

WASHINGTON BOROUGH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

December 7, 2018

OUR SCHOOLS' BULLETIN

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Board of Education Regular Meeting - Monday, December 10, at 7:30 p.m. @ Memorial School.

SCHOOL CLOSED

The Washington Borough School District will be closed for Winter Recess beginning December 24 through January 1, 2019. Classes will resume on January 2, 2019. On Friday, December 21, Memorial and Taylor Street Schools will be on a compressed schedule. School will dismiss as follows: Memorial at 12:45 p.m., Taylor Street at 1:00 p.m., Preschool AM and PM sessions will be held during the AM session – 8:35 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.

AFTER 3 PROGRAM

Reminder: On the compressed school day, Friday, December 21, After 3 will be open the following hours:
Memorial School - **12:45-4:30 p.m.** and Taylor Street School - **1:00-4:30 p.m.** Please call 689-3336 if you have any questions.

FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE

Absentee Procedure... The purpose of calling in when your child is absent is twofold: (1) it will ensure parents their children arrived safely at school (2) it will inform the nurse of any health problems that are present. In order for this program to be effective, 100% parental cooperation is necessary. If you know your child will be absent or late, please call Taylor @ 689-0091 for Taylor students and Memorial @ 689-0241 for Memorial students. The answering machine will take your message from 4:00 p.m. through 8:00 a.m., Monday through Friday, all weekends, holidays and anytime school is not in session. This will allow you to call the school early in the morning before you leave for work or late at night if you are up with a sick child and know he/she will not attend school the next day. When you call, please leave your child's name, classroom, and reason for absence, e.g. fever, sore throat, stomachache, etc. If we fail to hear from you, we will call to verify the child's absence. All efforts to call you will be made to home, emergency numbers, your work place and if need be, the police. Please keep your child home if they are sick in order to prevent the spread of germs. If your child has a fever, they must stay home until they are fever free for 24 hours without medication.

PTO

Holiday Caroling...We are looking for parent volunteers to go caroling at Taylor Street and Memorial Schools on Friday, December 21. We will start at Taylor Street at 8:45 a.m. and hope to be at Memorial by 10:15 a.m. It is a fun morning and the kids love it! Please let me know if you can help. Thanks! Tiffany Farrington at washborpto@gmail.com or call 908-208-8448.
Project Trio – Outside the Bachs – PTO in-school assembly... The PTO was proud to present the in-school assembly, Project Trio – Outside the Bachs, on Monday, November 26 (Memorial at 9:30a.m. and Taylor Street at 1:30p.m.). *Funding for this program was provided in part by the Warren County Cultural and Heritage Commission.* Students discovered the joys of classical and jazz music through exciting arrangements. Thank you to both Project Trio and WCCHC for this wonderful program.

THE FOLLOWING EVENTS ARE NOT SPONSORED BY THE WASHINGTON BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE 9th ANNUAL SANTA TOY RUN IN THE BORO

The Washington Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary will be running the “9th Annual Santa Toy Run in the Boro” on Saturday, December 15, delivery begins at 11:00 a.m., snow date is Sunday, December 16, delivery begins at 11:00 a.m. Drop off your wrapped gift(s) and \$10.00 donation per gift at the Boro Hall on Saturday, December 8, from 9:00 a.m. - noon or on Wednesday, December 12 from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Gifts should be no larger than 3’x 2’or weigh more than 20 pounds. One gift per child/donation. Cash or checks payable to WFDLA. If you have any questions call 908-328-8997.

WARREN HILLS GIRLS LACROSSE

Registration for Warren Hills Girls Lacrosse Spring 2019 sign-ups teams for grades 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 and Little Lady LAXers Clinic for Grades K-2 is open until 12/31/18. Go to www.wtyanj.com, click on the registration link and you will be taken to an online registration site <https://wtya7882001.siplay.com/login> where you can register and pay. Please email Tanya Kucharski at girlslax@wtya.org or Jim Schlessinger at wtyalax.coachjim@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Jacqueline N. Nassry
Superintendent

Upcoming Dates:	December	10	BOE Mtg. 7:30 p.m. @ M
		10	Gr. 6 Yearbook Club 2:45 – 3:30 p.m.
		11	BIGS Mentoring Program 2:45 – 4:00 p.m.
		11	Drama Club 2:55 – 4:00 p.m.
		11	Winter Band & Choral Concert 6:30 p.m. @ M
		12	Instr. Music 7:40 a.m.
		12	Drama Club 2:45 - 3:45 p.m.
		12	Winter Band 9:30 a.m. @ M
		13	Instr. Music 7:40 a.m.
		13	Drama Club 2:45 – 3:45 p.m.
		14	Taylor Holiday Concert 6:30 p.m. @ M
		14	Animal Control Program 9:30 a.m. @ M
		14	Book Club 5/6 2:55 – 3:25 p.m.
		17	Gr. 4 Auditions 2:45 p.m.
		17	Gr. 6 Yearbook Club 2:45 – 3:30 p.m.
		18	Student Council 7:40 a.m.
		18	Gr. 5 Auditions 2:45 p.m.
		19	Instr. Music 7:40 a.m.
		19	Gr. 6 Auditions 2:45 p.m.
		20	Instr. Music 7:40 a.m.
		20	Drama Club 2:45 – 3:35 p.m.
		21	Compressed Schedules (M-12:45 p.m./T – 1:00 p.m.; PS in AM)
		24	Beginning of Winter Recess through 1/1/19

<i>FYI:</i> E-mail Addresses:	Superintendent of Schools: nassryj@washboroschools.org
	Principal Taylor Street School: koeppens@washboroschools.org
	District Web Address: http://www.washboroschools.org