

WEST CANADA VALLEY HIGHLIGHTS



WEST CANADA VALLEY CLASS OF 2020 GRADUATION CEREMONY

Graduation will be held on Saturday, June 27th. Due to remaining unknowns, the district has two plans for Commencement.

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WEST CANADA STUDENTS INDUCTED INTO NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETIES

Please join us in celebrating our students that have been inducted into the National Honor Society, National Technical Honor Society, and National Junior Honor Society!

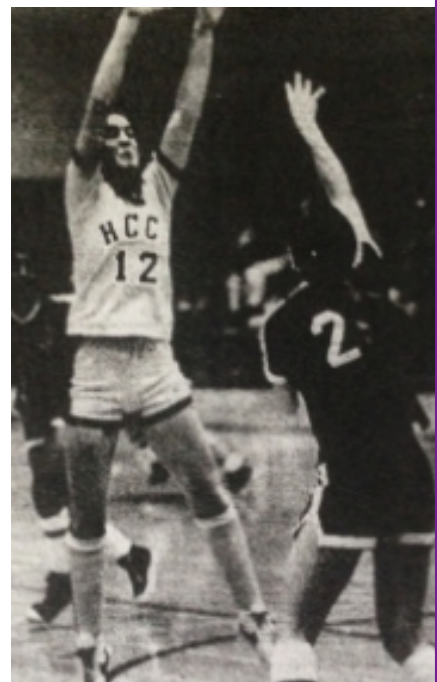
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NATHANIEL LOWELL

VALEDICTORIAN

The West Canada Valley Class of 2020 Valedictorian is Nathaniel Lowell, son of James and Melissa Lowell. Nathaniel is graduating with Honors and with Mastery in Science and Math. He is a member of the National Honor Society and is Senior Class President. Throughout high school, Nathaniel has actively participated in a number of WCV activities, including Cross Country and Track, Student Council (both as President and as Vice-President), Ski Club, and International Club. He was also named to the HCMEA All County Chorus. In his Sophomore year, Nathaniel was selected as the WCV representative for the Hugh O'Brien Youth (HOBY) Leadership Conference, and in his Junior year was the recipient of the RIT Computing Medal Award and the Clarkson Achievement Award. This fall, Nathaniel will attend Skidmore College majoring in Political Science and Government.

OLIVIA CARNEY

SALUTATORIAN

The WCV Class of 2020 Salutatorian is Olivia Carney, daughter of Eric Carney and Michelle Nichols. Olivia is graduating with Mastery in Science. She serves as Vice President of National Honor Society, and has been an integral part of making the inaugural year of the West Canada Valley FFA Chapter a huge success through her leadership as Vice President. Olivia has been a valuable member of WCV's varsity soccer and basketball teams throughout high school, and is a member of Girls Athletic Association. During her junior year, Olivia completed a 6 month veterinary internship through the Regional Program for Excellence. Also during her junior year, Olivia was the recipient of the Le Moyne College Heights Award, and the Rensselaer Medal Award for Outstanding Math and Science Students. This fall, Olivia will attend SUNY Delhi majoring in Veterinary Science Technology.





FROM THE DESK OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

MR. DJ SHEPARDSON



I hope everyone is continuing to be safe and healthy. We are approaching the conclusion of one of the most challenging school years in our history. From the tragic flooding disaster locally to the pandemic that required a statewide closure in March, this community has been forced to adapt to situations that are certainly uncharted territory.

The Class of 2020 will graduate in June and become the first class that has completed their schooling both in-person and through remote instruction. We certainly all recognize what has been lost during this tragic time most importantly the loss of lives due to the pandemic. With that said, I am so proud of the way that this community including members of the senior class have handled this crisis. Although the short term losses both small and large have been very sad, I am confident that this senior class will learn from this tragic event and go on to do great things in the years ahead. In the short term, please know the district will do everything we can to honor our graduates as they move on to the next exciting phase of their lives. Thank you to all of the parents/guardians for supporting your children and the school district throughout their time here. Graduation plans are still on hold as we continue to plan for the best. The district will continue to maintain communication lines throughout this process.

