

THE WILDCAT WEEKLY

A Note from Dr. G

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Superintendent's Corner

After an historic run, the Westlake Girls Varsity Basketball team's season came to an end in the Sectional Final. There was reason for celebration this week, however, as we learned of honors bestowed on the team – Allie Castellone – All Section, All League, Brooke Pfeiffer – All Conference, All League, ToniAnn Mastracchio – All League, Sami Oswald – All League, and Sean Mayer – Conference 3 League A Coach of The Year. PLUS – 100% of our Winter Teams were named Scholar Athlete Teams by NYS PHSAA with 75% of the players achieving a GPA of 3.5 (90) and above! Congratulations!

Our youngest Wildcats were practicing for future athletic endeavors this week at Hawthorne as the Physical Education Team began their annual unit on Circus Arts. A vital part of the school day, physical education provides so many benefits. Principal Anne Stern said, "Through the circus arts unit, students practice balance, eye-hand coordination, making transitions, and taking turns." Plus the climbing wall is back!

Noticing the Good

We know our students are thriving in classrooms, on the stage, and in athletic competitions, but they are also making a difference in the greater Mount Pleasant community!

WHS Service Club partnered with the NY Blood Center to host a Blood Drive. Club advisor Nick DiPaolo reported that it drew 55 students, faculty, and community member donors. "We wanted to help address the national blood supply shortage and I am proud that we exceeded our goal!" Thanks to everyone who participated including Gavin Blide and Veronica Rubio, WHS Service Club Members and WHS Math Teacher and donor Brian McClintock.

The WHS Tech Crew hosted 15 community members in the Westlake Library today. Guests brought their devices and questions and were matched up with a team member for teaching and troubleshooting. Thank you advisor Mary Knopp for coordinating!



WHS Players present

The Addams Family

March 17, 18, 19, 24, 25

Tickets on sale NOW

<https://www.showtix4u.com/event-details/71923>



The Week Ahead

3/13 Varsity/JV Spring Sports Start; WHS PTA Meeting 7:30 pm

3/14 Elem PTA Meeting 7:30 pm

3/15 Social Students Honor Society Induction 2:30 pm; BOE Meeting 8 pm

3/16 1/2 Day for Students; Spring Institute for Staff

3/17 WHS Musical – Opening Night!



In Awe of the Paw –Athletic Trainer

The Westchester County School Music Association's prestigious All County Festival was held last weekend at White Plains High School. Westlake was represented by both high school and middle school students! Congratulations, Wildcats!

