



WMS COWBOY CONNECTION

WMS Families,

We enjoyed meeting with many of you at conferences last Monday! Thank you for another great week. Some of the highlights included our annual 6th-grade trip to Camp Kern. In the coming week, we will recognize Veterans Day and cap things off with a dance for our 7th- and 8th-grade students. Please see the details and reminders below.

Have a great weekend!

*Brian Bocian
Principal*

Veterans Day

The WMS Social Studies Department and Student Council are partnering with Disabled American Veterans (DAV) to honor local veterans through our Veterans Day Field of Flags display on November 11. A total of 48 flags have been purchased and will be displayed along the front of the school on Wyoming Avenue.

Disabled American Veterans (DAV) fundraiser Success

The WMS Student Council surpassed their goal of raising \$500 to support Disabled American Veterans (DAV), by collecting a grand total of \$550! \$1 Donations were collected during lunches on October 24 & 31. For each contribution, students earned a strip of duct tape to help tape Mrs. Hayner and Dr. Bocian to the wall.

7th & 8th Grade Dance

The school dance will be held on Friday, November 14, from 6:30–8:30 p.m. The theme is Tropical! Student Council will be selling tickets during lunch throughout the week for \$7 (cash only). Tickets can also be purchased at the door the night of the dance for \$10. Student Council will be selling snacks at the dance, and water will be provided.

8th Grade Chicago Reminders

Chicago Trip Reminder: 2nd installment of \$225 is due on November 20.

Additional information can be found here: [8th Grade Chicago Trip Payment Schedule](#)

Attributes of a Learner Awards

Each month this school year, teachers are asked to identify students who demonstrate WCS' Attributes of a Learner. Recognized students receive rewards, a certificate, and a card with comments from the nominating teacher. Click [here](#) if you would like to learn more about WCS' Attributes of a Learner.

Congratulations to the following students who were recognized this week:



*Lumbani Nkhata, Peri Diersel, Colton Brichler, Betsy Harness, Lucy Galvin
Aaron Storms, Elsa Menninger, Abe Mcfarland, Fira Grote, Caycee Maupin, Theo Welsh, Eden Reisert, Will Anness,
Emily Rooks, Savannah Huening, Sophie Stevens, Ollie Sikes, Milo Schlegel, Srija Jha & Marie Constien*

PaySchools Reminder for Families

New this year. Families now have two options for paying student fees:

1. Online – using the Wyoming City Schools PaySchools Central account.
 2. In person – by bringing a check (made out to Wyoming City Schools) or cash (exact change only) to the school front office.
- Us the following link for details: [☰ Fees and Lunch Accounts](#)

Yearbooks on Sale Now

Capture this school year's best moments with the 2025–2026 WMS Yearbook

Yearbooks are \$30 and can be ordered online at yearbookforever.com using a credit card, debit card, or PayPal. The price increases to \$35 after January 19, 2026.

- Parents of 8th graders: Celebrate your student's achievements with a personal ad in the yearbook! Include a favorite photo and message to make their book even more meaningful. Ads are \$25 and can also be purchased at yearbookforever.com
- Ads are due by March 14, 2026.

Upcoming Events

- 7th & 8th Grade Band Concert 7-8pm WHS
- Thanksgiving Break - November 26-30
- ELA MAP Test - December 3
- Math MAP Test - December 11

Cowboy Views

*Rehearsals and stage set construction are well underway for this fall's school play, **The Fearsome Pirate Frank!** Below are a few sneak peeks of what will be an amazing show. Performance dates are November 21 and 22 at 7:00 p.m.*





6th Graders had multiple opportunities to engage and collaborate with during their time at Camp Kern! A special thanks to all of our teachers who attended and planned the trip.





[Click here for more Events and Information from around WCS & the community](#), including:

- Finance Friday: One Year Ago This Week...
- Vermont School Design Workshop #1 on Nov. 10
- WHS presents *Three Musketeers* on Nov. 7 & 8
- Upcoming Events
- PSA Dine & Donate event at LaRosa's on Nov. 12
- WSF Nights at The Acres Lighted Forest on Nov 18-20
- Support Wyoming PSA While You Grocery Shop
- Journey Into Adulthood Expo on Nov 12
- Wyoming Turkey Raffle on Nov. 21 & 22
- JWC Light Up Wyoming Luminary Kit Sale