Once again, I would like to thank members of the community for supporting the students of this district throughout 2019-2020 school year. This year has been a great challenge and we could not have made it through without the support and understanding of the entire educational community.

Congratulations to the Class of 2020. All of you have represented yourselves and the district in a positive manner. On behalf of the district, we wish you nothing but the best in your future endeavors.

As always, preparations are underway for the upcoming school year. The reopening of our district will take a great deal of planning to ensure that we are providing a safe instructional/learning environment for staff and students. Staff will be working diligently on curriculum and instruction this summer in order to prepare for the 2020-2021 school year. We look forward to welcoming all of our students back in September including the Class of 2021!!!

Once again thank you for your support. Stay safe/healthy and enjoy the summer months!

CLASS OF 2020 NEWS

ACCEPTANCES

- Garrett Amendolare: VP-TECH, Herkimer College
- Trey Arsenault: Herkimer College
- Jacob Borden: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Mackenzie Bray: LeMoyne College, St. John Fisher College
- Jordan Brelinsky: Herkimer College
- Tanner Brennan: United States Navy
- Portia Camardello: Paul Smith's College
- Caeli Campbell: New Jersey Institute of Technology, Clarkson University, SUNY Fredonia, Stony Brook University
- Olivia Carney: SUNY Delhi
- Alexis Clark: SUNY Cobleskill
- Madelyn Conover: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Sarah Costello: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Clayton Davis: SUNY Oneonta
- Toby DesJardins: United States Navy
- Casey Dibble: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Sarah Esty: Hartwick College
- Kurt Florian: United States Marines
- Kyleigh Gage: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Mckenzie Horan: Herkimer College
- Sophia Jacquays: University of Colorado at Boulder
- Caitlynn LaBreche: Herkimer College
- Nathaniel Lowell: Skidmore College
- Alissa Lyga: SUNY Potsdam
- Connor Lynch: Herkimer College
- Julia Marriott: SUNY Morrisville
- Sulia Martin: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Amber Maxwell: United States Army
- Kaleb Pohleven: Fairmount State College
- Nathaniel Rath: Hartwick College
- Logan Rubas: Hartwick College
- Andrey Shubich: Utica College
- Sean Spellman: VP-TECH, Herkimer College
- Raymond Sprague: Monroe Community College
- Logan Steates: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Caitryn Szczesniak: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Madison Szczesniak: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Spencer Sweet: Herkimer College
- Caroline Tobin: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Bille Joe Tyson, Jr.: Mohawk Valley Community College
- Logan Valerio: SUNY Plattsburgh
- Chloe Williams: SUNY Polytechnic Institute
- Zachary Zbytniewski: University of Southern Florida
- Jacob Zemzicki: SUNY Adirondack, SUNY Brockport, SUNY Fredonia, SUNY Morrisville, SUNY Plattsburgh, Mohawk Valley Community College



WEST CANADA VALLEY CSD

REGIONAL PROGRAM FOR EXCELLENCE

The Regional Program for Excellence provides opportunities for students to work alongside professionals in the community, gaining valuable experiences and knowledge about their professional area of interest. This year, we had four students participate in RPE.

- Catherine Christensen - Psychological Services and Counseling
- Maggie Burdick - Pharmacy and Early Childhood Education
- Portia Camardello - Culinary / Baking Arts
- Sarah Costello - Orthodontics and Radiology

ADVANCED CAREER IMMERSION EXPERIENCE

Much like RPE, Advanced Career Immersion Experience (ACIE) provides students with job shadowing experiences with area professionals. This year, we had one student participate, gaining important knowledge and making valuable professional connections in her future career interest.

- Kyleigh Gage - Radiology

CLASS OF 2020 GRADUATION

West Canada Valley has come up with two viable plans for graduation. Regardless of the plan chosen, the school plans on holding the graduation ceremony on Saturday, June 27, 2020.

Plan A is a small ceremony held over a period of eight to ten hours, where each student would receive an assigned time to come into school, walk across the stage, receive their diploma and awards, have their picture taken, and be allowed to have four family members as guests. This plan would allow for a small gathering of ten (10) people or less and would require individuals to wear masks and socially distance. Under this plan, only those with tickets and the graduate would be allowed on school property and only within a window of time during their assigned time.

