



# Sussex-Wantage Schools District Newsletter

September 22, 2023

## Calendar of Events

### September

9/27; 6:30 WES Back to School Night

9/28; 7pm SWBOE Mtg @ SMS

### October

10/3; 7pm SWPTO meeting Virtual

10/9; **SCHOOL CLOSED (Fac/Staff PD)**

10/10; CEL Picture Day

10/19; 7pm SWBOE Mtg @ SMS

10/20; WES/SMS Picture Day

### November

11/9; **SCHOOL CLOSED**

11/10; **SCHOOL CLOSED**

11/14; 7pm SWPTO meeting Virtual

11/17; **EARLY DISMISSAL** - Parent  
Teacher Conferences

11/20; **EARLY DISMISSAL** - Parent  
Teacher Conferences

11/21; **EARLY DISMISSAL** - Parent  
Teacher Conferences

11/22; **EARLY DISMISSAL**

11/23; **SCHOOL CLOSED** Happy  
Thanksgiving

11/24; **SCHOOL CLOSED**

11/30; 7pm SWBOE Mtg @ SMS

2023-2024

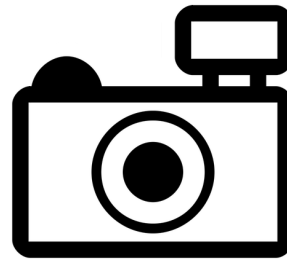
## School Calendar

The 12-month calendar is  
available to print on our  
website

[12-month Calendar](#)

Don't forget to check  
out our website

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



**School pictures will be held as  
follows;**

**Lawrence School;  
Tuesday, October 10th**

**Wantage School;  
Friday, October 20th**

**Sussex Middle School;  
Friday, October 20th.**

# BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

- WES Grades 3-5 Back to School Night:  
**9/27** (6:30 - 8:30) \*BSI 6:00

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## Transportation Information



Please remember that multiple bus assignments and bus passes are not permitted during any school year.

Please be sure to notify the transportation department in writing of ANY changes to your child's bussing needs, i.e. daycare, babysitter, etc. sent to Sussex Wantage Transportation, 27 Bank St., Sussex, NJ 07461, emailed to [bduvall@swregional.org](mailto:bduvall@swregional.org) or faxed to 973-702-0764.

## District Notification System

The district uses **Realtime Notification** as its primary means of communication for school closings, emergencies and general notifications. Parents/Guardians will need to update their contact information in the parent portal. Should you have any issue logging into your parent portal account please contact your child's school secretaries for assistance.





Click [here to view school menus](#)

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All Families, now is the time to deposit funds for your child(ren)s breakfast and or lunch. Payments can be made online to **PaySchoolsCentral** or checks can be made payable to: Sussex-Wantage Regional SD Cafeteria Account and include your child(ren)'s name on the check.

Directions for adding money via PaySchoolsCentral can be found on the [district website](#).



# SMS Sports News

Anyone in grades 3 - 8 interested in joining ski/snowboard club please email Andrea Veltri at [aveltri@swregional.org](mailto:aveltri@swregional.org) for details on how to sign up.



# PTO News



The PTO needs YOU! Sign up for just \$5!

[Click Here to Join the PTO](#)

The Sussex-Wantage PTO's Spiritwear Sale is on NOW through September 22. Order online at <https://sw2023.itemorder.com> or by the paper order forms being sent home. This sale is only available once per year. Thank you for your support!



# Community Events

## Wantage Township Recreation Presents Woodbourne Park 5K Family Run/Walk

Woodbourne Veterans Memorial Park, Sherman Ridge Road, Wantage



**Date:** Saturday, September 23, 2023 Race Start 9:00 A.M.

**Schedule:** Registration/Package Pick-Up: 8:00A.M. - 8:30A.M.  
Race Start 9:00 A.M.  
Awards 10:00 A.M.

**Entry Fee:** Pre-registration by 9/15/23 = \$5.00, Day of = \$8.00

Please make checks payable to: "Wantage Township" & mail to Recreation, Wantage Township, 888 Route 23, Wantage, NJ 07461.

