



# THE BEAR SIGNAL

## RISE OF THE FUTURE LEADERS

**WHITE SETTLEMENT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**2025 Thanksgiving Food Drive**

Help provide WSISD families in need with a traditional Thanksgiving dinner!

Items will be collected between **Oct. 27 - Nov. 11**

Grocery gift cards for turkeys & monetary donations also accepted.  
<https://wsisd.revtrak.net/donations/#/v/thanksgiving-food-drive-donations>

<b>Brewer High School/North</b>	<b>Brewer Middle</b>
Canned Green Beans	Canned Sweet Potatoes
Canned Corn	Cranberry Sauce
Turkey/Chicken Gravy	Canned Fruit
Boxed Tea	Boxed Tea
<b>Liberty/ Fine Arts Academy at Tannahill</b>	<b>West/Blue Haze</b>
Boxed/Bagged Stuffing Mix	Boxed/Bagged Stuffing Mix
Boxed/Bagged Instant Potatoes	Boxed/Bagged Instant Potatoes
Macaroni & Cheese	Macaroni & Cheese
Boxed Tea	Boxed Tea

Need Info? Email Michelle Soileau: [msoileau@wsisd.net](mailto:msoileau@wsisd.net) or call 817.367.5340

### WEAR RED, WHITE AND BLUE ON VETERANS DAY

WSISD will honor and celebrate our veterans and the sacrifices they make for us by wearing Red, White and Blue on Tuesday, Nov. 11.

To all the brave women and men who have served and continue to serve our country, thank you for your courage, sacrifice, and dedication to protect the freedoms we cherish every day. We are forever grateful.

**Thank You VETERANS**

Veteran's Day — Tuesday, Nov. 11

**WHITE SETTLEMENT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

The deadline to donate food to the WSISD Thanksgiving Food Drive is Nov. 11. Click the [link](https://wsisd.revtrak.net/donations/#/v/thanksgiving-food-drive-donations) to make a monetary donation.

### DEADLINE TO SIGN UP FOR JINGLE BELL JOG NOV. 21

Get festive AND be healthy with your families and friends during WSISD's 4th annual Jingle Bell Jog! Deadline to sign up for the lighted 1-mile walk/run is 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 21. Cost is \$10 and includes a long-sleeve shirt, bell and hot chocolate or coffee. Participants must sign up by the deadline to receive a shirt.

The event will also include holiday games from 5:30 to 6 p.m. in the Brewer High School stadium and a holiday costume contest at 6 p.m.

**JINGLE BELL JOG**

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10 6:15 P.M. BHS STADIUM**

**VISIT WSISD.COM TO REGISTER TODAY!**

**LIBERTY ELEMENTARY STUDENTS WIN \$500 FROM WSISD EDUCATION FOUNDATION FOR THEIR SCHOOL**

Congratulations to our 2025 Punt, Pass, Kick Challenge winners, Alexa Avila and Jordan Vazque from Liberty Elementary! They won \$500 total for their school from the WSISD Education Foundation. For the 10th year, one fifth grade boy and girl from every elementary campus competed during pre-game of the Bears' varsity football game.

Other contestants were: Allie Cortes-Lanzot and Jomir Biscoe, Blue Haze Elementary; Eisely Rhoden and Hudson Belew, Fine Arts Academy WSISD; and Keyla Estrada and Trenton Taylor, North Elementary STEAM Academy. The competition is one of many ways the Foundation gives back to WSISD schools!



**QPR Suicide Prevention**

Please join The Jordan Elizabeth Harris Foundation and special guest from Cook Children's Center for Community Health for QPR Suicide Prevention training. QPR stands for Question, Persuade, and Refer — the 3 simple steps anyone can learn to help save a life from suicide. Suicide is now the 2nd leading cause of death for youth ages 10-24 in Texas. Together, we can offer hope to those struggling.


**November 12**  
6:30-7:30pm  
Zoom live session



Click here or scan the QR code to register for this Zoom session.



The Jordan Elizabeth Harris Foundation and Cook Children's Center for Community Health invite parents to a free virtual Question, Persuade and Refer Suicide Prevention Session on Wednesday, Nov. 12 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Learn the signs of a suicidal crisis, intervention strategies for helping struggling individuals, and recommendations for guiding someone to resources and support. Registration is required. Click [here](#).




# FUNDRAISING

»» **Support** ««

**WSISD EDUCATION FOUNDATION**  
**MONDAY, NOV. 10**  
**4PM-10PM**

**10% DONATION NIGHT**  
for **WSISD Education Foundation**. Present this flyer at the Lake Worth location and Texas Roadhouse will donate **10%** of your total food purchases to **WSISD Education Foundation!**

**817-769-3480**  
**6672 NW LOOP 820**  
**FORT WORTH, TX**





**Did you know?**  
Missing 2 days a month =  
Nearly 3 weeks of school lost per year





## FREE 211 HELPLINE PROVIDES RESOURCES

The 211 Texas/United Way HELPLINE provides free and confidential information and referral services to those in need every day, 24 hours a day. Community resource information includes: Basic Needs, Senior Services, Veterans Services, Child Care, Employment Services, Health Care, Legal Services, and Disaster Resources. Need help? DIAL 211 (or 1-877-541-7905); visit [211texas.org](http://211texas.org); TEXT your zip code to 898211; or visit [www.211texas.org](http://www.211texas.org).

## MENTORS NEEDED FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Brewer High School has partnered with Mentors Care to serve 75 at-risk students at BHS. Several openings are available for mentors who can commit 1 hour a week to work with an at-risk/struggling teen. Mentors must undergo a criminal history background check and complete a 2-hour, in-person training. Sign up today.

## REGISTER NOW TO GET FREE WEEK OF GROCERIES

Fellowship Church invites families to sign up for its Hope For Our City outreach event on Nov. 23, a weekend dedicated to providing free groceries, essential items, and encouragement to families in need. Every family that attends will receive a week's worth of groceries.

## WSISD COMMUNITY RESOURCES WEB PAGE PROVIDES FOOD PANTRIES AND MORE

Visit the [WSISD Counseling webpage](#) for a list of food pantries and distribution sites as well as mental health, medical, financial resources and more.