Plan B would consist of a virtual graduation consisting of pre-recorded speeches embedded into an online presentation consisting of pictures of students in their caps and gowns and the announcement of each graduate's accolades. Under this plan, Superintendent Shepardson, Board of Education President Mr. Gage, and MS/HS Principal Mr. Broadbent would be personally delivering diplomas to all of the graduates at home.

Ultimately, the decision will be based on what the school district is allowed to do under state and local guidance. A final decision regarding graduation ceremonies will be announced on Monday, June 15th.

SUMMER SCHOOL 2020

As the challenges brought on by COVID-19 continue to evolve, the availability of summer school is yet to be determined. However, it is likely that there will be virtual summer school. Please continue to check the district website for the most up to date information.

HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTIONS

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The following West Canada Valley students have been inducted into the National Honor Society. Congratulations!

Class of 2022 (10th grade)

Tyler Barnes, Audrey Campbell, Madilyn Connor, Maya Farber, John Flanagan, Kadence Gage, Brandon Gates, Jasmine Hayes, Renee' Jenkins, Alina Kichuk, Sydney Kinsella, Jasmine Kutsar, Jordyn Kuzontkoski, Jenavieve Lyon, Jenna Pohleven, Lydia Reimer, Faith Stewart



Class of 2021 (11th grade)

Olivia Gibson

Class of 2020 (12th grade)

Chloe Williams



NATIONAL TECHNICAL HONOR SOCIETY

The following West Canada Valley students have been inducted into the National Technical Honor Society. Congratulations!

- Jordan Brelinsky
- Kaleb Pohleven
- Madesen Spellman
- Chloe Williams

NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY

The following West Canada Valley students have been inducted into the National Junior Honor Society. Congratulations!

Class of 2024 (8th Grade)

Madelyn Allen, Andre Arsenault, Jenna Beam, Hanna Burdick, Sean Burdick, Louis Clarke, Joshua Conover, Kadrie Farber, Ava Fellows, Payton Jackson, Margaret Jones, Julie Kichuk, Paige Lowell, Camerohn Ludwig, Sarah Maine, Alexa McManus, Emmy Medeiros, Nadia Paul, Blake Reese, Gabriella Schrader, Emma Soron, Macyn Thomas

Class of 2023 (9th Grade)

Reese Fellows, Alanna Kirchberg



STUDENT RECOGNITION

FEBRUARY 2020

Andre Arsenault

Algebra 1, Mrs. Kraszewski - Andre is an excellent student and a pleasure to have in class. He participates every day and is hard working. Keep up the GREAT work Andre.

Hailey Haynes-Davis

H.S. Health, Mrs. Tuzzolino - Hailey comes to class every day prepared and very respectful. She makes sure she has everything done for class and helps other

students in need. Hailey also helps out in the elementary swim class and does an excellent job.

Julius Grower - Spanish 7, Mrs. Kraszewski - Julius is a role model student. His amazing hard work, behavior, and willingness to achieve his learning to his best potential; are outstanding qualities that make him my student of this month. Congratulations Julius! Keep it up.

Payton Jackson - Math 8, Mrs. Smith - Payton comes to class prepared every day and completes all assignments with excellence. She is respectful and a pleasure to have in class - an excellent role model for other students!

Brayden McCaw - College Now Spanish, Mrs. Foster - Brayden's abilities to communicate in the Spanish language has grown tremendously this year. He is very enthusiastic in class and participates on a daily basis. His initiative of watching Spanish programs and listening to Spanish music outside of the classroom hasn't gone unnoticed. Keep up the great work Brayden!

Giavanna Nitti - Drawing and Painting, Mr. Pumilio - The art department is really proud of Giavanna. She worked really hard on her last project. Her devotion has been outstanding as she has been coming in for extra periods to finish her project.

Isabella Smith - FFA, Mrs. Treen - Issy was a fantastic ambassador for West Canada Valley FFA during the 212/360 Leadership Conference. Issy made a point to meet other FFA members across the state. She was outgoing and made the most out of her experience. I hope Issy keeps her positive attitude and continues to grow as a student and FFA member.

