

The General News

January 24, 2025

Upcoming Dates



January 23-31 - ACCESS Testing

February 6 - PTA Meeting 7:00PM

February 17 - NO SCHOOL

February 19 - 8th Grade Picture Retakes

Date	Club/Activity	Time	Location
Monday 1.27.25	Generally Speaking	3:45-5:00	134
Tuesday 1.28.25	6th Grade Band Homework Club Anime Club	7:30 7:25 & 3:40 3:40-5:00	163 103 131
Wednesday 1.29.25	7th Grade Band Art Club Chess Club Dungeons & Dragons Fitness Club/PE Makeup	7:30 3:45-5:00 3:45-5:00 3:45-5:00 3:45-5:00	163 154 169 Tech Ctr. 155
Thursday 1.30.25	8th Grade Band Movie Club Homework Club	7:30 3:45-5:00 3:40-4:40	163 121 103
Friday 1.21.25	Choir Math Club	7:30 7:30	153 125

Would you consider donating items to PTA for a teacher's coffee bar?



Thank you teachers!

We are organizing a coffee bar for our teachers. Please have treats at Washington by the end of school on the 30th or 8:30 on the 31st. If you are donating DD gift cards, please let me know and I can get them to Dee. She will be buying the coffee that morning.

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**“Writing Our Stories: A Black History Conversation with
JASON REYNOLDS”**

**Wednesday, February 5, 2025 | 7 p.m.
Crimi Auditorium in the Institute for Collaboration**

Join us for an unforgettable evening in honor of Black History Month with **Jason Reynolds**, a #1 New York Times bestselling author celebrated for his novels and poetry that resonate with young adults and youth.

Jason's work masterfully captures the rich inner lives of kids of color, ensuring they see their stories and communities reflected in literature. Whether through verse, prose, a superhero novel, or a fusion of art and text, his powerful and moving examinations of modern society are innovative, captivating, and widely admired.

This free event requires advance registration.
To register, please visit auartsandideas.com,
call 630-844-4924, or scan the QR code.



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Lunch This Week

27 Mon	28 Tue	29 Wed	30 Thu	31 Fri
WG Macaroni & Cheese	Chicken Quesadilla	Chicken Tender Sandwich on ...	Brunch for Lunch! WG Pancak...	Grilled Cheese on WG Bread
Fruit of the Day	Fruit of the Day	Fruit of the Day	Fruit of the Day	Fruit of the Day
Seasonal Veggies	Seasonal Veggies	Seasonal Veggies	Seasonal Veggies	Seasonal Veggies
1% White Milk	1% White Milk	1% White Milk	1% White Milk	1% White Milk
Fat Free Chocolate Milk	Fat Free Chocolate Milk	Fat Free Chocolate Milk	Fat Free Chocolate Milk	Fat Free Chocolate Milk

Daily Options

All Beef Hot Dog	Chicken Patty Sandwich	Spicy Chicken Sandwich	NY Cheese Pizza
Beef Hamburger	Chicken Patty Sandwich	Assorted Sandwiches and Salads	



JOIN THE FIGHT AGAINST CHILDHOOD CANCER!

**Support our St. Baldrick's fundraiser!
Every dollar helps support lifesaving
research for kids fighting cancer.**

**Head Shaving Event: During Quarter 3
Assembly, March 28th.**

**Deadline to Donate: Spring Break
Important: You do not need to donate your
hair to participate.**

**Donating will enter you to win prizes in a raffle!
Prizes for top donors. Together we can make
an impact! Scan the QR Code to donate!**



¡ÚNETE A LA LUCHA CONTRA EL CÁNCER INFANTIL!

¡Apoya nuestra campaña de recaudación de fondos de St. Baldrick's! Cada dólar ayuda a respaldar la investigación que salva vidas para niños que luchan contra el cáncer.

Evento de afeitado de cabeza: durante la asamblea del tercer trimestre, el 28 de marzo.

Fecha límite para donar: vacaciones de primavera

Importante: No es necesario que dones tu cabello para participar.

¡Si donas, participarás en un sorteo para ganar premios! Premios para los mejores donantes. ¡Juntos podemos generar un impacto! ¡Escanea el código QR para donar!



Athletic Opportunities at WAHS



REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW



MIDDLE SCHOOL WINTER WEIGHTLIFTING 2025

LEARN FUNDAMENTAL WEIGHTLIFTING SKILLS & TECHNIQUES
FROM CERTIFIED & EXPERIENCED COACHES IN A SAFE ENVIRONMENT

MAKE YOURSELF MORE COMPETITIVE IN EVERY SPORT

WHEN

EVERY MON/THURS
JANUARY 9
THROUGH
MARCH 20

*OCCASIONAL DATE CHANGE TO
ACCOMMODATE SCHOOL
EVENTS

TIME

5:00-6:15PM

*WE DO NOT MEET ON
NON-ATTENDANCE DAYS

WHERE

WEST AURORA
HIGH SCHOOL
WEIGHT ROOM

Enter at Door #10

FOR WHO

ALL CURRENT
7TH & 8TH GRADERS
IN DISTRICT 129

*SOME 6TH GRADERS
BY REQUEST

COST

\$50
THAT IS LESS THAN
THREE DOLLARS
PER SESSION!!!

