

## **DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR APRIL 8, 2024**

*Prisoner of War Remembrance Day commemorates the date during World War II when the largest number of Americans were captured in the Conquest of Bataan. Customarily observed through gubernatorial proclamation, the day recognizes those who suffered captivity in foreign countries while in active service with the U.S. armed forces.*

**On Tuesday, April 9, there will be no student parking outside door #5 in the morning.**

**Prom** - There are Prom FAQs [here](#).

Completed Prom Guest forms are due this Wednesday, April 10. No exceptions! If you already turned one in and it's been approved, the fee for the guest has been added into your Infinite Campus account. This fee needs to be paid by April 16.

When you are registering for Prom remember that your parent needs to go into their Infinite Campus first to complete the process and pay for the ticket. After that is done, you will receive a notice in your Infinite Campus to go in to review and sign the document. Registration is not complete until all of this is done. Prom ticket sales are now on sale in Infinite Campus through April 16. There are no exceptions to this deadline

All student fees need to be paid before you can purchase a ticket so if that has not been worked out, you will not see the Prom info in Infinite Campus to register.

**The library will be closed this Wednesday (April 10) through 4th hour.**

**Wonka Bars for Sale** - Whitnall Theatre Department's show of Willy Wonka cast members are selling Wonka Bars in the cafeteria during B lunch, cash only, beginning today through April – while supplies last! Each chocolate bar has the chance to contain a Golden Ticket, which entitles you to two free tickets to the show! One bar is \$2, and two bars are \$3.00.

**College Visits** - Representatives from universities periodically come to Whitnall. You need to sign up in the Counseling Office by noon the day before the visit if you want to attend.

- MATC, Mondays, 10:00am-12:00pm
- University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Friday, April 19, 2nd hour

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

**Clubs/Activities**

Geology Club will meet on April 17, May 1, May 15 and May 29, after school in room 256.

The Red Cross Club meets tomorrow morning at 7:00am in room 273 and every Thursday. Thank you to all that donated blood and helped save lives!

The Way, a Christian club, will meet on Fridays, April 12 and April 26, from 7:00-7:30am in room 110 (the computer lab downstairs).

**In December, REDgen organized a Teen Mental Health First Aid training** which gave the participants the resources to support anyone who may be going through a mental health crisis, or who may simply want support with their mental health. If you see a red ribbon tied to someone's backpack, know they have completed this training, and are there to support whatever you may be going through. These could be struggles internally, such as stress or anxiety, or externally, such as friendships or substance misuse; whatever support you need, we're here for you! These conversations will be completely confidential, unless you believe you would hurt yourself or someone else, then we'll help you find a trusted adult. *See a red ribbon, know we're here to listen!*

**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.

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

**Military Visits** - Representatives will be in the cafeteria during lunch periodically. Stop by their table to find out more and get your questions answered.

- Air Force - April 24
- Army National Guard - April 16, May 5, May 21, June 4
- Marines - April 9, April 23, May 14, May 28
- Navy - May 6, June 3

**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.

**Regarding Falcon Time**, teachers or administration might assign you to a class. If you don't sign up for a Falcon Time, 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.

**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.

**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.

**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.

**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.

**Activities Registration Required** - If you are participating in a Whitnall High School activity or club, you need to register in Infinite Campus. Although there might not be a fee associated with a particular activity, all participating students – and parents – need to review and sign the Whitnall code of conduct which is part of the registration process.