Denten Spellman - ELA8/Math 8, Ms. Blynt - Denten has been consistently motivated in his classes this year. He has achieved a great deal of success, especially in math. Denten is an energetic, positive participant in class activities. His enthusiasm and drive are refreshing to see!

John Tolpa - Social Studies 7, Mr. Youngs - John has been doing great work all year. He has shown great leadership in our most recent project.

Curnin Wallace-Eaton - Math 7, Mrs. Goggin - Curnin is a wonderful student to have in class. She is always smiling and puts great detail into her assignments and assessments. Curnin often asks questions in order to ensure she fully understands the material. Keep up the great work! I am proud of you!



WCV MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL

SENIOR PHOTOS

Attention Class of 2021!

It is time to think about your senior pictures. The yearbook staff will need the following pictures from you:

- A head-and-shoulders photo, considered to be your formal picture, no hat and no props, usually more dressed up.
- An informal photo, can be done with props, pets, vehicles, outside, full length, etc.
- A youth picture - of you up to about age 5 or so

All pictures can be transmitted to gackman@westcanada.org, brought in hard copy (with your full name on the back), or brought in with a flash drive or CD (with your full name on it).

Several local photographers will take care of sending the formal and informal picture to me. Deadlines for the pictures will be the end of October.

Cap and gown pictures will be taken in December at the school by yearbook staff. If you have any questions on senior profile yearbook photos, please contact me at gackman@westcanada.org.

YEARBOOKS

2019-2020 Yearbooks will be arriving near the end of June and will be available for sale after they arrive. Those who pre-ordered will be contacted regarding distribution once a safe distribution plan has been made. Watch the district's Facebook page for updates on yearbook availability and distribution.

WCV ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

6TH GRADE MOVING UP CEREMONY

The West Canada Valley Elementary School 6th Grade Moving Up Ceremony will be held on Saturday, June 20th at 10:00am. The ceremony will be live streamed on YouTube for students, families, and community members to watch. To access the live stream, go to <https://youtu.be/FU4uY15aK0c>.



WCV ATHLETICS NEWS



ATHLETICS UPDATES

We hope that everyone is safe and well during these turbulent times. WCV is saddened to have cancelled the spring sports season amid the COVID-19 pandemic. We would like to take this opportunity to wish our senior athletes the best of luck in all their future endeavors. It has been an honor and a privilege to watch you all mature throughout your various athletic careers. In a pandemic shortened school year consisting of just the fall and winter sports season, this year's senior class helped guide West Canada to League Championships in Boys Soccer, Girls Varsity Basketball, Girls Varsity Indoor Track, Boys Varsity Indoor Track, and our 8-man Football team competed in the Sectional Final at the Carrier Dome. WCV won Sectional Titles in Boys Varsity Indoor Track, Fall Cheerleading and Winter Cheerleading. The Competitive Winter Cheer team proudly represented West Canada Valley at the NYSPHSAA State Championship Competition at Rochester Institute of Technology. To go along with all of these accolades, our WCV Boys Varsity Basketball team competed in the Sectional Semi-final game at Onondaga Community College, and both boys and girls JV basketball teams were league champions this winter. Congratulations, to the seniors, underclassmen, coaches and all of the parents for their dedicated hard work that made the shortened 2019-2020 athletic year such a wild success.

Unfortunately, due to State of New York gathering restrictions, this year's Varsity Sports Banquet will not be allowed to take place in its traditional format. In the days leading up to graduation (June 27th), WCV will present each varsity team's athletic accomplishments for the season. Each team's athletic award winners will be recognized as well. This information will be posted on the school website and social media account. All senior athletic awards will be recognized during senior graduation.

The status of fall sports is still much unknown. WCV will plan on sports as normal until we receive different guidance from the state level. Fall schedules are completed and can be viewed on SchedulGalaxy.com. The official start date for fall varsity sports is August 19th. Modified sports start on August 26th. Should anything change, this information will be posted on the school website and the fall coaches will reach out to their players.

