



Sussex-Wantage Schools District Newsletter

February 12, 2021

Calendar

February

2/15; **SCHOOL CLOSED** Presidents' Day
2/25; 7pm SWBOE Mtg @ SMS

March

3/10; EARLY DISMISSAL-Staff PD
3/14; Daylight Savings Time Begins
3/15; CEL Picture Day
3/16; CEL Picture Day
3/17; Virtual Students Picture Day @
CEL 9 - 12pm
3/18; WES Picture Day
3/18; 7pm SWBOE Mtg @ SMS
3/19; WES Picture Day
3/22; SMS Picture Day
3/23; SMS Picture Day
3/24; Virtual Students Picture Day @
CEL 9 - 12pm

April

4/2; **SCHOOL CLOSED** Good Friday
4/5-4/9; **SCHOOL CLOSED** Spring Break
4/29; 7pm SWBOE Mtg @ SMS

May

5/13; 7pm SWBOE Mtg @ SMS
5/31; **SCHOOL CLOSED** Memorial Day

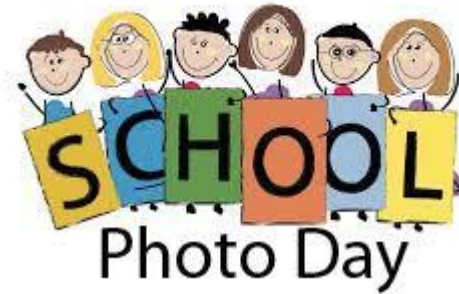
COHORT SCHEDULE

Mondays/Thursdays; Cohort A
Tuesdays/Fridays; Cohort B
Wednesdays; Remote Learning

Don't forget to check
out our website

www.swregional.org





Lawrence School

March 15th and 16th 8:30 - 3:00

Wantage School

March 18th and 19th 8:30 - 3:00

Sussex Middle School

March 22nd and 23rd 8:30 - 3:00

Virtual students

March 17th and 24th 9:00 -12:00

at Lawrence School

Ordering information will available at a later date

Congratulations to the SMS students of
the month for January.

6th Grade- Elizabeth Moylan

7th Grade- Anthony Brown

8th Grade- Dylan Snook

These students will be recognized at the
Board of Education meeting on January
27th at 7:00 p.m. at Sussex Middle
School.



Snowing ?

Where to find School Closing, Delay & Dismissal Information

www.swregional.org

[WSUS 102.3](#)

Honeywell Instant Alert

Should I Stay Home

If your child has any illness related symptoms, please go to the homepage of our website and click on the icon that says [“Should I Stay Home”](#).

If your child is exhibiting any of the symptoms listed, click on the link that says [“Out Sick”](#) and complete the questionnaire and keep your child home.



Meal pickup available

Great news! In order to ensure safe nutritious meals are available to children, the USDA has approved free breakfast and lunch for ALL children enrolled in the Sussex-Wantage Regional School District for a limited time period.

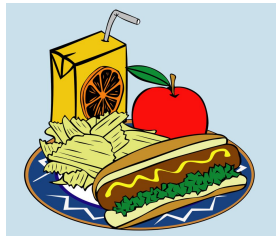
Please pre-order your desired number of meals by clicking on the link below and completing the questionnaire by 9:00 am the **Wednesday prior to the pickup week.**

Breakfast & Lunch Pickup is;

Tuesday 4:00-7:00pm

Wednesday 3:00-6:00pm

[Click here for more information and the appropriate order form](#)



Care Program Registration Open

[Click here for the Application](#)

Welcome to the Care Program 2020-2021

The Sussex-Wantage Care Programs were designed to offer a safe, caring environment for your child/children. We are aware that parents need to work during this pandemic, but we must ask that all parents are willing to follow guidelines to keep children safe at all times.

At this time, the Board has opted for two half-day in school days during the initial phase of reopening. Those are the two days per week your child may attend Care programs. Morning Care will open at 7:00 AM and After Care will open at 1:30 PM until 6:00 PM for working parents. Please be aware there is a change in billing as you will be charged for two days per week. When the school enters a new phase of reopening, our billing will also change. Thank you in advance for your patience and understanding.

Due to Covid 19 Pandemic, major changes have been made to the program.

Upon entry each morning, and leaving each afternoon students will have temperature checked

- *All students are required to wear face masks at all times except when eating or drinking*
- *Children must have personal pencil, crayons and other items in container for personal use. No sharing items*
- *Children will be placed in classrooms in groups of 10-12 with social distancing practiced.*
- *Children are encouraged to wash hands often and use hand sanitizer where appropriate.*
- *Limited interaction with toys and equipment will be encouraged.*



Sussex-Wantage PTO News

The Sussex-Wantage PTO is pleased to offer their traditional Gertrude Hawk Chocolates fundraiser this year in a completely electronic and contactless way. Our fundraiser begins now and runs through March 28.

Go to: <https://fundraising.gertrudehawkchocolates.com/>

Our Organization ID # is: 119604

For more information go to
<https://www.swpto.org/fundraising>



COMMUNITY INFORMATION

REGISTER NOW FOR SPRING '21

DIVISIONS OF PLAY

- Tball League - ages 4-6
- Coach Pitch Minors (AAA)-ages 6-8
- Minors (Player Pitch) - ages 8-10
- Majors Division - ages 9-12
- Juniors Division - ages 13-14

Deadline for sign ups is 3/1, late fee of \$30 will be added to all registration received after 3/1. 3/8 is final date, no exceptions. Birth Certificate is required for all first time registrants

REGISTER AT www.SWLLBaseball.com

Volunteers and Coaches are always needed! Please consider helping out to continue this program's success! Email us at info@swllbaseball.com

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Sussex Fire Department Auxiliary

2021 Take-out Soup & Sandwich

Sunday, February 21, 2021

serving from 11:00am -2:00 pm

SOUPS

Member-made soups pledged so far: Broccoli Cheese, Taco, Beef Barley, Creamy Potato, Cheeseburger ...

