



WMS COWBOY CONNECTION

WMS Families,

Please find updates and reminders below. Have a great weekend!

Your Partner in Education,

Brian Bocian

Principal

Parent Teacher Conferences.

Conferences will take place on Friday, 11/1, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. We will again be using Pick-a-Time to schedule conferences. On Wednesday, 10/16, parents will be able to begin scheduling ten-minute conference slots through Pick-a-Time. Details related to conferences can be found here: [WMS Conferences 24-25.docx](#)

6th Grade Camp.

6th Grade students will be visiting Camp Kern on Thursday, 11/7 and Friday, 11/8. Camp information for 6th Grade families including permission slips, cost, what to bring, and transportation can be found here: [Parent Letter Camp Kern 2024](#)

Picture Retakes.

Picture retakes will take place on Monday, 10/14.

Student Council Update.

Student Council will be coordinating a fundraiser to support families impacted by Hurricane Helene next week 10/16 - 10/18. "[All Hands & Hearts](#)" has been selected as the organization they would like to support. The Student Council goal is to raise at least \$627 to match our student population of 627. Students will be asked to turn in donations to homeroom teachers between 10/16 - 10/18. There will be a friendly competition between homerooms to see which homerooms are in the lead as the days go by and a grand prize winner which will be announced on 10/18. Student Council would like to thank you for your support with this endeavor.

Cell Phones.

Parents, a friendly reminder that students are asked to keep their cell phones off and away during the school day. Cell phones should not be taken into classrooms or used during school hours. If your child needs to access a phone during the day, they may request to make a call using the phone in the main office.

2024-2025 WMS Yearbook Sale.


If you would like to purchase a yearbook, they are available to purchase online beginning 10/14/24 through 12/31/24 for \$30 at www.yearbookforever.com. Once you are on the webpage, search for Wyoming Middle School and where you may select "BUY YEARBOOK". There is also a new feature this year on the website for 8th Grade Parents. It is titled "CREATE AN AD". Here 8th grade parents can create and purchase an ad to be in the yearbook for their child. 8th grade parents, please ask your child for the "8th Grade Yearbook Ad" form that will be sent home on 10/14/24 with guidelines and helpful information. This option is exclusive to the 8th Grade. Ads created for students who are not in the 8th grade will not be published in the yearbook and the ad payment will not be refunded; the purchase will be considered as a donation to the yearbook fund. Please contact Teresa Osborne at osbornet@wyomingcityschools.org if you have any questions.

Swim Team.

There will be two short informational sessions for 7th and 8th grade students about the swim team next week: Tuesday, October 15th OR Thursday October 17th from 3-3:15 in Ms. Toerner's classroom (room 208). Students should choose to attend one of the two meetings, or see Ms. Toerner for information if they cannot make it. After the meetings, Ms. Toerner will send information to all families who have signed up for the swim team on Final Forms. Please email Beth Toerner toernere@wyomingcityschools.org with any questions.

Wyoming PSA.

Check out the PSA flier below for information about the "Invest in Your Child" fundraiser.

 WPS Flyer 10_2_24.pdf

[Click here for more Events and Information from around WCS & the community](#), including:

- **Finance Friday:** Calculating the Net Impact of the WPS Bond Levy for Your Home
- **Parent Partnership Series this Tuesday, October 15:** Digital Balance - Navigating Technology with Your Kid
- Upcoming Events
- JWC Light Up kits discounted until Oct. 20

Cowboy Views.



Awesome display on the 2nd Floor of student work in recognition of Hispanic Heritage Month.



Choir Students did a great job at their concert Tuesday evening!



Strings students performed wonderfully on Wednesday night.



5th grade choir students break from rehearsing to compose and perform their own Halloween rhythms.