NYSED guidance on sports physicals for Fall of 2020: Permit student athletes to participate in the fall 2020 sports season if they have previously had a health examination for school attendance in the 2018-2019 or 2019-2020 school years and provide a health history completed and signed by the parent/guardian within 30 days of the start of the season. Student athletes who have not previously had a health examination must still obtain a health examination prior to participation in the fall 2020 sports season. At this time, students should plan to obtain the required health examination prior to participation in the winter or spring 2020-21 seasons, although that may change depending on the status of COVID-19 in the fall. The Department will provide updated information as needed.

WCV ATHLETICS NEWS



ALUMNI HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

West Canada Valley would like to acknowledge five former student athletes who have been named to their respective College Halls of Fame. Banners for these storied Indian alumni will be displayed in the high school gymnasium.

Melissa Hartman-Snyder - One of the most prolific players in the history of women's basketball at St. John Fisher College, Melissa Hartman Snyder excelled in nearly every facet of the game. The 2006 Empire 8 Conference Player of the Year, Hartman, led the Cardinals to one of the most seasons in program history as a senior. Hartman led the Empire 8 in scoring with 20 points per game, 9.4 rebounds and 3.6 steals per game, as the Cardinals posted a 25-3 overall record and undefeated season in Empire 8 Conference play, the first program in Empire 8 history to accomplish that feat. A starter in 86 of a possible 87 games over her final two seasons, Hartman tallied 10 doubles in her senior year, including a 42-point performance where she shot 16-for-16 from the foul line, to tie the College's single-game scoring record and a 36-point, 20-rebound performance in a win over Nazareth. Hartman ranked among the top 20 in all of NCAA Division III in scoring, steals and free throw shooting, while her 558 points, 262 rebounds, 100 steals and 86.1% free throw percentage all rank in the top 10 on the College single-season list. At the time of graduation, Hartman ranked third at Fisher in career steals with 290, six in field goals made with 519 and sixth in total points with 1,338. An All-East Region First Team selection and finalist for the Rochester Area College's Female Athlete of the Year, Hartman helped lead the Cardinals to a 98-15 record over her four-year career, including three straight 25-win seasons in her final two years. Fisher won the Empire 8 title in her freshman and senior seasons, while claiming ECAC titles in her sophomore and junior seasons. An academic All-American her senior year, Melissa graduated from Fisher with a double-major in Childhood Education and Special Education.



***HALL OF FAME DESCRIPTIONS WERE PROVIDED BY EACH ATHLETE'S RESPECTIVE COLLEGIATE PROGRAM**

WCV ATHLETICS NEWS



ALUMNI HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

Jared Suderley - '14 is the most prolific scorer and rebounder in the history of Hartwick men's basketball. He is the only player at 'Wick to amass 2,000 points (2,034) and 900 rebounds (920). Suderley was named an All-American by a pair of organizations in both his sophomore and senior seasons while helping the Hawks to 70 wins, three NCAA Tournaments, and two Empire 8 Championships in his four campaigns. In his first season, Suderley was tapped the D3hoops.com All-East Region, the ECAC Upstate, and the Empire 8 Rookie of the Year. He was named the Empire 8 Player of the Year in his sophomore campaign while garnering D3hoops.com and National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) all-region, ECAC Upstate, and Empire 8 First Team honors. He helped the Hawks to their second straight NCAA Tournament appearance and a tie for a College-record 23 victories. At the close of the season both D3hoops.com and the NABC selected him to their All-America Second Team. He returned the Hawks to the national tournament with an Empire 8 title in his senior season with repeat awards for Empire 8 Player of the Year and first team honors, as well as D3hoops.com All-East Region First Team, NABC East Region First Team, and ECAC Upstate First Team honors. He added an E8 Tournament MVP, was invited to the Reese's Division III All-Star Game, and was a finalist for the Josten's Trophy, given to the best player in the nation. He landed on the D3hoops.com All-America First Team and the NABC All-America Third Team to close out his storied career.



Theresa Lindsay Synakowski -Theresa led all SUNYAC catchers in hitting (.462 BA) in 1997 while propelling the softball squad to their most wins (11) in a season and followed that performance by boosting the Wildcats to their best record ever (13-11) in 1998. She was named All-ECAC that season after batting .516 as a senior. Theresa is SUNYIT's career leader in slugging percentage (.703), runs batted in (55) and doubles (19), is tied for home runs (5) and is second in career batting average (.469) and total bases (102). A native of Poland, New York, Theresa majored in Business/Public Management, graduating in 1998. She joined the Wildcat coaching staff in 2001 and took over the softball program as head coach in 2004. Theresa was inducted September 24, 2005.



