OCTOBER 2024 Staff Newsletter

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THE BUZZ: BREWER BEAR MONTHLY



It's been a fast and furious September and such an exciting time in WSISD! Our enrollment is increasing, and our students and staff continue to exemplify their school pride and spirit with overwhelming participation in Start With Hello Week, Homecoming Week and more!

We had a great turnout for our 3rd annual Homecoming Parade. Our students and staff did an amazing job creating their entries and participating in the Community Rally. It makes me so proud to be a Brewer Bear and to lead this wonderful school district.

Go Bears! Superintendent Frank Moilnar



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What do you call

a bee that lives









Dallas Mavericks Teacher Appreciation Night Games

The Dallas Mavericks will offer special pricing for several Teacher Appreciation Nights (three pre-season games on Oct. 7, 10 and 17 and three regular-season games on Nov. 3 and 4 and Jan. 3. The Nov. 3 game includes an opportunity to take a free throw on the court after the game. All staff can purchase tickets at a discounted rate. Click here.

To purchase 20 or more tickets, contact call 214.658.7643 or email <u>breanna.kellogg@dallasmavs.com</u>. Tickets are subject to availability.



WSISD Education Foundation \$100 Gift Card Winners

Congratulations to Fine Arts Academy teacher Jennifer Lambert who won a \$100 gift card through the Blue Jean Incentive Program! Employees who sign up for a \$5 monthly payroll deduction or make a lump sum payment of at least \$60 can wear jeans the first Monday of each month and will be eligible for monthly drawings for the \$100 gift card and more.

To apply for the December and August Innovative Teaching Grants, staff must participate in the <u>Blue Jean Incentive program</u>. The next round of grant applications will begin at the end of October.

Spirit Nights

Dine out and support your schools and organizations! Mention the organization when dining!

10/1 Special Olympics Rule the Roost Spirit Night

10/7 BHS Senior Celebration 2025 Raising Cane's Spirit Night

10/8 North STEAM Academy PTO Chuck E Cheese Spirit Nigh

10/16 Brewer Band Booster Raising Cane's Spirit Night

10/21 Brewer Football Boosters Texas Roadhouse Spirit Night

10/28 WSISD Education Foundation Texas Roadhouse Spirit Night

10/29 Fine Arts Academy PTO Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night

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Get Free Admission to Athletic Events with ID Badge

Employees receive free, general admission to all Brewer High School and Brewer Middle School athletic events by presenting a district ID badge. **This excludes varsity football games, playoff games and tournaments.** Click here to purchase tickets for your family or view athletic schedules.

PE Coach named Honorary Childhood Cancer Survivor



The White Settlement Youth Football Association recognized Fine Arts Academy PE Coach Victoria Yovino as an Honorary Childhood Cancer Survivor during the sixth grade game. She is pictured with her sixth grade cheer and football students.

At the beginning of her kindergarten year at age 5, Victoria was diagnosed with rhabdomyosarcoma. She underwent chemotherapy and radiation for treatment and is currently 26 years cancer-free.

School Fundraisers



Let's Showcase Your Schools and Classrooms!

The WSISD Communications Office wants to showcase what's happening in our schools and classrooms on our social media, website, etc. If you have something newsworthy, submit the News Coverage Request Form or email dcoyle@wsisd.net.

Review September paycheck

Review your September paystub for deductions and benefits. Log into <u>Employee Access</u>. Click Employee Information at the top of the screen. Under the Payroll box, click Check History. Click the check number to view your check stub.

Spirit Gear



BHS HOSA Shirts & Sweatshirts

Flower of the Month Club



The Brewer High School Floral Design program will offer the Flower of the Month Club to all WSISD staff this year to provide floral design students with hands-on experience.

Complete the <u>form</u> and submit payment through <u>Revtrak</u> to support this program. Orders will be accepted through Oct. 23.

Individuals who participated last year will receive 20 percent off their full year order for the 2024-25 school year. Email <u>jolie.fulp@wsisd.net</u> for additional information.



BHS Blue Crew