Friday, 3/28

TEXAN NEWS

Wimberley High School

MESSAGE FROM MR. WILKES

There was no easing back into our routine after spring break. This week, we've had to hit the ground running, so I hope you were able to get some rest during the break.

Baseball and softball are starting district play, and the girls' soccer team is on a winning streak in the playoffs, playing Rockport-Fulton tonight in Yoakum. UIL Academics will compete in the district meet this weekend. I wish all of our students the best of luck, and I look forward to seeing them succeed.

Lastly, tomorrow is Prom Night: An Evening With The Stars. There will be movie theater-style refreshments and snacks available. The dance will take place at **The Venue**, **located at 2032 Central Plaza in New Braunfels**. Please remind your student to arrive **BEFORE 9:00 PM**, as late arrivals will not be permitted to enter. This is one of my favorite times of the year; I love seeing our students dressed up and enjoying a fun, safe evening.

Ryan Wilkes GO TEXANS #WHSTEXANPRIDE

DATES OF INTEREST

March 29: WHS Junior/Senior Prom - See flyer here
April 8: NACAC College Fair- See Website to
Register

April 24: Fentanyl & Substance Abuse Prevention Webinar (for parents/guardians) - 12 pm - Zoom

To see all dates on the Wimberley High School calendar, click here: WHS Calendar link

POPULAR LINKS

Bell Schedule
Gradebook
Sports Schedules
District Calendar
WHS Calendar
A/B Calendar
Library

College and Career Resources



STUDENT ID COLLECTION

ALL STUDENTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO TURN IN THEIR STUDENT ID AT THE END OF THE SEMESTER. A fee of \$15 will be charged if students do not return their ID badges upon withdrawal from school or at the end of the school year. If a badge is returned damaged the same fee will apply.

NEW BADGES CAN BE PURCHASED AT https://wimberleyisd.revtrak.net/Wimberley-High-School/#/v/SMART-Tag-ID 2025

GRIEF SUPPORT

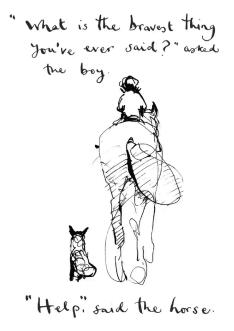
Grief Support at the Wellness Center

The Wellness Center staff invites students experiencing grief for any loss to a Grief Processing Meeting to share, reflect, and find support.

Where: Wellness Center

When: April 2
Time: Texan Time

This is a safe space to connect and heal. No sign-up required—just come as you are.



CONGRESSIONAL ART COMPETITION

The Artistic Discovery Contest is open to all high school students in our District until April 18. The winning artwork will be displayed for one year in the U.S. Capitol. The exhibit in Washington will include the winning artwork from all participating districts from around the country. The winning artwork is also featured on House.gov's Congressional Art Competition page. More information and release forms can be found here:

http://roy.house.gov/services/art-competition.

FESTA OFFERING TO PARENTS

Fentanyl Education, Support Training, and Awareness (FESTA) Program offering: An outreach/webinar related to Fentanyl & Substance Abuse prevention by experts in the field is offered on Thursday, April 24 at 12pm noon via Zoom. Anyone who attends can fill out an online post survey for a \$10 Amazon gift card. See flyer for more info.



LAST CHANCE!

Wimberley High School Yearbooks are Almost Sold Out!

Don't miss your shot to grab yours before they're gone. Order now



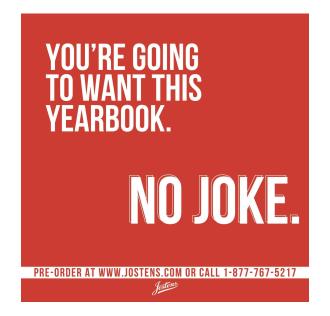
VOLUNTEER HOUR OPPORTUNITIES

Camp CommUnity

Camp CommUnity (CU) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that provides enriching programs for students in grades K-8, including after-school classes and summer camps. CU's programs are **free of charge for families facing systemic barriers.** They also host family engagement activities and community events, and believe that community is at the heart of what they do. Located in the Texas Hill Country, Camp CommUnity serves students of WISD. **CU is always looking for student volunteers and encourages students to get involved to help make a difference and build up volunteer hours.** Student volunteer sign-up link:

