

## **DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR APRIL 14, 2025**

*This Wisconsin Public School Observance Day recognizes the American's Creed, written in 1917 by William Tyler Page, a messenger in the U.S. House of Representatives. His essay was judged the "best summary of American political faith" in a national contest.*

*I believe in the United States of America as a Government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic, a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.*

*I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its Flag; and to defend it against all enemies.*

— Written by  
William Tyler Page

### **Prom**

- You have until this Thursday, April 17, to buy your Prom ticket. That is the absolute final deadline.
- There are parents who have done what they need to do in Infinite Campus, but students, make sure you have gone into your Infinite Campus Documents Need Attention to review the materials and complete the process. You are not registered to go to Prom until that is done, and you only have until April 17.
- If your Prom guest form was approved, that fee was added into your regular Infinite Campus fees and needs to be paid no later than April 17.
- Infinite Campus is open for you to buy your Prom ticket. Remember that all student fees – including lunch fees – need to be paid for Prom to show up in Infinite Campus. Your parent has to first go into his or her Infinite Campus to review the materials, give permission and buy your ticket.

There are no exceptions to these deadlines.

Go [here](#) for Prom FAQs

**Boys Tennis** picture make-up day is today at 2:30pm in the multipurpose room.

**Congratulations to Forensics** where each person won Silvers and Golds at State! All State competitors do one round for one judge and are awarded a score out of 25 (5 sub-categories, each worth 5 points). A Gold, or Critic's Choice, is awarded for a perfect 25, and a Silver for a 23 or 24. See how each student finished (Sarah Freek, Norah Hooper and Mila Petricevic competed in two categories rather than just one).

Andris Carr — Silver (23)

Sarah Freek — Silver (23)

Norah Hooper — Silver (24, 23)

Jacob Fedikovich and Mae Kobza — Silver (24)

Dakota Bishop Wocelka, Kelly Casey, Sarah Freek, Sarah Wise — Gold (25)  
Valerie Borysenko — Gold (25)  
Mila Petricevic — Gold (25, 25)  
Paisley Tonkinson — Gold (25)

**Congratulations to the Whitnall Varsity golf team** on winning the Meadowbrook Country Club tournament. The team was led by Evan Pluer, Max Palmtag, Beau Pokorny, and Riley Beyer. Great job, boys!

**National Honor Society Students are available for tutoring during Falcon Time.** Scan the QR code on posters around school to make an appointment with a student who can help you with a specific subject. You will then need to sign up for Mr. Gleeson's Falcon Time on that day.

**For those students who ordered their high honors award earlier this year,** please stop in the main office to pick yours up.

**First Annual Whitnall Shooting Stars Blue and Gold Basketball Game** - Get ready for a night of heartwarming competition and community spirit at the **First Annual Whitnall Shooting Stars Blue and Gold Basketball Game on April 24th!** This special event features an exciting match-up between Whitnall High School's Life Skills Program students and varsity basketball players. The National Anthem kicks things off at **6:15pm** with tip-off at **6:30pm**.

Expect thrilling basketball action, a surprise halftime show, a fun raffle with amazing prizes, and delicious concessions to keep you fueled throughout the evening. Best of all, **admission is free!** Come cheer on these incredible athletes, support a great cause, and be part of something truly memorable. Don't miss it—mark your calendars for April 24th, and let's fill the stands with Blue and Gold pride!

If you are interested in playing in the game to help make this a great night for the Life Skills Students, then please email Mr. Mills or stop by his room 223. He needs about eight students to sign up to play with his class in this really fun game.

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**College Visits** - College representatives come here periodically. Sign up in the Counseling Office by noon the day before if you're interested in attending.

- Mondays, MATC, 10:00am-12:00pm

**Math Tutoring** - Check out Math Tutoring with Mr. Rojas after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00-4:00pm in room 245. Students from all math classes and levels are welcome.

**Children's Art Day** - If you know someone who might like the National Art Honor Society's Children's Art Day on April 26, see the daily announcements for details. Children of all ages can join the fun of art making with the talented Whitnall High School NAHS students. Go here for the details and to sign up.

## **Club/Activities**

REDgen meets today (April 14) and every other Monday from 2:50-3:45pm in room 248. Planned future meetings are May 5 and May 19.

