

## Wednesday Warrior

October 31, 2018



### **Post-Secondary & Scholarship Information Night – Thursday Nov 1<sup>st</sup>**

As a reminder to the email sent this morning, there will be a post-secondary and scholarship information night held at Henry Wise Wood High School in **room 108 on November 1<sup>st</sup> from 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm.**

We would like to thank all of our Veterans who participated in our **Veterans Tea**. A special appreciation goes to all staff and students who helped set up this wonderful event, with a special acknowledgment for Ms. Teleky for her leadership coordinating this learning opportunity.

**Mid-term report cards** will be ready **Monday, November 5**. This is a reminder that there will be no printed Report Cards for the mid-term marks. Parents and students are asked to check their [PowerSchool/MyCBE](#) account for the most up to date marks. We also encourage students and parents to connect with teachers for questions and for a plan of action and support. This is only the mid-way point through the semester and there are many opportunities for improvement.

Have a great week,

Michelle Howell  
Principal

### **Important Dates:**

*Thursday, Nov. 1 Post Secondary and Scholarship Information Evening*

*Thursday, Nov 1 IB Information Evening*

*Monday, Nov 12 School Council Meeting*

### **School Updates:**

#### ***GRAD 2019***

Are you in grade 12 and interested in getting involved in Grad 2019? The Graduation Committee is looking for responsible, dedicated, hardworking students who would like to be part of this special event. Application forms are available by the door of room 206 and must be submitted by October 26, 2018. See Ms. Belliveau (room 115) or Ms. Jones (room 206) for further information.

#### ***Exams***

Reminder that all International students and students rewriting exams must pay for exams on [myPass](#) and submit receipts to the Main Office. Without providing this receipt, students will not be able to write exams in January. This is an Alberta Education regulation.

#### ***HWW Model UN***

The Henry Wise Wood Model UN is gearing up for the University of Calgary High School MUN conference in February. If you are interested in building your speaking skills, social networking, research, and debate, please speak with Ms. Young or Mr. Garen, or join us for our weekly meeting at lunch in room 218.

## ***Fee Payments***

All fees are now due. Please log in to your [PowerSchool/MyCBE](#) account as fees cannot be paid from the PowerSchool App. If you have any questions about fees or need to make a payment arrangement please contact the Business Office at (403) 253-2261, ext. 2421

## **Dreamcatcher Space:**

November is "TUTAKA GUTISHI CH'AT'AA" in Tsuut'ina, and is described as "the month when the water starts to freeze at the edge of the creeks, rivers, and lakes." Here are some important dates for Indigenous Learning this month:

Nov 1 – "Why We Remember: Aboriginal Veterans" with Karen Storwick from Military Museum

Nov 5 – Brave Dogs Clan (HON) program remembering "Cree Code Talkers"

Nov 8 – Indigenous Veterans Day

Nov 9 – HWW Remembrance Day Assembly featuring performance of a Veterans Honour Song by Louie Starlight

Nov 27 – Brave Dogs Clan (HON) program Sweat Lodge for Level 2

## **Athletics:**

### ***Boys Rugby***

REMINDER for male student-athletes: If you are interested in finding out more about Boys Rugby at Wise Wood, please attend a very important "Boys Rugby Rookie Meeting" on Tuesday, November 6<sup>th</sup> in Room 120 at Wise Time. Program description will be given, questions will be answered, and uniform sizing will be measured for those who sign up to play. Boys of all grade levels are invited to play rugby for the first time (no experience needed), but we especially need grade 10s to step up and play!!!

### ***Wrestling***

Anyone interested in registering for wrestling, please e-mail or see Ms. Cheney in the PE office.

[kacheney@cbe.ab.ca](mailto:kacheney@cbe.ab.ca).

## **Creative Arts:**

### ***Music Notes***

***Camp Caroline*** - Forms are due Thursday, November 1, 2018.

***HWWMPs*** - A reminder that the Music Parents resource fund is due by November 2 for the discount.

### ***Fundraising News***

Poinsettia and Purdy's Chocolate fundraisers have begun and are available in the music room.