https://app.betterimpact.com/Volunteer/Schedule/SignupFromCalendar

Market Days Sign Up to Volunteer at Market Days each month



SENIOR SECTION

SENIOR BABY PHOTOS FOR GRADUATION

Every year at graduation, we show a slideshow of baby photos next to their cap and gown photos. Seniors and Senior Guardians, please send or bring in your baby photos **ASAP** to Coach Dydalewicz at <u>Greg.Dydalewicz@wimberleyisd.net</u>.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS (ASCE) SCHOLARSHIP

The ASCE Younger Member Forum is offering a scholarship for 2024-2025 high school seniors pursuing Civil Engineering, STEM, or a related field. The application deadline is April 11, 2025, at 5 PM CDT—interested students can apply using the provided link.

PHOTO TEXAS SENIOR PHOTOS - WHERE TO GET THEM?

We've received several requests from students and guardians to view and purchase their senior photos. If you want to view and purchase a senior photo but have lost the order code, please use this form from Photo Texas.

AP CORNER

PARKING PASSES

We are seeing an increase in student drivers who do not have parking passes. Students without parking passes are required to park in the band parking lot across the street or can park at the field house. We have started ticketing vehicles without parking permits. Permits can be purchased in the AP's office.

ATTENDANCE RECOVERY INFORMATION

Attendance Recovery hours can be made up during the following times on campus without an appointment:

Mr. Bowman's Room #207

Tuesday AM- 7:20-8:10 Wednesday PM- 3:35-4:35 Thursday AM- 7:20-8:10 Friday Night Live 3:35-7:35

Ms. Yuracka's Room #216

Monday PM- 3:35-4:35 Tuesday PM- 3:35-4:35 Thursday PM- 3:35-4:35

*Additionally, students may also use community service as a means to recover hours with prior approval from the AP office.

SKYWARD FAMILY ACCESS INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

All parents/guardians are encouraged to sign up to receive alerts regarding your child's attendance, tardies, grades, etc. through the Skyward Family Access portal. Please contact Rhonda Nolen (rhonda.nolen@wimberleyisd.net), WHS Registrar, if you need assistance accessing the portal.

COUNSELORS CORNER

ACC DUAL CREDIT

Did you sign up to take ACC Dual Credit next school year? Please visit this link to get all the details of what you must do.

One of the **requirements** is taking the TSI test, information below!

TSI TESTING OPPORTUNITIES IN THE SPRING

The TSIA is a college readiness exam. <u>Learn more about the TSI here</u>. Students can take the TSI test FOR FREE at an ACC campus. Please go to <u>this link</u> to get all the information on testing at ACC.

The TSI Test will be given at WHS and will be able to accommodate a limited number of students at each testing session. You will receive an email if it gets full and you need to choose a new date. The cost of the test this year is; Full TSI Test (reading, writing, math) - \$20 and each individual part - \$7.

- April 30, 2025
- June 4, 2025 (summer)

Sign-up by doing two things:

- 1. Pay through the webstore at this link.
- 2. Fill out this Google form.

You will only be registered to take the test if you do BOTH steps above. Students will receive an email within a week of the scheduled testing date with details and confirmation.

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Make sure you are checking out the <u>scholarship page</u> on the <u>website</u>. We are updating it regularly as scholarships come in. The local scholarships will start coming in soon, so keep your eye out! **Scholarship Tip:** Make sure you qualify for the scholarships you are applying for by reading the description carefully!!

FAFSA Link

Students, you will need the following information:

- DOB & Social security number
- Your own email address
- You need separate Login from your parent/contributor
- No work or school emails

"Wherever you
go, no matter the
weather, always
bring your own
sunshine."
ANTHONY J. D'ANGELO

NEWSLETTER ATTACHMENTS THIS WEEK

Yearbook Order Flyer 2025 Tapestry Singers Scholarship