

WHITE SETTLEMENT ISD

# GUARDIAN GAZETTE



Why did Doctor Strange make a seating chart?

### What's Inside?

- Teachers & Employees of Month
- Special Discounts
- Jingle Bell Jog
- Upcoming Fundraisers

### SUPERINTENDENT'S SIGNAL

I love that our Brewer Bear team is truly a family. We recently came together on Cancer Awareness Day to honor our team members who are bravely battling cancer. Let's continue to stand with, support, and pray for those who are fighting: Heather Crow, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction; Cathy Koke, CTE Coordinator; Krissy Layton, Instructional Coach; Darsi Martinez, HR Secretary; and Lisa Smith, Liberty Elementary teacher. This week, we were deeply saddened to learn of the passing of our Athletic Trainer, Audrey Ross, who faced her battle with incredible courage. This holiday season, may we cherish every moment with our loved ones and find joy in the big and small blessings in our lives.



## OCTOBER TEACHERS & EMPLOYEES OF MONTH

Campus/Dept.	Teacher	Employee
Brewer High	Zeke Kuwaya	Darla Morales
Brewer Middle	Joseph Carroll	Kirsten Schneider
Fine Arts Academy	Caitlin Goodin	Jennifer Horn
Blue Haze	Kelley Sanders	Scottie Mullins
Liberty	Allison Denham	Sabrina Gregg
North STEAM	Jennifer McWhirter	Liz Garcia
West Early Learners	Pam Torres	Jennifer Colquitt
Guest Teacher	Johnna Cabeen	
Child Nutrition	FCLC	Central Admin
Patricia Robles	Lyndsey Conn	Nancy Escobar
Operations	Special Programs	Technology
John Chiafos	Amy Ganninger	Sarah Arreguin
C&I	Transportation	Custodial
Christina Williams	Troy Crawford	Kenneth Skinner
Police	RISE	Fine Arts
Dennis Boden	Zena Anthony	Lillian Miller

**APPLY NOW THROUGH DEC. 8 FOR \$39,000 IN INNOVATIVE GRANTS**



Congrats to North STEAM Academy PE Coach Hayden Ingram who won 4 tickets to the Dallas Mavericks game as part of the WSISD Education Foundation's Blue Jean Incentive program. Employees who participate in the program are eligible for monthly drawings, AND they are able to apply for Innovative Teaching Grants.

The WSISD Education Foundation will accept grant applications now through Dec. 8 to award nearly \$39,000 in grants before the holidays.

- Judges' criteria includes: qualification, description, innovation, and justification. Not sure if your grant is eligible? Email Desiree Coyle at [dcoyle@wsisd.net](mailto:dcoyle@wsisd.net).
- Grants for field trips, incentives/awards, and consumables will not be considered.
- Write your applications in layman's terms. Keep it simple and concise, while also proving that your idea would be innovative and beneficial to students.

Apply today!

**Special Offer**  
**BLACK FRIDAY**  
 11/17 THRU 12/1

**WSISD TEACHERS & STAFF SAVE EVEN MORE ON OUR BLACK FRIDAY SEASON PASS DEAL!**

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AT CHECKOUT USE PROMO CODE:  
**gobears2026**

splashdayzws.com

Splash Dayz White Settlement will offer WSISD staff members an additional \$5 off the already discounted season passes now through Dec. 1.

Add all of the season passes you wish to purchase BEFORE entering promo code *gobears2026* at checkout. If you enter the code before adding all of the season passes, it will not apply to all of the passes. Click [here](#) to purchase.

## JINGLE BELL JOG DEADLINE FRIDAY, NOV. 21

Deadline to sign up for WSISD's 4th annual Jingle Bell Jog is 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 21! Participants must sign up by the deadline to receive a shirt.

**JINGLE BELL JOG**

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

VISIT WSISD.COM TO REGISTER TODAY!

# December

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

happy holidays

## EAT & SHOP FUNDRAISERS

- 12/7-12/14 - BMS Football & Cheer \$5 Below Fundraiser
- 12/8 - Fine Arts Academy PTO Marco's Pizza Fundraiser
- 12/12 - Awesome Underdaws Food Truck, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.  
401 S. Cherry Lane
- 12/16 - North STEAM Academy PTO Raising Cane's Night

## BoomerJacks offering 20 percent discount

Now through Aug. 31, 2026, BoomerJacks Lake Worth will offer a 20 percent discount to all WSISD staff members on all food and non-alcoholic beverage purchases. Employees must show a district ID on dine-in only orders.



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JOIN US FOR OUR  
**11<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HONEYCOMB HOLIDAY MARKET**

DECEMBER 6, 2025;  
FROM 9:30 AM TO 2PM

BREWER HIGH SCHOOL  
1025 W Loop 820N - Fort Worth, TX 76108



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## LAUNDROMAT OFFERING 20 PERCENT DISCOUNT FOR WASH, DRY AND FOLD



Jet Wash Laundry will provide a 20 percent discount to all staff members for their wash, dry and/or fold services. Wash, dry and fold is \$12 per load/15 lbs.; dry and fold only, \$10; and king and queen blankets, \$16.

Located at 804 N. Las Vegas Trail in White Settlement, the laundromat also offers coin machines for those who wish to do it themselves and may not have machines at home.

Because he can see the multiverse of learning styles.