

Wednesday Warrior

September 5, 2018



Important Dates:

Thursday, Sept 13: Meet the Teacher 6:30-8:00pm

Monday, Sept. 17: School Council Meeting 6:30-8:30pm

Thursday, Sept 20: Terry Fox Run

Friday, Sept 21: Non-Instructional Day

School Updates:

Refundable Security Deposit Cheques

If you did not pick up your cheque in June please pick it up before school, after school, or at lunch time. Please have your ID available to show in the Business Office to pick up your cheque.

School Fees

Course fees will be added to your online account the first week of October. We will send a message when fees are available to be paid online through your PowerSchool/MyCBE Account.

Forms, Forms, Forms

Parents please sign and make corrections to the Demographic Verification Sheets, sign the Consent to Post and Athletic Tryouts and return all forms back to school. Please return forms by **Friday, September 14, 2018 during homeroom.**

Grad Video

Interested in helping out with our annual Grad Video? We need camera operators, editors and directors! Come see Ms. Renyk in room 134 for more information.

Clubs:

STEM (STEM = Science Technology Engineering Mathematics)

Interested in being on the STEM CLUB steering committee? We plan and put on STEM events for students at HWW. Some of our events include a science decathlon, guest speakers and science challenges for the students at HWW. If you are interested come and see Mr. McMechan in room 210 before school, Wise Time or at Lunch.

Arts Outreach

Do you like art and getting creative? Do you like making a difference locally and globally? A new club is in the works, Arts Outreach! Stayed tuned for more information on how to get involved or see Ms. Tuttle in the art studio for more details.

GSA Club Meetings

Gay Straight Alliance will meet every Monday in Room 218. All interested students are welcome! Our first meeting will be Monday, September 10 at NOON in Room 218.

IB Club

The IB Club is now in its second year at HWW. The IB Club was created to allow IB students (both IB Diploma and IB Course Students) the opportunity to meet weekly and discuss IB related items and interact with other IB students. Mr. Garen, the IB Coordinator, is the IB Club supervisor this year. All IB students who are interested and bring their lunches each Thursday at Noon to Room 218. It is an excellent chance to meet new students and network within the IB community at Henry Wise Wood High School. Our first meeting will be Thursday, September 13 in Room 218.

IB TOK/CAS Students – Grade 11

IB Diploma Students in Grade 11 need to ensure they are also registered for IB TOK/CAS class – Theory of Knowledge/Creativity, Activity and Service. This is a mandatory class for all grade 11 IB Diploma students. If you are not registered for this class or unsure if you are registered, please see Mr. Garen during Wise Time in Room 218. The Grade 11 TOK/CAS class runs Fridays after school from 2:15 pm – 3:30 pm each week in the Learning Commons Conference Room. The first class, with Mr. Garen, will be on Friday, September 14 after at 2:15 PM in the Learning Commons Conference Room.

Creative Arts:

Art Studio Updates

All artwork from last year art students must be picked up from the art studio by the end of the week!

Drama Auditions

This semester the Henry Wise Wood Theatre Arts Department is putting on “The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee” from December 11th – 14th. The following is a brief synopsis of the show:

Auditions will begin on **September 12th** with call backs being the week of **September 17th**. Please prepare 16 bars (a verse and a chorus) of a song you love to sing and a 1-minute comedic monologue (preferably memorized).

Sign-up sheets will be posted outside of the Drama Room along with Character Descriptions.

If you are looking for more information about the show there will be two lunchtime information sessions with Mr. McDonald on **Thursday September 6th** and **Monday September 10th** in the Drama Room (room 138).

Student Services:

Need timetable changes?

If you require a change in your timetable, please make an appointment to see your guidance counsellor as soon as possible. All changes must be done **no later than Friday, September 14th**.

CBE e-learn online

Registration for the fall session of online courses through CBE e-learn **will close on Monday September 17, 2018**. Counsellors are extremely booked up to accommodate timetable requests; therefore we are asking that all students who want to sign up for courses online to come to Student Services to fill out a course request form. Counsellors will attend to these course requests forms as they are handed in to Ms. Boehr (Student Services Administrative Assistant).

Registration for the Dream Catcher session of online courses **will begin on September 18, 2018**.

Scholarships Sept/Oct monthly postings now available on the henrywisewood.com website/Students or Parents/Scholarships. Please also read through the scholarship handbook for important tips/tricks/websites to begin exploring. There will be a Fall scholarship meeting at the end of Sept – stay tuned to announcements and the website for details.

School Nurse

Hello everyone! My name is Laura and I am the school nurse for Henry Wise Wood. Part of my role is to work with students to help promote and improve the overall health of the school community. You do not need an appointment. I will be located in room #127 on Tuesday mornings starting September 11 from 8:45am to noon. I will not be available on September 25th, but will resume my regular office hours the following Tuesday. Looking forward to a healthy school year!

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