SANDWICHES

\$6 soup includes a choice of sandwich (combinations of ham, turkey and grilled cheese will be available to order) and a drink.

Takeout available...

PRICING

Tickets available at the door: \$6.00 per person (add-ons \$3.00 soup or sandwich)

COMMITTEE CONTACTS

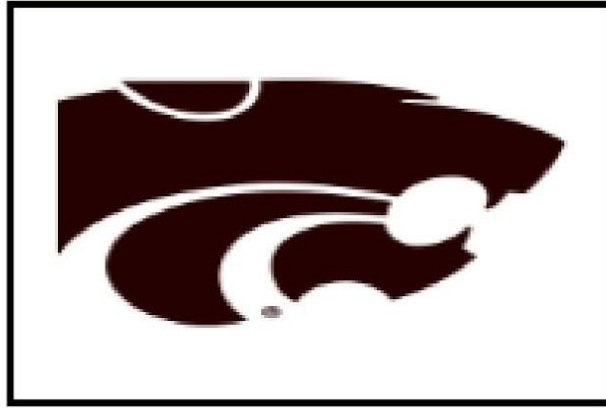
Any questions, please call 973-919-5380 or 570-994-9483 or any member...

FURTHER INFO

Snow date, Saturday, February 27, 2021

All proceeds benefit for the benefit of the Sussex Fire Department & EMS (a 501c3 nonprofit organization).

The 1ST ANNUAL



3 on 3 BASKETBALL CLINIC

2021

BOYS & GIRLS

TIMES/DATES/AGES:

GRADES 3RD- 8TH

SUNDAY NIGHTS

8 GREAT WEEKS

(*30 MINUTES SKILLS/*30 MINUTES PLAY)

FEBRUARY 7TH/FEBRUARY 14TH/FEBRUARY 21ST/FEBRUARY 28TH

MARCH 7TH/MARCH 14TH/MARCH 21ST/MARCH 28TH

MAIN GYM

GRADES 3RD - 5TH - 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

GRADES 6TH - 8TH - 6:00PM - 7:00PM

Any questions contact Jesse Strehl

E-mail: jstrehl@hpregonal.org

OR

Bill Percey at 973-875-3101 Ext 3562 for more information

E-mail: wpercey@hpregonal.org

COST: \$90.00

***ALL NJ STATE GUIDELINES FOR COVID 19 WILL BE FOLLOWED**



L.E.A.D. 
(Learn. Explore. Aspire. Dream.)

ART IN THE OUTDOORS



Make art both inspired by the outdoors and with supplies from the outdoors. Learn about and make your own sundial, wind spinner, suncatcher, water color painting, and much more.

Not in Girl Scouts? You can choose either Monday or Tuesday Virtual Sessions:

Mondays: February 8, 22 March 1, 8, 15, 22
Grades K-3 from 3:00pm – 4:00pm or
6:30pm – 7:30pm

Tuesdays: February 9, 16, 23 March 9, 16, 23
Grades K-3 from 3:00pm – 4:00pm or
6:30pm – 7:30pm

Girls will:

- Discover bugs
- Make pipe cleaner bird feeders
- Create tissue paper lady bugs
- Complete a nature matching game
- See nature close up
- Make a butterfly suncatcher & magnet
- Create nature art bugs
- Make seashell bracelets
- Paint with water color
- Learn about bees
- Make impressions with Model Magic
- Learn about & listen to nature sights & sounds

FREE Virtual Program Series
for girls not already in
Girl Scouts.

First come, first served.

**This program is for girls in
grades K-3 who are
not yet Girl Scouts.**

Questions? Contact Katherine Tejada at ktejada@gsnnj.org or 973-906-0133.

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Lincoln's Birthday



Find the answers in the puzzle:

- _____ was elected president in 1860.
- Abraham Lincoln was the _____ president of the United States.
- Abraham Lincoln served as president during the _____.
- A formal argument. (_____)
- The Gettysburg Address was Lincoln's most famous _____.
- Lincoln's nickname was _____.
- Before becoming president, Lincoln represented the state of _____ in Congress.
- Lincoln was born in the state of _____.
- Lincoln's face appears on this coin. (_____)
- America's highest government office. (_____)
- Lincoln is often remembered for the tall stovepipe _____ he wore.
- Before becoming president, Lincoln was a _____.
- Lincoln lived in a _____ as a child.
- Someone who is legally owned by another person and forced to work without pay. (_____)
- As a child, Lincoln loved to _____ books.
- As a young adult, he worked as a _____ in a store.
- Lincoln was more than six feet _____.
- John Wilkes Booth _____ Lincoln on April 14, 1865.
- Another word for liberty. (_____)

If you need help answering the questions, use the words below:
 Abraham Lincoln, assassinated, Civil War, clerk, debate, freedom, hat, Honest Abe, Illinois, Kentucky, lawyer, log cabin, penny, president, read, sixteenth, slaves, speech, tall

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