given a detention and the phone will be confiscated. ***The parent will need to come to school to pick up the cell phone.*** Please help your student understand how their common use of text messaging and even phone interruptions interferes with the educational process.

More ATHLETIC AND WELLNESS INFORMATION

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL UNDEFEATED SEASON

Westfield eighth grade girls completed their basketball season with a perfect eleven and zero win/loss record and in the process took the Northwest DuPage Valley Conference championship. The average margin of victory was nineteen points, but that does not reflect several very close games.

Our closest encounter was our second game with second place Medinah. The Wildcasts jumped all over the Warriors early and lead 18-10 at the half. Westfield battled back twice to tie the game. With 49 seconds to go Medinah led 36-32 and had the ball. Westfield stole the ball, came down the court, and scored, then took over the pass. The in-bound pass was stolen by Alex Munoz who scored on a lay-up to tie the game. Again the in-bound pass was stolen. Courtney Schuchmann was fouled, but she was able to sink one free throw to take over the lead. Our game wasn't over yet! A third in-bound pass was stolen to seal the victory.

Besides Munoz and Schuchmann, Diana Czarny, Carlina Custable, Nicoletta Emery, Amanda Giacobbe, Jessica Lopez, Katie Montalbano, Naomi Nuccio, Meera Patel, Danielle Salvatore and Elisabeth Trebonsky are members of this championship team.

Congratulations to our GIRLS Northwest DuPage Conference Champions!!

Looking to spring . . . WESTFIELD TRACK 2007

Track this year is going to be a little different than previous years. This year there will be try-outs and cuts will be made. Track starts a couple of weeks after spring break. There will be 2 day try-outs. Coaches are looking for students who are willing to work hard and be committed. Students must attend every practice, if they miss a certain amount of unexcused practices they will not be allowed to participate. Students cannot be in drama and track because they run the same time. If you have any questions, feel free to call or email Mr. Gernand, Mr. Volkman, or Mr. Gabriel.

WESTFIELD CHEERLEADERS

Congratulations to the 2006-2007 Cheerleaders and Poms. They competed, and won the Lake Park TDI Regional for their division on Saturday January 6, 2007. Along with another Middle School and several High Schools, the girls enjoyed a day filled with Flag, Lyrical, Pom, and Hip Hop performances. They had a lot of fun and felt so welcomed walking into Lake Park.

The cheerleading team was able to watch the Lancettes perform in Dance routines and in Cheerleading competitions. We will have our trophy displayed in the case soon! Thank you to all of our parents who came out to support both squads! Excellent performance girls!

A special thank you for our coaches . . .
Mrs. Elaine Alex and Miss Georgia Karonis.



STUDENT WELLNESS

What's in your child's lunch box?

For the Food Pyramid, each food group provides certain nutrients that help our bodies work at their best. The body needs a total of about 40 nutrients, which fall into six general classes: Carbohydrates, Protein, Fat, Vitamins, Minerals and Water. Eating foods from all the food groups is one way to get the nutrients needed for good health.

We need the most servings of grains (6-11 servings) because they are rich in energy-giving carbohydrates and fiber. The fruit and vegetable groups are important because they give us many vitamins, minerals, carbohydrates and fiber. We need at least 2-3 servings of vegetables and fruits each day for good health. Protein and Dairy group foods give our bodies protein, calcium and riboflavin. At least 3 servings a day is recommended for children.



The Importance of “Doing School” Mrs. Cyndi Bringer

This is my fourth year here at Westfield, where I have been given the privilege of producing the dramatic productions. I have seen a ‘dramatic’ (pun intended) increase over the number of students interested in coming out for the shows. Those of you that have been around as long as I: remember our female King Midas? This year we had 150 students come to our GREASE ACADEMY clinics and audition for this year’s musical. As much as I love putting on a good show, I have always stressed that schoolwork comes first, the play a very *close* second. My standards have always been high. Both the actors and the crew sign contracts stating they will maintain a *minimum* of 70% in each and every class for the run of the show AND if they drop below that, they are removed from the production. If you do not do school ~ you do not do extra-curricular.

