DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR OCTOBER 2, 2023

Congratulations to Girls Volleyball as they are Woodland Conference East Champions!

Clubs/Activities

<u>Spanish Club</u> - Are you looking to learn more about Hispanic culture and the Spanish language? Spanish Club has its first informational meeting TODAY (October 2) right after school in room 212. Spanish Club is open to all WHS students.

<u>Geology Club</u> - Want to find out about Geology Club? Attend the informational meeting tomorrow (October 3) right after school in Ms. Sternards room 256.

<u>Trap Shooting</u> - Find out what trap shooting is all about at this Co-op club's "Bring a Friend to Trap Shooting Day" this Saturday, October 7, at 9:00am at Boxhorn Gun Club in Muskego. Go <u>here</u> for details.

<u>College Visits</u> - 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, Tuesday, October 3, 4th hour

<u>Bake Sale</u> - The Red Cross Club will have a bake sale thisTuesday and Wednesday, October 3 and 4, (if we don't sell out on Tuesday). We will be selling before school and during all lunches upstairs near the island restrooms. Everything is \$1.00 or buy five and get one free. Please enjoy some tasty treats and support a good cause!

Homecoming

<u>Pep Rally Games</u> - Today is the last day to complete the google form you were sent if you want to participate in the pep rally games. This year's games are sports relay, musical chairs, tug of war, and dodgeball. Those that sign up also must attend Mr. Van Grinsven's mandatory Falcon Time this Wednesday, October 4. This Falcon Time will be from 12:35-1:00 so freshmen will need to go to "B" lunch that day.

<u>Homecoming Court</u> - If you were sent an email regarding homecoming nominations, you need to either accept or deny the request by 3:00pm TODAY (October 2). Both you and your partner have to accept the nomination. If it is turned in any later, or if you do not accept the nomination, you will be removed from the ballot, so please respond to the email.

Homecoming t-shirts are on sale during lunch through Thursday, October 5, for \$15.

<u>Snack Drive</u> - As part of homecoming next week, Student Council is running a snack drive. Please bring in individually packaged granola bars, pretzels, or other non-perishable snacks to donate in your 2nd hour class. Double points will be awarded for Gluten Free or Nut Free items. The winning class will receive a celebratory breakfast!

Spirit Days - Get in the spirit of homecoming week and dress up!

- Tuesday Barbie
- Wednesday Class Color
 - o 9th Red
 - o 10th Blue
 - o 11th Green
 - o 12th Orange
 - o Staff Black
- Thursday Soccer Mom vs. BBQ Dad
- Friday Whitnall Wear

Lunch Games:

- Monday Mummy Wrap
- Tuesday Worm in Whip Cream
- Wednesday Egg Toss
- Thursday Limbo
- Friday What's in the Box

<u>Winter Sports Registration is Open</u> - If you want to participate in a winter sports – that's basketball, wrestling, boys swim and dive, girls gymnastics or boys and girls hockey – winter sports registration is open on Infinite Campus. You will need to complete registration including a valid physical before the first practice date to be able to participate.

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<u>Seniors</u> - The deadline to submit your photo for the yearbook is November 1. If it's already been taken, get that in now. Instructions were emailed to you and your parent.

<u>Activities Registration is Open</u> - 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.

<u>2022-23 Yearbook Supplement</u> - For those who bought <u>last year's</u> yearbook, the spring supplement is available in the office. Stop by to pick yours up.

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

- Army National Guard October 3, October 17
- Marines October 10, October 24

Want a snack in the afternoon? Stop at the Snack Bite table from about 1:00-2:00pm and get something for only \$1.00. The students sell these outside The Cafe on the upper level.

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.

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

Lost and Found - Check the lost and found cabinet in the main entrance for things you might be missing.

<u>Health Room Process</u> - If you are not feeling well, you first need to be excused from class 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.

<u>Help Desk</u> - 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 <u>here</u>. 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.

<u>All Students</u> - 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.

<u>Photo Orders</u> - Any parents who didn't pre-order a photo package prior to picture day will receive an email within two weeks after the photo was taken to visit <u>mylifetouch.com</u> to see the image and order a package if they wish. (A student ID number may be required.) If you have any questions or cannot find your images, please contact Lifetouch at my.lifetouch.com.

<u>Meal Account</u> - 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.