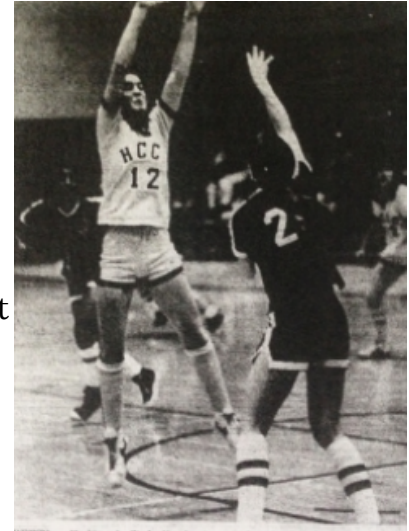
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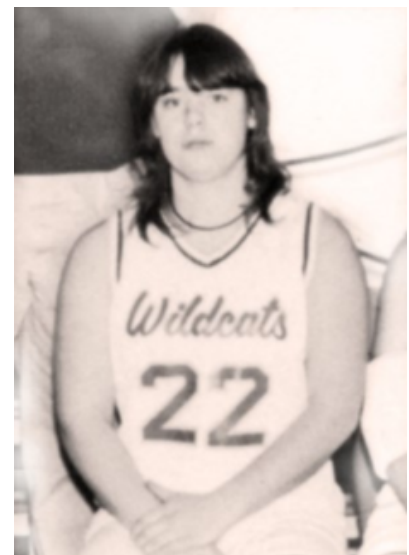


ALUMNI HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

Cindy Kemler - Newport, NY, is being inducted for her contributions as a student-athlete. Kemler led the Generals to their first two regional championships in women's basketball in 1979 and 1980. She was the first woman from New York State to be named National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Basketball All-American (1980). She averaged 18.3 points per game and 15 rebounds per game at the national tournament and was named to the All-Tournament team. She is a former West Canada Valley high school standout and is employed by Herkimer Elementary School. Kemler is also a well-respected basketball and soccer official for Section III.



Sue Wallace-Eaton - Eaton excelled on the hardwood for the Wildcats during a time when the College's athletes had only two years to call Cazenovia home. From 1993-95, Eaton took advantage to show what she had by scoring an impressive 1,241 points in just two seasons. She was named All-America by the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) after the 1993-94 season in which she led the nation in scoring with 25.9 points per game. Eaton captained the Wildcats for both of her seasons and finished with 335 career rebounds and 177 career assists. Also a member of the Wildcats softball team, Eaton went on to Division I Niagara University on a softball scholarship following her years at Cazenovia.



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WCV TRANSPORTATION NEWS

ANOTHER "SAFE AND SOUND" YEAR

As a parent you watch your children leave home in the morning and return in the afternoon on the school bus “safe and sound” from another day at school. That’s just the way it has to be.

As your Transportation Supervisor I have the responsibility of overseeing upwards of 750 students that are transported every school day in a “safe and sound” manner using a fleet of 21 buses that travel close to 300,000 miles a year. I, like you, expect this to happen with all students being transported “safe and sound” every day. How do we accomplish this? It takes all of the following people and actions to make it work.

Every school day starts with the State, County, Township and Village highway departments making sure the roads are safe to travel on. Thank them for the great job they do.

The community support every year for the bus purchases is another important asset we have at West Canada. Our buses are the safest and most modern in the area. Thank you for the support.

The mechanics that maintain our bus fleet have obtained another year of success from New York State Department of Transportation for bus inspection. Each bus is inspected by a NY DOT inspector twice a year. Thank Shane Korniat and Eric Morse, our two mechanics, when you see them.

The bus drivers and monitors that are operating your children’s bus are probably the most important ingredient of all to the “safe and sound” ride your children deserve. It is their personal judgment and skills that will ultimately assure your children ride the bus in a “safe and sound” manner every day. Thank them when you see them.