Children have dropped the ball and either have taken themselves out of plays in the past, since they knew they were struggling with their schoolwork or their teachers have reported their poor progress and they had to be removed from a show. The thing that is different this year is the number of talented students that were not even eligible to be considered for a part. They either were already receiving D’s and F’s in their classes or their attendance at school was not regular. Being in a play is a major undertaking and responsibility. The children selected to be in the cast have to show that they can handle memorizing their lines, learning the songs and dance steps, coming to rehearsal regularly and on time, **on top** of keeping up with their schoolwork and other obligations outside of the school. And things do not get any easier after they leave Westfield.

Lake Park’s policy is the same as ours: School First. Susan Rothchild, head of the drama department, shares that “A student’s ineligible status greatly affects the future casting decisions of the directors, as we cannot take the chance of giving the student a large part and then having to replace him/her at the last minute. We won’t even consider ineligible students for our competition plays”.

If your child has a talent, be it in acting or sports or clubs, there are many opportunities for them to shine, both here at Westfield and then later on at Lake Park. BUT, they need to be keeping up with their schoolwork, doing quality work, turning it in on time, and coming to school regularly. So remember . . . “do school!” and have the privilege of participating in our extracurricular activities in Westfield Country.

YOU ARE THE ONES THAT WE WANT

Those are the words that 161 students anxiously awaited to hear last Friday before the cast list for GREASE was posted. Unfortunately, only 53 students will be on the stage come May 4th and 5th. This has been a long time coming. Last year during the run of CINDERELLA, the students wanted to put on the musical GREASE. The performing rights and rental of scores and scripts, make this a very expensive undertaking, but that did not deter the students from raising enough money to cover the fees by asking for donations, selling concessions and pictures during the run of their play. Then last week all interested students attended GREASE ACADEMY clinics where they were taught a song and dance routine. They then came to auditions where they showed off their talents in singing and dancing and if they were interested in a speaking part, they did a reading from the script. The week ended with call-backs and students vying for the coveted roles.

Mrs. Bringer, one of the staff members in charge of this production, (the others are Ms. Selsky, director; Mrs. Edwards, scene designer; Mr. Perry, technical director; and Mrs. Greene, accompanist), has been preparing for her role as musical director for two years. She has joined the Westfield choir for the last two years to learn to read music, how to do vocal warm-ups, as well as taking private voice lessons to help her in her new role. Ms. Selsky will direct the acting scenes on Mondays and Tuesdays, while Mrs. Bringer will be in charge of the singing and dancing on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Although Mrs. Bringer was confident in her learning how to sing, she knew that she could never learn how to dance in such a short time. We asked for students to apply to be choreographers for the show and the three are: Lauren Caputo, Josh Rivera, and Julia Gillespie. Two other students who are already busily at work are Kelly Hospodka, who is the crew chief/student director (basically being in charge of running the show) and Brandon Weber, student musical director.

There are still many other opportunities for many more students to help out on GREASE. Scenery crew will be working on the stage over lunch social times, we will need help on props and costumes construction, posters and the program needs to be designed, we will need ushers and concession workers, as well as stage and tech crews. Sign up sheets for all of these jobs will be posted outside of the drama room 520 as the play draws nearer.

Thanks to all of you tried out ~ there are many talented students here at Westfield! To give more students the opportunity to have lead roles, the Pink Ladies and the Burger Palace Boys are double cast. These actors will perform one day show and one evening show in their lead parts and on the opposite times, will still be on the stage in supporting roles. So put the dates on your calendars now: May 4th and 5th at 7:00 P.M. Be there or be square!





Dr. Thomas Phelan Presents a Parent Workshop: Surviving Your Adolescents

Westfield Commons
February 27, 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Parents of Westfield students have a wonderful opportunity to come and learn and improve their parenting skills. As children grow into adolescents, parenting can become more challenging. Dr. Thomas Phelan, author and psychologist, has been an invaluable resource for parents in raising their children and adolescents.

In addition to writing and producing, Dr. Phelan maintains an active schedule of international lectures, and is a frequent guest on radio and television. His articles appear in numerous regional and national publications. His books include:


- *1-2-3 Magic: Effective Discipline for Children 2-12*
- *More 1-2-3 Magic: Encouraging Good Behavior, Independence and Self-Esteem*
- *“I Never Get ANYTHING!” How to Keep Your Kids from Running Your Life*
- *Surviving Your Adolescents: How to Manage and Let Go of Your 13-18 Year Olds*
- *Self-Esteem Revolutions in Children: Understanding and Managing the Critical Transitions in Your Child’s Life*
- *All About Attention Deficit Disorder: Symptoms, Diagnosis and Treatment*

The 90 minutes you spend with Dr. Phelan has the potential to greatly improve the quality of your relationship with your adolescent. Phelan comments, “With some basic understanding of what makes children and teenagers tick—and a ton of patience—parenthood can provide some of life’s greatest satisfactions.”



