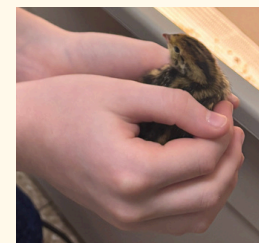
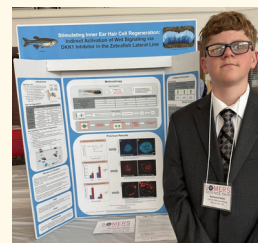


THE WILDCAT WEEKLY

A Note from Dr. G

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Superintendent's Corner

Thank you to everyone who participated in the blood drive at WHS and thank you to the Service Club for organizing. Westlake donated over 50 pints!

Our Hawthorne Wildcats met with their new principal Anthony Carolini on Monday night. It was fun to see current students and incoming kindergarteners together in the courtyard! Thank you to the PTA for organizing the treats.

We held our annual NCAA signing day for the 12 scholar athletes who will be taking their athletic skills to the next level and remember... Once a Wildcat always a Wildcat!

We had two concerts this week. Our 6th Grade Band and Chorus performed as well as the Meistersingers and Jazz Band on Tuesday night. Last night was the Fifth grade Concert featuring the 5th Grade Band, the Troubadours and the Honor Band. As a special treat, band teacher, Austin Alianiello wrote an original song and dedicated it to retiring principal Michael Cunzio. Check out the video on our social media. The beautiful program artwork was done by Abigail Varadi!

The good news in Science Research continued at the Somers Science Fair where Nate Nolan took third prize in cellular and molecular biology. This event is especially for first year science research students and this year drew a record - over 800 participants!

Finally, the chicken and duck and quail eggs have hatched! There are some messy, noisy, and fun learning experiences happening in Columbus, Hawthorne and the middle school. Check out this picture of our only quail, Q-Bert, who is living in Lisa Fornara's classroom for the next few days!

Noticing the Good

Every spring, the New York State School Music Association, NYSSMA, hosts adjudicated festivals attended by woodwind, brass, string, percussion, vocal and piano students in all grades throughout all of New York State. For NYSSMA, a solo is prepared, along with an evaluation of students' fundamentals and sight-reading capabilities.

Mount Pleasant had amazing participation in these festivals, with 71 students participating between the grades of four through twelve. The hard work and commitment necessary for this adjudication is highly commendable! Congratulations Wildcats!



The Week Ahead

6/9 - Kindness Day; Senior Walk; WHS Senior Awards 6:30 pm; MTPEF Meeting 7 pm

6/10 - Senior Experience Presentations; Elem PTA Mtg 7:30 pm

6/11 - Meet & Greet with New Principal Kevin Hanlon at CES 6 pm; Board of Education Meeting (Retiree Celebration) 7:30 pm

6/12 - WHS Prom

6/13 - HES Picnic

Kindness Day
June 9

In honor of Gia's birthday, WMS and WHS is dedicating June 9th to remember Gia and live like her though kind acts.

WEAR PURPLE - feel free to go all out!
PIN A PEER - decorate a purple pin with a kind message the week before and pin someone's backpack on kindness day

Celebrate Gia's 15th birthday with our Wildcat family

In Awe of the Paw - Lights and Sound!

If you've enjoyed any events in the Whearty Theater this year and appreciated the sound and lighting then although you might not recognize these faces, these are two of the masterminds behind the scenes!

Please join us in thanking Lucas Finkel and Owen Samoyedny for picking up volunteer hours by working the sound and lighting board for many of our concerts and performances. Thank you also to Toni Williams for her work with the theater throughout the year!