INSTRUCTORS

COACH KETZA - Sophomore Football
USAW LEVEL 1 SPORTS PERFORMANCE COACH

COACH FEYERER - Varsity Football

COACH FOWLER - Freshman Football

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

REGISTER USING
manage.snap.app/register/wahs

LOOK FOR
"Middle School Winter Weightlifting"

QUESTIONS?

CONTACT
COACH KETZA
BKETZA@SD129.ORG
630-301-6588



5TH - 8TH GRADE FOOTBALL CAMP

**FEBRUARY & MARCH 2025
SUNDAYS FROM 4:15-5:15 PM
WEST HIGH BLUE FIELDHOUSE**

**Registration starts Dec. 6th at
BlackhawkFootballAcademy.com**

SPACE IS LIMITED, SO REGISTER EARLY!

7TH AND 8TH GRADE GIRLS' FLAG FOOTBALL CAMP



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WEST HIGH VETERAN'S FIELD HOUSE**

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West Aurora
Girls Golf

OPEN PRACTICES

NEW THIS YEAR:

- *1st time attendees will receive a gift
- *Any current team member who attends and brings someone new, they will both receive a gift

Go For It Sports
Chad Johansen Golf Academy
9231 Galena Rd. Yorkville

*No previous experience
or equipment
necessary*

All District 129
Girls Grades 6-12



DATES

January **12th*** & 27th
February 10th & 23rd
March 9th & 23rd
April 13th & 28th
May 12th

TIME

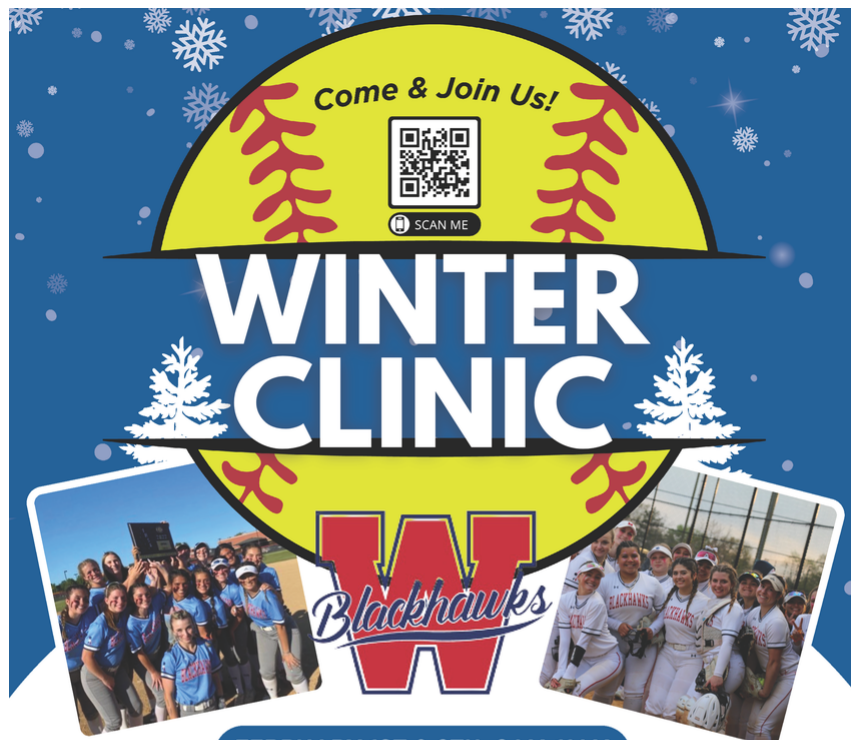
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

***7:00 pm - 9:00 pm**

Contact to sign up or if
you have questions

Coach Soulsby

csoulsby@sd129.org



FEBRUARY 1ST & 8TH: 9AM-11AM
West Aurora High School Blue Fieldhouse

Come join us for some winter softball fun! We will be putting players' hitting, fielding, pitching, catching, and throwing skills into action. We look forward to seeing you there!

BRING YOUR:
GLOVE | BAT | WATER BOTTLE | GYM SHOES

\$30 COST FOR BOTH DAYS

GRADES 4 - 8 WELCOME!

 **REGISTER ON SNAP**

¡Ven y únete a nosotros!



SCAN ME

INVIERNO CLÍNICA



1 Y 8 DE FEBRERO: 9:00 A 11:00 HORAS
Casa de campo azul de la escuela secundaria West Aurora

¡Únase a nosotros para disfrutar de un poco de diversión con el softbol invernal! Pondremos en práctica las habilidades de bateo, fideo, lanzamiento, recepción y lanzamiento de los jugadores. ¡Esperamos verlo allí!

TRAJE TU:
GUANTE | BATE | BOTELLA DE AGUA | ZAPATILLAS DE DEPORTE

\$30 COSTO POR AMBOS DÍAS **¡BIENVENIDOS GRADOS 4 - 8!**

 **REGISTRARSE EN SNAP**

Weekly Words of Wisdom:

An investment in knowledge pays the best interest. –Benjamin Franklin

WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL

REMEMBER TO CALL THE **ABSENCE LINE** IF
YOUR CHILD IS ABSENT FROM SCHOOL



630-301-5500



ATTENDANCE OFFICE PROFESIONAL:
MELISSA KRAUSE
630-301-5480



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Middle School Calendar & Bell Schedule



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