For more information, call Pam Franzwa, Social Worker, or Dawn Hubbard, Guidance Counselor at Westfield, (630) 529-6211. Or check out Dr. Phelan’s web site:

www.parent-magic.com





Presenting two special programs at Lake Park High School about understanding your teen and helping them make good choices about their future . . .

“THE OVER-INDULGED TEEN”

- **Parents have always felt a personal, internal demand to give their children as much as they can so their children can have a better life than they did.**
- **U.S. culture exerts powerful pressure to provide consumer goods and life experiences.**
- **Parents have been convinced that if they do not do so, their children will miss out on critical experiences for future success.**

*Join nationally recognized clinical psychologist
Dr. Margaret Wehrenberg
7 p.m. March 20
East Campus Auditorium
600 S. Medinah Road*

See why over-indulging teens can lead to trouble

*Receive encouragement and support to get off the treadmill of
cultural expectations for the good of your family.*

This program is free to all parents. For more information, call 295-5221

“THE COLLEGE SEARCH FROM THE PARENTS PERSPECTIVE”

A program led by parents who have “been there, done that”

A program that focuses on helping your child with the college search

The program focuses on:

- Deciding which schools to visit
- Making the most of college visits
- Suggestions on filling out applications

**LAKE PARK HIGH SCHOOL – EAST CAMPUS
COMMUNITY ROOM
MONDAY – MARCH 12TH – 7:00 PM**

Sponsored by **Lake Park Partners in Education**





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January 25, 2007

Staff Appreciation Donations

Each spring in late April, the Board of Education sponsors a reception for all its staff. Those employees who are celebrating their 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, or 35th anniversaries with District 13 receive service awards/mementos from the Board. Additionally, all staff in attendance receive a ticket for raffle prizes/door prizes. Local businesses generously donate dinners, services and small gifts to show their support and thanks for the work done by District 13 staff.

If you would like to donate to this spring's list of staff appreciation gifts, please contact Carolyn Stein, Human Resources Assistant, at the District 13 office at 893.9590 by April 5th.

Sincerely,



Kim Perkins, Ed.D.
Superintendent

KMP/cs



**BLOOMINGDALE
SCHOOL DISTRICT 13
EDUCATION
FOUNDATION**



**IS SPONSORING A
BEER TASTING EVENT
“ERIN GO BREW”
CHARITY BENEFIT**

To raise money for the children and teachers in District 13

**THE EVENT IS BEING HELD AT
THE BLOOMINGDALE GOLF CLUB
THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 2007
FROM 6:30 – 9:00 PM**

COME SAMPLE AND LEARN ABOUT DIFFERENT BEERS

(BEERS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE)

HOT AND COLD HORS D'OEUVRES WILL BE SERVED

SOCIALIZE WITH FRIENDS

PARTICIPATE IN OUR “OVER THE RAINBOW” 50/50 RAFFLE

ALL WHILE HELPING TO RAISE MONEY

FOR THIS WORTHWHILE CHARITY

A \$50 donation per ticket is requested, and it is tax deductible.

TO PURCHASE A TICKET

**PLEASE CALL 630-894-8500 AND ASK FOR MIKE
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S.T.P. NEWS

The end of the year is actually right around the corner & the STP is looking for volunteers to chair or co-chair the following open committees. Magazine Drive (2 co-chairs needed), Scholarship (1 chairperson needed) & Teacher Appreciation (2 co-chairs needed). If you are interested in these committee's or in helping out with any of the other STP committee's, please contact Linnea at 894.1580 as soon as possible.

STP upcoming meetings...February 20th - 7:00 p.m.
March 20th - 1:30 p.m., - April 17th - 6:00 pm LPHS
LPPE meeting immediately following 7:00 p.m.
May 15th - 1:30 p.m. (last meeting of the year)
All meetings take place in the office conference room.
All parents are invited to attend.

PTO Board Positions

The current PTO Board Positions are available : Vice President and Secretary. If you would like to inquire about the above positions please contact Jane Zanghi at 630-351-2490 or Terri McNamara at 630-539-4353.