A big thank you from me to all the parents that make sure their children are loading and unloading safely and behaving on the bus so that a safe bus ride can be assured for all.

Although this year has been a little different than any other year. Hopefully we will return to a normal school year in the fall.

Felix Ray

Transportation Supervisor
West Canada Valley Central School
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Phone: 845-6800 EXT 401



FROM THE NURSES' OFFICES

PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS

New York State law requires a health examination for all students entering the school district for the first time and when entering Pre-K, K, 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th and 11th grade. A copy of the health examination must be provided to the school within 30 days from the start of school. Physicals are acceptable that have been performed no longer than 12 months prior to the 1st day of school in September. If your child has an appointment for an exam during the school year that is after the first 30 days of school, please notify the Health Office with that date. If a student has a physical exam at any grade level it is always helpful to provide the Health Office with a copy. If you have any questions please feel free to contact either:

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Danielle Dutcher
Middle/High School Nurse
ddutcher@westcanada.org
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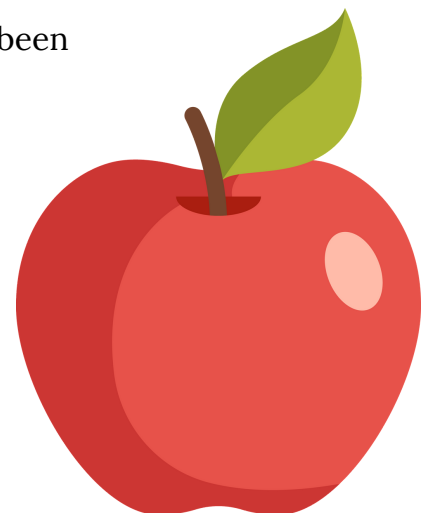


STAFF RECOGNITION

TENURE AWARDED

Congratulations to the following faculty members who have been awarded tenure!

Kathryn Bates
Gretchen Blynt
Kady Conklin
Olivia deJong
Rebecca McCaw
Danielle Novak
Kyle Pumilio
Courtney Schreppel
Samantha Tuzzolino



2020-2021 SCHOOL CALENDAR

West Canada Valley | School District Calendar 2020-2021

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| MAY 2021 | | | | | | | JUNE 2021 | | | | | | | JULY 2021 | | | | | | | AUGUST 2021 | | | | | | |
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Student Vacation Days

September
 2-3 Supt. Conf. Day
 7 Labor Day

October
 1 Early Release Day
 23 Supt. Conf. Day

November
 10 Evacuation Drill
 11 Veteran's Day
 23-24 Parent/Teacher Conf. (Elem ½)
 25-27 Thanksgiving Recess

December
 23-31 Winter Recess

January
 1 Winter Recess
 18 Martin Luther King Jr. Day
 29 Rating Day (1/2 Elem/no MS/HS)

February
 15-19 Mid-Winter Recess

March
 18 Parent/Teacher Conferences (Elem ½)
 19 Parent/Teacher Conf./Supt. Conf. Day (Elem ½ and/MS/HS ½)

April
 2-9 Spring Recess

May
 31 Memorial Day

June
 25 Supt. Conf. Day

Early Release Days (green)
 Vacation Days (red)
 Regents Test Days (blue)

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| First day of school for students: | September 8, 2020 |
| Final day of school for students: | June 24, 2021 |
| Student Days | 17 |
| September | 20 |
| October | 17 |
| November | 16 |
| December | 19 |
| January | 15 |
| February | 23 |
| March | 16 |
| April | 20 |
| May | 18 |
| June | 181 |
| Total Student Days: | 185 |
| Staff Days | 19 |
| September | 21 |
| October | 17 |
| November | 16 |
| December | 15 |
| January | 23 |
| February | 16 |
| March | 20 |
| April | 19 |
| May | 185 |
| Total Staff Days: | 185 |

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Calendar

Jun 9 Budget and BOE Vote
*Absentee Ballot due by
5pm*

Jun 15 Last Day of School

Jun 20 6th Grade Moving Up
Ceremony *YouTube*

Jun 27 Class of 2020
Graduation

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about sporting events,
upcoming meetings, or current
happenings at the school!

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