



WJHS highlights

To submit info to be published in *HIGHLIGHTS*, please email Katie Hauser at wjshighlights@gmail.com by Tuesday evening.

Important Dates:

Friday January 29: Early release, school meets 8 - 10:55am

Tuesday February 2 at 9:15 a.m. PTO MEETING

Please join us at this PTO meeting. Learn about plans for the spring at the Junior High! If you missed our recent evening parent presentation about the transition to New Trier or if you still have questions, we will have a parent panel on hand to address your inquiries.

Wednesday February 3, 6:00pm Junior High Band Solo & Ensemble Recital, WJHS Auditorium.

WJHS Winter club sessions start next week. It is not too late to enroll!

Bridge Club, Newspaper club, Climbing club (mornings), Math Club, Comedy/improv, German, Latin and Yearbook club. Deadline is Thursday January 21st.

If you are still interested in joining a club with a friend, please email or call Pepe Miller 847-256-6701 or pepe@pepebill.com. Forms and details are available on WJHS/PTO website or <http://wjhspto.com/clubs.html>. If club is cancelled due to low enrollment, you will be notified.

Volunteer Opportunities: It's time to start planning for next year! Looking for volunteer opportunities? Want to stay involved at the Junior High? The PTO is starting to look for parents to fill PTO Board positions for next year. If you think you might be interested in a Board position, please contact Mary Foster at foster735@comcast.net or Carrie Armour at cbarmour@comcast.net.

The PTO is hosting a soup lunch to warm the hearts of our WJHS Teachers on Friday, February 12th.

We are looking for volunteers to bring in just one pot of your favorite soup on February 12th. If you prefer to contribute dessert and/or a loaf of bread, we would appreciate that too! For more information or to volunteer, please contact Margaret Tilson at matilson@aol.com. Thanks!

8th GRADE GRADUATION DVD: If you have any photos of your 8th grader and their friends while at WJHS, on a field trip, in the cafeteria, during a WJHS sports event, at an after-school club, etc., please send them in JPEG format to Lisa Aiken at lbaiken@mac.com.

We had a great turnout for the New Trier Facilities Tour. If you couldn't attend, here is a list of upcoming evening tours: Jan. 21 and 25, starting at 6:00 p.m. in Room M180. Check in with security at the front desk. **Be an informed voter!!**

Hockey! Chicago Wolves! Special D39 Educational Foundation ticket prices for Sunday, February 28, 3 pm game. A portion of each ticket sold with the Foundation order form will benefit D39 schools. Download forms at www.d39foundation.org and turn them into the Foundation mailbox at the MEC. Tickets will be mailed to you.

Youth Connection:

Battle of the Bands: There will be 3 rehearsals that will run 3-5pm on Jan. 28th, Feb 1st and Feb. 4th. **The show, co-sponsored by Kiss 103.5 FM will be Feb 5th at 7:30-9pm.** 2010 Battle of the Bands T-shirts will be available for \$10.

Annie is the WJHS Spring Musical and will be March 19th & 20th at 7:30pm and 21st at 2pm. Look on the hotlink on WJHS website for more info.