Shop Stratford For Schools

February 28th is the deadline for validating receipts for your February purchases. Double points will be awarded for any purchases made between Feb 13th-28th. Thank you for supporting this fundraiser.

Eighth Grade Graduation Dance

The Eighth Grade Dance Committee will meet on February 13th at 6:30 p.m. at Westfield School. Can't attend , don't worry, we will be meeting once a month. Look for dates in the newsletter.

**Any questions, please call
Debbie Nawrot @529-5301**

Illinois Sex Offender Posting Information

*Illinois law requires schools to inform parents of information regarding sex offenders.
That information can be found at:
www.isp.state.il.us/sor/sor.cfm.*

STUDENT

APPRECIATION DAY

Committee Chairs for this special day:
Jamie Alfano, Lori Khoury, Fina Klco

Once a year the Westfield STP Board sponsors a Student Appreciation Day. This year our event which is open to all students took place on Friday, February 9th, 2007. The event kicked off with The Wheel of Wisdom Assembly at 2:10 followed by a healthy, nut free, ice cream treat and lots and lots of prizes. Also, the winning homeroom class from the Assembly is entitled to a Pizza Party. Be sure to ask your child about this event.

ACE NEWS

Our next meeting is Thursday, February 15th at 6:30 in the District Office (by DuJardin). We invite anyone who is interested in finding out more about ACE to join us. We welcome all thoughts and suggestions for ways to help in our school. Please come join us at the meeting! If you can't make the meeting but have some ideas or questions, please call Kerrie Trebony at 630-307-9347.

Upcoming needs for volunteers: Book Fair in May. We will be calling to schedule volunteers in April, starting with volunteers who signed up on information day in August. If you didn't sign up then but would like to help, please call Kerrie Trebony.

Finally, thank you to the ACE volunteers who have helped so far this year in the school. Your contribution is greatly appreciated!



All School Dance

*February 16th
7:00—9:00 p.m.*

\$4.00
School dress code
applies to all students



SECOND QUARTER HONOR ROLL

Highest Honors - awarded chenille letter "W" (or a honor bar award if honor was repeated)

Adkoli, Anusha	Ehrhardt, Timothy	Keith, Adam	Morrison, William	Rossner, Rachel	Zanghi, Nicholas
Ahrens, Eric	Fakhouri, Chanel	Keith, Ryan	Nawrot, Christopher	Rovituso, James	Zeitoun, Adam
Alwar, Abhinaya	Favia, Cristina	Kosinski, Katherine	Neumann, Anne	Sabal, Evan	
Angelini, Donald	Fedurek, Edyta	Kwasniak, Jason	Nuccio, Naomi	Salvatore, Danielle	
Barto, Kara	Filip, Scott	Laird, Corinne	Olejniczak, Joanna	Scilingo, Michael	
Brambert, David	Flegeau, Laura	Laygo, Rauland	Olson, Ronald	Sedlacek, Jonathan	
Brambert, Lisa	Franz, Jessica	Lee, Stephanie	Pajor, Michael	Shirazi, Parisa	
Butler, James	Fuchs, Alexander	Lipi, Irini	Patel, Megan	Siciak, Amanda	
Butler, Michael	Garippo, Rachel	Lopez, Jessica	Patel, Neel	Siegle, Cameron	
Cali, Salvatore	Gebczak, Pauline	Lostumbo, Vanessa	Patel, Pujan	Sohel, Zamaan	
Caputo, Lauren	George, Sandya	Malek, Abigail	Patel, Ricky	Stark, Erika	
Castaldo, Anthony	Goto, Karen	Malyszko, Rafal	Patel, Rupal	Starodub, Sara	
Castaldo, Michael	Goto, Yuka	Mankame, Akshay	Patel, Sarah	Szabo, Kaitlyn	
Castaldo, Ronald	Hilgenberg, Ellen	Maranto, Pasquale	Patel, Shivani	Szymanowski, Nicole	
Chen, Eric	Hirsbrunner, Daniel	Marcus, Melissa	Pellegrino, Sammy	Teglia, Kevin	
Clark, Courtney	Hirsbrunner, Mark	Marcus, Nicholas	Periaswamy, Alex	Thessen, Alexander	
Clark, Drew	Hohe, Francesca	Mauro, Steven	Phelus, Jonathon	Thompson, Delaney	
Crotty, Kala	Horn, Kasey	McCown, Matthew	Pishevar, Abigail	Tobon, Sofia	
Czarny, Diana	Housour, Jon	McGinn, Cassidy	Prominski, Jessica	Turi, Michael	
D'Agostini, Julia	Iavarone, Anthony	McKeown, Brian	Pusateri, Frank	Verven, Alexandra	
DeClerk, Jordan	Imagawa, Mito	Menconi, Alyssa	Ragan, Michal	Villasuso, Adriana	
Deichstetter, Evan	Jahnke, Steffee	Menon, Vishal	Ramirez, Jennifer	Waclawik, Jennifer	
Deleon, Thomas	Jendrycki, Paige	Meyo, Jennifer	Ranallo, Dominick	Waclawik, Kathrine	
Dembo, David	Kaczmarczyk, Laura	Millikan, Samantha	Reece, Sarah	Wodniak, Christopher	
Dembo, Rachel	Kaczmarczyk, Olga	Minami, Taishi	Repetowski, Hubert	Yario, Nicholas	
Devine, Patrick	Kaniyal, Danny	Montalbano, Katie	Rivera, Jorge	Ye, Charmaine	
Dykas, Natalie	Kasjanski, Kevin	Moore, Nicole	Rivera, Joshua	Zajkowski, Alexandra	

