

# The Wantage Times

January 14, 2022

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<https://www.facebook.com/swregional/>

## Principal's Message

I hope this Newsletter finds everyone well and in good health.

Please be aware that beginning Tuesday, January 18th, we are making a change to our isolations and quarantine timeframes. In accordance with updated New Jersey Department of Health (NJDOH) recommendations, we will be reducing our quarantine time frame from ten days down to five days.

Individuals who need to quarantine will now be able to return on day six if they do not have symptoms of illness. If you have already been placed into a ten day quarantine, you can now return on day six if you do not have symptoms of illness. If symptoms persist (fever or if other symptoms have not resolved), continue to isolate until fever-free for 24 hours and other symptoms have resolved.

More information about the NJDOH recommendations can be found using the following link:

[https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/documents/topics/NCOV/RecommendationsForLocalHealthDepts\\_K12Schools.pdf](https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/documents/topics/NCOV/RecommendationsForLocalHealthDepts_K12Schools.pdf)

Please don't hesitate to reach out to me with any questions or concerns as we continue to navigate these challenging times.

Sincerely,

**Christopher Gregory**  
Principal

## Congratulations



**Makayla Hocko**

*for being selected as our  
December SW-5  
winner!*



*2nd marking period ends  
January 24th*

## CAUTION

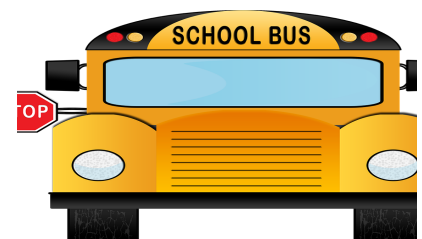
### Drop Off & Pick Up

Please be advised that drop off is in the rear of the building and occurs between 8:15 a.m. and 8:45 am. Please exercise caution when dropping off your children. We respectfully request that children exit the vehicle on the passenger side closest to the building for safety.

For pick up, parents and guardians should park on the lower lot or near the playground. Pick up is located in the cafeteria and begins at 3:20 pm. Please have identification available when you pick up your child.

The parking area for pick up will be closed until 3:10 pm. We respectfully request that you do not arrive before then. We appreciate everyone's support with our procedures to ensure the safety of all of our students.

**Note: Please wait for the school bus to come to a complete stop with the red lights flashing prior to letting your children approach the bus.**



## Dates to Remember

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| 1/17- School Closed<br>Martin Luther King Jr Day |
| 1/24- 2nd Marking Period Ends                    |
| 1/27- BOE meeting at SMS @ 7pm                   |
| 2/18- Early dismissal/Staff PD                   |
| 2/21- School Closed<br>President's Day           |
| 2/24- BOE meeting at SMS @ 7pm                   |



### 5th Grade Book Club

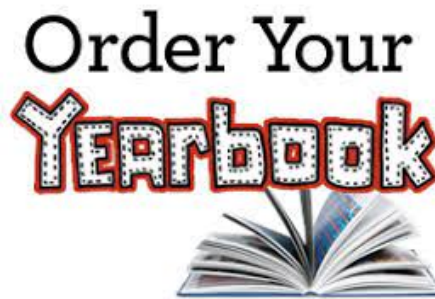
Beginning in March  
More information will be  
forthcoming in February



### **Calendar Revisions:**

**Early Dismissal/Staff  
Professional Development**

**Friday, February 18th  
Thursday, April 14th**



### **2021-22 YEARBOOKS**

**On Sale Now**

**[HTTPS://JOSTENSYEARBOOKS.COM/?REF=A09873801](https://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A09873801)**

**Yearbooks ordered for the  
2021-22 school year will arrive  
in June!**

**\*IMPORTANT\* We will have  
pre-ordered books ONLY**

**NO additional books will be  
available in June.**

## "FRIENDS"

*After School Hangout*

*@ Wantage School*

*Starts on 2/2/22 and  
continues for 6 Wednesdays  
from 3:45-4:30 PM*

## SWPTO

**Families can sign up here:**

[https://forms.zohopublic.com/sussexwantagepto/form/SussexWantagePTOMembershipSignUpPAID/formperma/SfOKSGp9fi06\\_oL5M-AzXJ9MQd\\_g-kwKxOwj1lc0iYc](https://forms.zohopublic.com/sussexwantagepto/form/SussexWantagePTOMembershipSignUpPAID/formperma/SfOKSGp9fi06_oL5M-AzXJ9MQd_g-kwKxOwj1lc0iYc)

**All info is on our website  
<https://www.swpto.org>**

**Little Caesars Pizza  
FUNDRAISER**



<https://fundraising.littlecaesars.com/.../e751afd6-aa5e...>

**Please send students to school with an extra mask**



**Please ensure students dress appropriately for the weather**



## **High Point Youth Lacrosse Registration 2022**

**Branchville, Frankford, Lafayette, Montague and Sussex-Wantage**

**As of now we anticipate having teams for 3rd-6th grade boys.**

**Spring Registration \$187**

**Checks payable to Skyland Sports**

**Mail to: 2 Armstrong Road  
Augusta, NJ 07822 Attention:  
Lacrosse**

**Registration Ends January 28th**

**Contact Information:**

**[heather.yanoff@sparta.org](mailto:heather.yanoff@sparta.org)**



## **Parent Portal**

Realtime Notification is the primary means of communication for school closings, emergencies and general notifications.

Please follow the directions below to log into the Realtime Parent Portal:

<http://fridayparentportal.com/sussexwantage>

Enter the Portal Code, Username and Password

You can also access the Parent Portal by logging into our District Website:

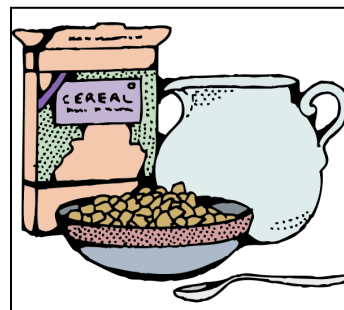
[www.swregional.org](http://www.swregional.org)

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**Free Breakfast (8:10-8:45 AM) & Lunch available to all students.**



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