

THE BEAR SIGNAL

RISE OF THE FUTURE LEADERS





BREWER CROSS COUNTRY RUNNER ADVANCES TO STATE

Brewer High School Cross Country runner Madison Carroll will advance to the State Meet after taking fourth place at the Region I Cross Country Meet with a time of 18:52. Layla Tayfel took 57th with a run of 21:08.

Head Coach is Alex Hensel, and assistants are Marcelo Hernandez, Dena Atzenhoffer and Faith Morrow.



VARSITY FOOTBALL GAME MOVED TO THURSDAY; ELEMENTARY STUDENTS GET IN FREE OCT. 23

All pre-k through fifth graders who wear a school or Brewer t-shirt or jersey get in free with a paying adult on Elementary Night, Thursday, Oct. 23, at the Bears' varsity football game! All football games were moved up due to the potential for lightning and storms Friday.

Click <u>here</u> to purchase tickets. It's a big game for the Bears!

OCTOBER IS WSISD ATTENDANCE AWARENESS MONTH

Let's celebrate the importance of showing up. Every day counts toward learning, growing, and being a part of our school community.

Why Attendance Matters Every Day Counts!



Why is attendance important?

Students with good attendance not only stay on track in learning, but they also earn special incentives and recognition. Every day they're in school is a chance to grow, celebrate, and be part of the fun with their classmates. When students miss school, they miss out on these opportunities, too. Let's work together to make sure every child gets to experience it all, because every day counts!

Key Facts & Stats

- Missing just 2 days a month = 18 days a year = nearly 10% of the school year.
- Students who miss just 2 days per month are more likely to fall behind in reading and math.
- By 6th grade, chronic absence is one of the strongest predictors of dropping out of high school.
- Students with strong attendance are more likely to graduate, go to college, and have higher-paying jobs.

Ripple Effect (Funding)

Attendance also affects school funding. When students are absent, schools lose state funding dollars that help pay for programs, resources, and staff.

More attendance = stronger funding = higher quality education for every child



Every day at school means:

- · Building friendships
- · Developing good habits
- Participating in class rewards and recognition
- Staying connected to teachers and support systems

Student Incentive Opportunities

Incentives vary by campus and may include things like class parties, Bear Bucks to spend on gadgets and treats, special snacks, awards, and more.

When students miss school, they miss out on these exciting opportunities to celebrate and participate alongside their friends.

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JINGLE BELL JOG

Deadline to <u>sign up</u> for WSISD's 4th annual Jingle Bell Jog is 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 21! For just \$10, individuals will get a long-sleeve shirt, bell, hot chocolate or coffee, and the opportunity to participate in the 1-mile walk/run at the Brewer High School stadium.

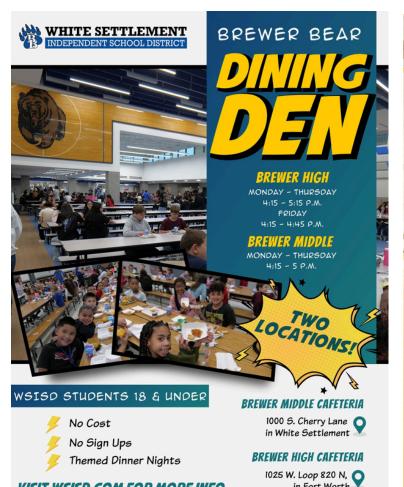
Participants must sign up by the deadline to receive a shirt.

VOLUNTEER TODAY TO BECOME AN ACADEMY 4 MENTOR TO A FOURTH GRADER

WSISD partners with Academy 4 and our local churches so every Blue Haze Elementary, Liberty Elementary and North STEAM Academy fourth grader has a dedicated mentor. Mentors and students come together once a month for leadership activities, games, crafts and more!



Click here to sign up to become a mentor today! Mentors must undergo a criminal background check.



FREE SUPPER AVAILABLE FOR ALL STUDENTS: TWO LOCATIONS AVAILABLE

VISIT WSISD.COM FOR MORE INFO.

Click <u>here</u> to apply!

The WSISD Child Nutrition Department provides free supper to any WSISD student ages 18 and younger at Brewer High and Brewer Middle School. No application is required. Click the link for the menu.

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HELP FAMILIES IN NEED THIS THANKSGIVING; DONATE TO WSISD THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Donations will be accepted at every school and the WSISD Administration Building for WSISD's annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Click the link to make a monetary donation.