High Honors - awarded academic achievement pin

Abraham, Seona	Floro, Jake	Hock, Dillon	Lindbert, Megan	Panoutsos, Carissa	Small, Briana
Alfano, Nina	Foresta, Alayna	Hockstein, Jordan	Lopez, Nicolette	Patel, Meera	Smith, Jeremy
Aquil, Rana	Garippo, Hannah	Hockstein, Joseph	Mahoney, Meghan	Patel, Riya	Steele, Raymond
Auriemma, Erica	Garippo, Ruth	Hohe, Abigail	Mancini, Sam	Percudani, Kimberly	Steffens, Sarah
Barranco, Allison	Gianni, Maria-Cristina	Holsinger, Hollyn	Mastrodomenico, Vincent	Pries, Morgan	Trebonsky, Elisabeth
Barto, Ali	Gillespie, Julia	Hospodka, Kelly	Mauro, Anne	Qureshi, Zain	Vincenzo, Alexis
Bergeron, Amanda	Go, Armand	Iavarone, Joseph	McAvoy, Megan	Rabino, Noel	Waszczuk, Olivia
Bland, Zachary	Gorniack, Jenna Marie	Jecmen, Danielle	McBride, Savanna	Rhebergen, Patrick	Wolf, Karilyn
Castello, Justin	Grinberg, Alexei	Johns, Taylor	Mejia, Juan	Rodbarry, Taylor	Wolf, Kristen
Catalano, Maria	Gueorguiev, Bistra	Joyaux, Matthew	Messarosh, Anton	Romani, Adriana	Zastawny, Timothy
Corsten, Mitchell	Guevara, Kristina	Jurczewski, Alexandria	Mitchell, Taylor	Ryan, Katie	
Custable, Carlina	Hejnar, Veronica	Khoury, Brandon	Morris, Katie	Schuchmann, Courtney	
Czesak, Timothy	Henry, Daniel	King, Adam	Olsen, Ryan	Schweizer, Jenna	
Dailey, Cody	Hernandez, Cristina	Lang, Sean	Pall, Mark	Shahwan, Nicolas	
DeSario, Joseph	Hochman, Sarah	Leano, Raiza Marie	Palmisano, Alyssa	Siota, Kayla	