Race e-mail: [nicole@wantage-twp-nj.org](mailto:nicole@wantage-twp-nj.org)

### Awards

\*Top male and female, Age group and overall

\*\*Youngest Finisher

No duplicate awards

### Age Groups

(10 & under, 11-14, 15-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70-79)

T-shirts, Snacks, Medals and Goodie Bags

T-shirts and Goodie Bags limited to the first 150 registrations

Gorgeous and gentle certified double loops on park roads and paved trails. No traffic. Park entrance will be closed 15 minutes prior to race time. Set in Woodbourne Park in Wantage

Township, Sussex County, NJ. Water on the course and splits at miles 1 and 2.

No pets, baby strollers, bicycles, skateboards, etc.

-----Detach and mail-----

Please print neatly and fill out completely (entry forms without age and gender will not be eligible for age group awards)

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_

Gender M/F \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: Wantage Township

Mail to: Recreation, Wantage Township, 888 Route 23, Wantage, NJ 07461

I know that running is a potentially hazardous sport. I should not enter and run/walk unless I am medically able and properly trained. I agree to abide by any decision of a race official relative to my ability to safely complete the run/walk. I assume all risks associated with running or walking in the event, including, but not limited to, falls, contact with other participants, the effects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity, traffic and conditions of the park road and trail, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts and in consideration of you accepting my entry, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive the release of Wantage Township Recreation Department, the McBride's, Sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims of liability of any kind arising out of my participation in this event even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this waiver. By submitting this form you are giving us permission to use photographs on our website/Facebook page.



Signature required (parent or guardian if under 18 years old)

**NO REFUNDS**

# Community Events



Date: September 23

Time: 8:00 am registration/bib pickup

9:00 am race start

10:00 am awards

Cost: \$5/person

Applications available online or at townhall

# Community Events

## Fish & Chips Dinner

(Prepared by Tastefully British)

**OUR 70<sup>TH</sup> YEAR!**

**Tuesday, October 3, 2023**

5:00 to 7:00 pm

Take outs available from 5:00pm to 6:30pm

**AT THE FRANKFORD PLAINS UMC**

99 Plains Road

Augusta, NJ 07822

Adults \$17.00 Children \$6.00

Call 973-702-0334 for reservations

Advance Ticket Purchase Required!  
(By October 1st!)

# Community Events



## **Interested in Wrestling? Join Sussex Wantage Wrestling Club!**

The Sussex-Wantage Wrestling Club (SWWC) aspires to be an outstanding youth recreation wrestling organization where wrestlers learn essential wrestling skills while being provided positive and disciplined coaching that promotes good sportsmanship and character. SWWC is comprised of children living in the Sussex- Wantage Regional School sending district. All students in grades K-8 are eligible to participate.

Go to our Registration Flyer (link below) for more information and the link to register.

If you have questions, please reach out to

[swwcwildcats@gmail.com](mailto:swwcwildcats@gmail.com)

[23-24 Registration Flyer](#)

**GO WILDCATS!!!**

# FALL WORD SEARCH

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W J A T C J D R S A E I F M S  
E G L O F N D S O E L Q N E G  
E S W E A T E R E C V L U V I  
N C C C I D E R H L A A S O V  
S I E D I R Y A H P P T E N I  
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Y E T E V G Y T H W I C K U J

ACORN

APPLES

AUTUMN

CANDY

CIDER

FOOTBALL

HALLOWEEN

HARVEST

HAYRIDE

LEAVES

NOVEMBER

OCTOBER

PUMPKIN

RAKE

SCARECROW

SEPTEMBER

SUNFLOWER

SWEATER

THANKSGIVING

TURKEY

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jleggour@swregional.org with newsletter submissions**