

# The Wantage Times

September 17, 2021

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## Principal's Message

Please be advised that on Sunday, September 19th @ 7 PM you will be receiving a call from Sussex-Wantage Schools for our weekly Sunday call. We are using this call as a test of our communications system. Please contact the main office if you do NOT receive this call.

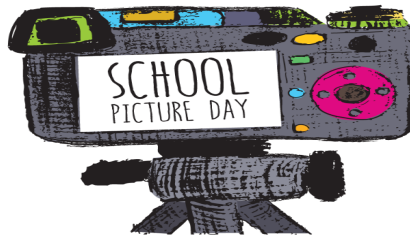
Back to School Nights will be held on October 6th for all fourth grade parents and October 7th for both third and fifth grade parents from 7 pm - 8:15 pm. A Basic Skills meeting will be held on October 7th from 6:30 pm - 7 pm in the media center.

Please don't hesitate to reach out to me with any questions, concerns or any ideas you would like to discuss.

Sincerely,

*Christopher Gregory*

Principal



**WES Picture Day**  
**Monday, October 18th**



**4th Grade**  
**Wednesday, Oct. 6th**  
**7pm - 8:15 pm**

**3rd & 5th Grade**  
**Thursday, Oct. 7th**  
**7pm - 8:15 pm**

**Thursday, Oct. 7th**  
**Basic Skills meeting**  
**6:30- 7 pm**

## CAUTION

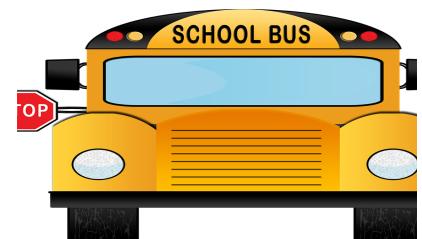
### Drop Off & Pick Up

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.

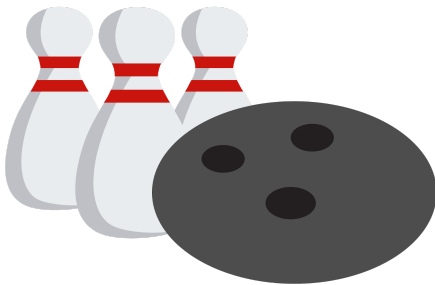
**Note:** Please wait for the school bus to come to a complete stop with the red lights flashing prior to letting your children approach the bus.



## Dates to Remember

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| 9/23/21- BOE meeting at SMS @ 7 pm                                      |
| 10/4-10/8- Week of Respect  |
| 10/5- SWPTO Virtual meeting   |
| 10/6- 4th Grade BTSN  |
| 10/7- 3rd/5th Grade BTSN  |
| 10/11- School Closed<br>Professional Development for<br>Faculty & Staff |
| 10/18-10/22- School Violence<br>Awareness Week                          |
| 10/25-10/29- Red Ribbon Week  |

## Bowling Club 5th Grade Starts 9/28/2021



Bowling Forms should be  
returned to Mr. Terwilliger by  
September 22nd

## Parent Portal

Realtime Notification is the primary means of communication for school closings, emergencies and general notifications. Parents/Guardians will need to update their contact information and complete a series of yes or no questions prior to accessing features like their child's schedule or homeroom teacher. Should you have any issue logging into your parent portal account please email your child's school secretaries for assistance.

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

[http://fridayparentportal.com/suss\\_exwantage](http://fridayparentportal.com/suss_exwantage)

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)

~Parents

~Realtime Parent Portal

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

**ATTENTION ALL FOURTH AND FIFTH GRADE STUDENTS!**

It's time to sign up for the Wantage School Band!!!

To learn more about the Wantage School band program, rental information, and more, please visit the Band website!

<https://sites.google.com/swregional.org/wantageschoolband>

If you have any questions, please contact our band teacher, Mrs.

Felsen at


[kfelsen@swregional.org](mailto:kfelsen@swregional.org).



## **SWPTO**

ON OCT. 9<sup>TH</sup> &  
10<sup>TH</sup>, ENJOY  
COLUMBUS DAY  
WEEKEND AND  
TAKE A SELF-  
GUIDED TOUR  
OF OUR  
COUNTY'S  
HISTORIC SITES

QR code to  
interactive map



**Sussex  
County  
Arts &  
Heritage  
Council**

Take the opportunity to explore the region and discover the history and uniqueness of Sussex County. Information will be posted at [SCAHC.ORG/EVENTS](http://SCAHC.ORG/EVENTS) – including an updated interactive map, showing other area museums and locations of interest.

***Family Membership sign-up is open! We are so excited for the school year to begin and your \$5 per family membership fee goes a long way to help us provide programs, materials, and events at our schools. 🍎***

***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)***

***The PTO's first fundraiser of the year has begun! Check out our amazing new design of school spirit-wear. Shop here: <https://sw2021.itemorder.com/sale>***

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



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