Honors

Aiello, Anthony	DeFrancesco, Brianna	Grapentien, Daniel	Matthews, Jasmine	Perry, Marilyn	Smith, Angelica
Albright, James	Deike, Victoria	Howe, Correen	McNamara, Collin	Phillips, Melissa	Smith, Tyler
Anemone, Vincent	DelCarmen, Melissa	Jaffery, Syed	Merza, Alexander	Picchetti, Kyle	Sprengel, Savannah
Aronson, Stephanie	DeVito, Tony	Jamison, Bryan	Monaco, Daniel	Porter, Mario	Steiger, Morgan
Baasch, Marina	Dickerson, Mary	Jenisch, Amanda	Mulanthara, Melvin	Proctor, James	Tanase, Manuela
Bacharz, Thomas	Dickerson, Michael	Jenisch, Roger	Munoz, Alexandria	Raucci, Zachary	Tarman, Keli
Battaglia, Frances	DiGiuro, Nicholas	Johnson, Bailey	Necka, Christopher	Reilly, Patrick	TenBruin, Trent
Beshta, Yana	DiPiero, Mary Therese	Kernes, Joseph	Niezgoda, Katarzyna	Rempala, Mia	Tenuta, Tommaso
Bovalis, Constantine	Dowdy, Bridget	Kittelton, Samantha	Nuccio, Serena	Ricchio, Ashleigh	Timothy, Patrick
Brown, Rebecca	Dykas, Nicole	Korinek, Trevor	Nudo, Zachary	Rodriguez, Emilia	Tu, Hanh
Burgess, Tyler	English, Sarah	Kozeny, James	OHalloran, Bridget	Romito, Dominick	Turi, Joanna
Burke, Devin	Fatima, Erma	Kubica, Alec	Oldenburg, John	Rutty, Lauren	Van Wyk, Sean
Buttitia, Gabrielle	Ficarra, Richard	Kuczynski, Joanna	Olszewski, Ryan	Rzeszutko, David	Verlotta, Jon
Carusiello, Joseph	Floro, John	Kuhn, Tyler	Palandri, Tara	Salloum, Nicholas	Victores, Brian
Castello, Ryan	Flynn, Nicholas	LaFontaine, Thomas	Palmer, Nina	Santiago, Andrew	Warchol, Piotr
Caticchio, Jordan	Foley, Kelly	Lancaster, Kelly	Pannarale, Vincenzo	Schumacher, Kenneth	Wilson, Hanah
Charukiewicz, Angelica	Garippo, Rebecca	Lentine, Nicole	Passarelli, Joseph	Schweizer, Alissa	Wilson, Tyler
Coleman, Cynthia	Gerardi, Alanna	Lents, Kelly	Patel, Kenil	Shah, Luv	Zuffante, Matthew
Corbin, Colton	Gondola, Daniel	Malek, Courtney	Perez, Moises	Sharma, Tarun	
Costis, Michael	Goodwin, Kayla	Margelos, Nicholas	Periaswamy, Sarah	Skie, Eric	
Dahly, Lauren	Gorogianis, Lia	Marino, Anthony	Perry, Jack	Small, Jered	

Correction: James Proctor was awarded the "Westfield Spirit Pin" for first quarter Honors

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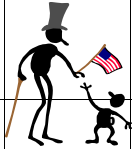
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Westfield Sports

Feb 13—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball try-outs for seventh grade girls, and seventh and eighth grade boys.
Feb 14— 3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball try-outs for seventh, & eighth boys & girls.
Feb 15—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball try-outs for seventh grade girls, practice for seventh grade boys, eighth grade boys & girls
Feb 16—3:45-5:30 pm— Volleyball practice for all
Feb 19—3:45-5:30 pm— Volleyball practice for all
Feb 20—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for all
Feb 21—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice 7th grade girls, 7th and 8th grade boys, no 8th girls practice.
Feb 22—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for all
Feb 23—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for all
Feb 26—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for girls only.
Feb 26—4 pm—Boys Volleyball at Wheaton Christian
Feb 27—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for all
Feb 28—3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for girls only
Feb 28—3:45 pm—Volleyball at home vs. West Chicago
March 1— 3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for all
March 5— 3:45-5:30 pm—Volleyball practice for all
March 6— 3:45 pm—Volleyball at Westfield vs. Medinah
March 7—3:45 pm—Volleyball at Wood Dale
March 8—3:45 pm—Volleyball at Roselle
March 9—3:45 pm—Volleyball practice for all
March 12—3:45 pm—Volleyball at Springwood
March 13—3:45 pm—Volleyball practice for all
March 14—3:45 pm—Volleyball practice for girls
March 14—4:00 pm—VB at WF vs. Wheaton Christian

7th grade plays first on Mondays and Tuesdays; 8th grade plays first on Wednesday and Thursdays. Games begin at 3:45 pm.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	Hot Lunch 7	8	Student Appreciation Day 9	10
11	12	13	Hot Lunch 14 	15	School Dance 7-9 pm 16 	17
18	NO SCHOOL 19 	20	NO HOT LUNCH 21	Chamber Music Concert 7 pm 22	23	24
25		27	Hot Lunch 28			