

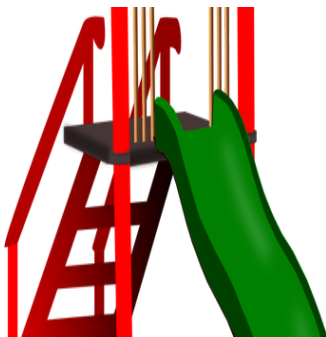
# The Wantage Times

February 14, 2020

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## Principal's Message

*The playground is temporarily closed due to broken tree limbs that are hanging on the wood line near the playground area.*



## Celebrity Readers

**March 6th, 2019**

*March 2nd* is Read Across America Day. This day promotes inspiring and motivating children to read everyday.

*Flu season is here:*



In addition to getting a flu vaccine, the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) recommends, "Taking Everyday Preventive Actions" to prevent the cold and flu.

These everyday actions include:

### **Avoid close contact.**

Avoid close contact with people who are sick.

### **Stay home when you are sick.**

If possible, stay home from work, school, and errands when you are sick.

### **Cover your mouth and nose.**

Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing.

### **Clean your hands.**

Washing your hands often will help protect you from germs. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand rub.

### **Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth.**

Germs are often spread when a person touches something that is contaminated with germs and then touches his or her eyes, nose, or mouth.

### **Practice other good health habits.**

Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces at home, work or school, especially when someone is ill. Get plenty of sleep, be physically active, manage your stress, drink plenty of fluids, and eat nutritious food.

Retrieved from:

<https://www.cdc.gov/flu/prevent/actions-pr-event-flu.htm>

## Dates to Remember

2/17 & 2/18- School Closed  
2/25- 6th Grade Parent Orientation  
2/26- BOE meeting  
3/2- SWPTO meeting CEL @ 7 pm  
3/6- WES Celebrity Reader 9 AM  
3/11- Early Dismissal (Staff PD day)  
3/15- Daylight Savings Time begins  
3/16- SEPAG meeting SMS @ 7 pm  
3/19- WES Family Math Night  
3/25 BOE meeting SMS @ 7 pm

### **Wantage Girls on the Run** Spring Season

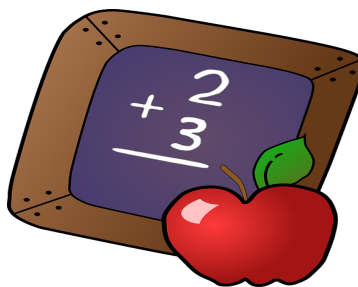


Meets Tuesdays and Thursdays,  
3:45 - 5:15 p.m.  
March 9 - May 14, 2020  
For more information  
& to register go to  
[www.gotrjn.org](http://www.gotrjn.org)

### **Family Math Night**

**March 19, 2020**

**RSVP by March 2nd**



**"Rock and Roll  
Forever!"**



Please visit our website  
for up to date information:  
[www.tinyurl.com/wesmusical](http://www.tinyurl.com/wesmusical)

**Please ensure children are  
dressed for the Cooler  
Temperatures. We prefer to  
have outside recess  
whenever possible and  
want all students to be  
dressed appropriately.**

### **Food of the Month**

*Lemon Plums (Feb.)*

*We will be partnering with  
ShopRite in Franklin to host this  
great program that encourages  
your children to taste new fruits  
and vegetables. It will be held on  
the last Wednesday of the month  
from January to May. ShopRite  
donates an unusual fruit or veggie  
and our wonderful PTO parents  
with supervision from our  
cafeteria staff, washes and cuts it  
up for students to try. No students  
are forced to taste the food and  
staff are aware of all allergies!  
This is a fun way to introduce new  
foods to your children!*

*We also send home information  
about the food of the month and a  
recipe to try.*

*Free dietitian services are  
available at all of their stores.  
If you have any questions please  
call or email Mrs. Fisher:  
973-875-3176 or [dfisher@swregional.org](mailto:dfisher@swregional.org)*

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