DECA will have a general member meeting this Wednesday, April 16, in Ms. Becker's room 151 at 7:10am. Officer applications will be available, and you will talk about end of the year events. As always, there will be donuts.

Science Club next meets April 22 and meets every other Tuesday after school from 3:00-4:00pm in room 256.

**Want a snack in the afternoon? Stop at the Snack Bite table at about 12:30 and after 7th hour and get something for only \$1.00.** The students sell these outside The Cafe on the upper level.

**Military and National Guard Visits** - Representatives plan to be here on:

- Air Force/ROTC - April 22, May 5, June 4
- Army - April 16, May 21
- Army National Guard - April 14, May 12, June 9
- Marines - April 22, May 13, May 27, June 10
- Navy - May 5, June 2

Stop by their table to find out more and get your questions answered.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

**Check for Scholarships** - Students, remember to check Xello for a listing of scholarships. New ones are added periodically.

**Health Room Process** - If you are not feeling well, you first need to be excused from class and get a pass from your teacher to go to the Health Room. If that staff member feels you need to go home, your parent/guardian will be contacted. Do not just contact someone to come pick you up. If you are leaving the building, you need to check out at the main office window with Mrs. Beyer.

**Help Desk** - The Help Desk is located on the lower level in room 150. It is open for technology assistance on school days, 7:30am-3:00pm, or fill out a Help Desk ticket [here](#). A hall pass is REQUIRED when visiting during class time.

**Return Daily Chromebook Loaners** - Students who have borrowed a chromebook from the Help Desk need to return it at the end of the school day. These are daily loaners to be used for one day. Fees will be added in Infinite Campus for those not returned.

**No Chromebook chargers loaned out** - Make sure your Chromebook is charged every day. The Whitnall Helpdesk does not loan out chargers of any kind. If you need your laptop charged, bring it to room 150, and they will provide you a fully charged device while your own device charges. The Help Desk will not charge your personal electronics. Charge swaps and daily loaners are limited to three uses per month, repairs notwithstanding.

**The Charlie B's** school store is open during A and B lunch hours. Come grab a snack, drink or some spirit wear! Charlie B's is located behind the cafeteria.

**Parking Pass** - If you are driving to school, you must have a WHS parking pass on your vehicle. Both student fees and the parking fee must be paid before you get a pass. Stop in the main office to get yours. Do not park in designated district or visitor spots or you will be ticketed.

**Breakfast is Available** - Just a reminder that breakfast is available at the high school starting at 7:00am. A la carte items are also available for purchase. We would love to have you join us!

**Lost and Found** - Check the lost and found table outside the office for things you might be missing.

**All Students** -

- **Do not open or prop doors** to the outside of our building. All students need to enter in through Door #1.
- If you have to leave the building during the school day, **you may only exit the building through Door #1**. Please sign out with Ms. Beyer as you are leaving.
- Remember to bring everything you need to school in the morning since you will need an escort to go back out to your vehicle, and someone is not always available.
- All food deliveries must be dropped off by a **parent or guardian** at Door #1 which is the main entrance. If you are picking up your food, please go to the main office.

**All Students** - You need to scan your ID if you are coming in late or leaving early. This includes seniors with open campus so make sure you have your ID ready when you are at the window. If you lost your ID, there is a \$5.00 replacement fee. See Ms. Kolberg in the office if you need an ID.

**Regarding Falcon Time**, teachers or administration might assign you to a class. If you don't sign up for a Falcon Time with one of your teachers, you will be assigned. You may be assigned to a silent study hall or "general study" that is not one of your classroom teachers. You need to go to the Falcon Time on your schedule that day or you will be marked absent. All same day Falcon Time change requests must go through the teacher. If you signed up for a Falcon Time yourself, you can change that up until the day before.

**Elevator** - Only students who have been injured and issued an elevator fob along with one other person to assist them in carrying items, if needed, should be using the elevator in the Science wing. No other students should be accessing this area on the lower level.

**Meal Account** - When having breakfast and/or lunch at Whitnall High School, you will need your ID. Families can put money in their meal account through Infinite Campus or put cash or a check, made payable to Whitnall School District, in the lock box in the cafeteria or outside the district office. Make sure you have the student's first and last name and grade included.