### ***Uniforms***

Performers need to have uniform (Wing Tipped Tuxedo shirt for band students and Black pants/skirt/socks and shoes) (***Black shirt/pants/skirt/socks and shoes for choir students***)

### ***Art Studio Updates***

Artists are needed every Monday, Wednesday and Friday after school to help design and paint sets for the upcoming musical. No experience needed!

The Art Studio runs monthly Drawing Challenges! Complete the challenges by the end of the month and bring your drawings to the art studio to claim your prize!

Interested in performing Live Art at various HWW events? The first opportunity is the upcoming Remembrance Day Ceremony!

The Annual ACAD Show Off is a juried art show open to all High School students! Submissions are due by December 31st.

See Ms. Tuttle in the art studio for more information on any of the above activities!

### **Clubs:**

***Interact Club*** - The Interact Club is throwing a Benefit Concert for the Canadian Mental Health Association, and we need performers! Auditions will be held November 26, 27 and 29, and successful candidates will get the opportunity to perform in HWW's first ever benefit concert. Please see Mr. Foisy in room 124 if you would like to share your talents with the school!

***Agents for Change Student Group*** - On October 22, over 60 students and staff participated in HWW's first "Walk A Mile In Her Shoes" to raise awareness for the need for women's shelters to address domestic situations. Proceeds were used to create fun Halloween loot bags for kids who will be in the shelter over the holiday. **A special thanks to Dr. Sean Pederson for his generous donation of toothbrushes, floss and toys for these bags.**

***Stephen's Backpack*** - Starting the first week of November, Agents for Change will begin accepting items to fill backpacks for Calgary kids in need. HWW has been the **top high school in Calgary for two years running!** Students can donate individual items or fill a whole backpack on their own. Classes will also compete to win a pizza party for filling the most backpacks. See your teacher or Ms. Bamford in Room 122 to pick up an empty backpack, or for more information. Deadline is December 10.

***Staff Versus Student Handball Games*** - Form a team of 7, or sign-up individually and we'll put you on a team. \$2/player, sign up in Room 122. All proceeds will be used to purchase items for Stephen's Backpack. Spectators are welcome to come and cheer on the students...or staff! Games will be held Monday, Nov. 12 and Tuesday, Nov. 13 at Lunch.

***Free GIANT Game of Simon Says*** - Come to the Main Gym on Monday, November 26 to play a giant game of Simon Says. Students of all grades and HWW staff will faceoff to be the last one standing! Grand prize is \$20 gift card at Five Guys. Agents for Change focuses on improving the lives of Calgarians and what better place to focus on than HWW! Enjoy some friendly competition and stress release.

### **International Baccalaureate:**

#### ***Grade 10 Pre IB Math Student Meeting***

There will be a mini-assembly on **Thursday, November 1** during **WISETIME** in the Learning Commons Courtyard. All grade 10 Math 10 Pre IB students are required to attend.

### **Student Services:**

#### ***UPCOMING UNIVERSITY VISITS***

Queen's University                      Nov 1 at lunch in Room 108  
Alberta Post Secondary Fair - Nov 8, 7-8:30pm, Courtyard  
University of Victoria - Nov 15, Lunch, Room 108

#### ***Post Secondary Events:***

St Mary's University Open House: Saturday, Nov 3, 10:00am-2:00pm  
University of New Brunswick, Information Session for Future Students: Nov 7, 7:00 pm, Delta Calgary South. RSVP at <https://www.unb.ca/admissions/recruitment-events/index.html>

## **UPCOMING POST SECONDARY OPEN HOUSES**

**Mount Royal University: Saturday Oct 27 9:30 am-3:30 pm**

- Information can be found at:

<https://www.mtroyal.ca/Admission/OpenHouse/>

**UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO** *Information session:*

Saturday, October 27, 2018 @ 11:00-12:30 pm

Winsport - Meeting Room 1, Markin Macphail Center, 149 Canada Olympic Rd SW

Register at: [www.uwaterloo.ca/future/Calgary](http://www.uwaterloo.ca/future/Calgary)

**For more information please go to our School Website or download our HWW App**