Village School Weekly Update

PTA News

Village Spirit Wear is for sale! Please order shirts and sweatshirts for your kids! Perfect for field trips, spirit days and so much more! https://stores.inksoft.com/village_school_shirts_2019-2020/shop/home

Box Tops - Send any Box Tops in an envelope in your child's backpack. NOTE: Please check the expiration dates. There will be a Box Tops contest in early 2020!

McCaffrey's Receipts - The Village PTA earns a one percent rebate on the amount you spend at McCaffrey's (minus milk and sushi). Just save your receipts and send them to school. NOTE: We can only use receipts within three months.

Useful links: <u>Join the PTA | PTA Website</u>

SEPTSA

SEPTSA is a districtwide PTSA supporting parents, guardians and students who
receive special education, related services and accommodations for physical,
emotional and or learning challenges.

Links: WW-P SEPTSA Facebook | WW-P SEPTSA Website | Membership Form

School News

• Check out the important upcoming dates for December and January.

- Are you signed up to receive text messages from WW-P Schools? Click HERE for
 the district's communication process and make sure your phone numbers and
 email addresses are up-to-date in Genesis. To sign up to receive additional
 messages from the townships please follow the links: Plainsboro Township/Police
 Alerts_L_West Windsor Township/Police Alerts
- Our current social-emotional life skill for the months of November and December is social-awareness.
- Slogan: I acknowledge and show respect for other people's points of view.
- Ask your child about our Question of the Week: Think about getting to know a classmate or student at your school who has different interests than you. Picture how you can make this happen, and then do it
- Here is a link to more information about social awareness for kids as well as some books to check out and read with your child.
 https://childrenslibrarylady.com/social-awareness-book-lists/

Around the District News

- The HSS Annual Holiday Craft Show is Saturday, Dec. 7, 2019, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at High School South. Admission is \$1. Parking is available at HS South with overflow parking at Maurice Hawk and a shuttle that will run attendees to and from the Craft Show throughout the day. Click here for more information on this event.
- What better way to ring in the holiday season than with a holiday concert? WW-P students and staff have been working all fall to prepare for some wonderful concerts. Click here for a list of upcoming performances.
- Adult ESL Classes Free adult evening ESL classes for parents/guardians of WW-P ESL students are being offered Monday or Tuesday evenings 6:30 - 8 p.m. starting the week of Dec. 9. <u>Click to register and for more details</u>.
- **High School South's United Charity Drive** looks to brighten the holidays of local organizations and Pirate families. All donations not sent in with students

may be dropped off in the bins at the school security desk. Monetary donations can be cash or in the form of a check made out to "WWP High School South" with "charitable giving" noted in the memo/note section. Click here for more information.

- Hands Across the Water Cookie Decorating and Bake Sale event is Dec. 14
 from 10 a.m. 2 p.m. at Grover Middle School. Profits will go to Community
 Charter School, a school for orphans in the Democratic Republic of Congo. For
 more information and to RSVP, click here.
- High School North Post Prom Committee will be holding a Bollywood Dance
 Class fundraiser event on Dec. 14, from 3 4:30 p.m. at New Jersey Athletic
 Club (NJAC). The cost is \$20 per person or \$30 per person with a coin embellished hip scarf. For more information and to register, click here.
- GMS French students invite you to the 5th Annual White Elephant Sale on Wednesday, Dec. 18, from 3 - 7 p.m. at Grover Middle School. All proceeds will go to the Elephant Sanctuary in Tennessee. Check out additional information here.
- WW-P athletes and fans can now find out about game and practice cancellations by calling our athletic hotlines.

District Updates

• <u>District Website</u> | <u>Academic Calendars</u> | <u>Event Calendar</u>

Counseling and Wellness

• Check out the 2020 dates for our upcoming <u>Parent University Events</u> or review the previous presentations.

Community Education

• <u>Winter After-School Enrichment is open for registration</u>. Registration closes Tuesday, Jan. 7, 2020.

- Extended Day Program registration is ongoing throughout the school year. <u>Sign</u> <u>up by clicking here.</u>
- Upcoming SAT Programs Community Education sponsored classes through <u>Kaplan</u>, <u>Princeton Review</u>, and <u>Lentz & Lentz</u> are offered throughout the school year at High School North and South.

Community Events

 Are you looking for programs, clubs and things to do around WW-P? Check out the <u>community event section</u> on the district's website!

Food Services

• Download the <u>Sodexo's So Happy app</u> to view nutritional information, allergens, menus and more.

WW-P Education Foundation

- The Foundation is accepting requests through Dec. 15, for the <u>STAR Campaign</u>.
 Give a STAR to honor your child's teacher, guidance counselor, principal or staff member who makes a difference in their lives. Your donation helps fund grants that enrich your child's education.
- The Foundation will hold its <u>Holiday Fair</u> for grades pre-K-5 on Dec. 7 in the Village School Cafeteria from 10 a.m. 2 p.m.

WW-P Board of Education

• Check out the upcoming <u>Board of Education Meeting</u> dates. Agenda and materials for Board meetings are published after 3:30 p.m. the Friday prior to the meeting.

Make sure to follow the district on WW-P's official social media pages.

<u>Twitter | Facebook | Instagram | LinkedIn | Youtube</u>