## THE WILDCAT WEEKLY A Note from Dr. G Volume 4 Issue 10







The Week Ahead

11/12 - Elementary PTA Meeting 7:30 PM

11/14 - WMS 2 Hour Delay (parent teacher

conferences), HES Math Night 6:30 PM

11/13 - BOE Work Session 7:30 PM

11/16 - Turkey Trot T-Shirt Pick Up

## Superintendent's Corner

WHS and WMS Environmental Clubs joined forces for a cleanup at the Kensico Dam. Tom Hall and Ray Szczerba's students removed trash and other debris and used the time together to discuss the history of the reservoir system and the influences of invasive species in the area. They definitely left the area better than they found it! Congratulations to WHS' Chris D'Ippolito and Columbus' Kristen Finno who were both recognized with a New York State English Council Award. Kristen was honored for being a Library/Media Specialist who cultivates a passion for reading, provides students with diverse and inclusive texts, and fosters research and student inquiry in collaboration with classroom teachers. Chris was honored for excellence in teaching. Our art teachers took their professional development opportunity outside the classroom on a field trip to the Metropolitan Museum of Art for this week's

Superintendent Conference Day to study various pieces and brought back inspiration to their students!

Finally, Mount Pleasant teachers Stacey Hametz, Jenny Antonaccio, and Stephanie Pavia all ran in last Sundays NYC marathon! Fellow teachers Gina Carmody and Virgina Campbell went to the early morning drop off spot to cheer them on before they left!



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## In Awe of the Paw - Westlake Musicians

Our talented WHS musicians were busy last weekend at the All County Concerts. Tycho Force and Joseph Vulcano performed with the All County Band on Saturday, and nine vocalists performed with the All County Chorus on Sunday at New Rochelle High school. Bravo Wildcats



11/15 - Turkey Bingo

11/17 - Turkey Trot



## Noticing the Good

This year's Take a Vet to School Day gave students, staff, and community members the opportunity to come together to thank veterans for their service. The day started with coffee in the cafeteria and then each classroom had a small group gathering with a few veterans for story-telling and questions from students. The day ended with a moving ceremony including music, readings by students, and a presentation of honorary diplomas to three veterans who had never received theirs before enlisting in the military. Thank you to Christine Galbo and the CES Student Council for coordinating the event. Check out our social media for more photos and videos. We are already looking forward to next year!









