

West Bend School District Update

February 15, 2023

Nominate a Deserving Staff Member

West Bend School District staff, community members, and students can nominate a West Bend School District staff member for an award to recognize their outstanding contribution to their school. The Rolfs Educational Foundation gives four awards to teachers and special services educators. In addition, the West Bend School District awards Support Employee of the Year awards. Nominations must be submitted by March 17. Learn more and access the nomination form [on the website](#).

Record Breaker

Senior Cadence Xiong became the all-time leading scorer for East girls basketball on February 14 after breaking the record of 1,176 held by Linda Reichl since 1984. Cadence still has additional games this season to add to her record.



Student-Athletes State Bound in Various Sports

Last week was very successful for a number of East and West High Schools student-athletes who qualified for their respective sport state-level competitions.



Co-Op Boys Swim and Dive: Competing in a very difficult WIAA Sectional, the co-op boys Swim and Dive team took third and the following qualified for the state competition on February 17 and 18 at the Waukesha South High School Natatorium:

Diving - Ryan Meyer

200 Medley Relay - Drew Gundrum, Weston Keppert, Will Tibbitts, and Wesley Aleithe

200 Freestyle - Dawson Walters

500 Freestyle - Dawson Walters and Weston Keppert

200 Freestyle Relay - Dawson Walters, Will Tibbitts, Quentin Willmas, and Wesley Aleithe

100 Backstroke - Drew Gundrum

400 Freestyle Relay - Dawson Walters, Wesley Aleithe, Drew Gundrum, and Will Tibbitts

Co-Op Downhill Skiing: The girls co-op Downhill Skiing team took first and the boys team took second at the qualifying meet to make it to the state championships this weekend at Mt. La Crosse. In addition, the girls team also won the conference title. The team is made up of students from several different high schools. Qualifying for state from East and West include Logan Morris, Andre Pumala, Fiona Shaw, and Markus Briedis.

Co-Op Snowboarding: A number of students on the co-op Snowboarding team from East and West will also compete in the state championships this weekend. They include Pierce Reiner, Gavin Bayer, Johnny Mundell, Alexis Roethle, Andrew Barker, Briana Schauble, Fran Anderson, Eeva Luukas, Brady Guth, Gavin Schauble, Addison Turecek, Brooklyn Phillips, and Jordan Hoppa.

Wrestlers Competing for State Championships



Both the West and East wrestling teams recently experienced great success at the WIAA Regionals with the East team winning the meet. The following wrestlers placed at regionals and will compete in the sectionals this weekend for a chance to qualify for the state championships.

East:

Jacob Hillshafer 2nd at 113 lbs

Caleb Hillshafer 2nd at 120 lbs

Liam Pionkowski 1st at 138 lbs

Carter Henschel 1st at 145 lbs

Logan Gregor 2nd at 170 lbs

Kasey Gish 1st at 182 lbs

Emerson Orth 3rd at 195 lbs

Dylan Gliniecki 2nd at 220 lbs

Steven Henry 3rd at 285 lbs

West:

Ethan Bast 1st at 106 lbs

Ben Bast 1st at 120 lbs

Easton Mueller at 126 lbs

Brody Rehbein 3rd at 132 lbs

Carter Lovy 2nd at 160 lbs

Connor Mirasola 1st at 195 lbs

Celebrating the 100th Day of the School Year



Fair Park

Kindergarten students in Mrs. Wilberg's class made hats to celebrate the 100th day of the school year.

Decorah

Here are amazing creative costumes depicting 100-year-olds for the 100th day of the school year celebration.

Decorah

These students celebrated the 100th day well.

Celebrating the 100th Day of the School Year, Part 2



Jackson

These students in their 100-year-old costumes used wooden canes.

McLane

Teachers, aides, and students took part in the 100th day celebration.

Green Tree

The 100th day of school was celebrated with neon and shades!

Upcoming Events

Third Event in Fentanyl Series: After viewing the life-size exhibit of a teen's bedroom depicting the red flags that can signal drug or alcohol use, stay for the third lecture in the free lecture series called Fentanyl: Facts, Fiction, and Future. It is on Thursday, February 15 at 6 p.m. at the

MPTC campus in West Bend. The third lecture topics is The Power of Substance Use Disorders.

Art show: During the month of February, the West Bend Community Memorial Library is displaying art from East and West High Schools students.

Anastasia the Musical: Get your tickets on [GoFan](#) or at the door for the high school's musical Anastasia the Musical on February 17 and 18 at 7 p.m. and 19th at 2 p.m. at the West Bend High Schools Silver Lining Arts Center.

All-District Orchestra Concert: The All-District Orchestra Concert is on Saturday, February 18 at 2 p.m. in the high school fieldhouse. The free event features the Silverbrook 5th and 6th grade orchestra, the Badger 7th and 8th grade orchestras, and the high school orchestras.

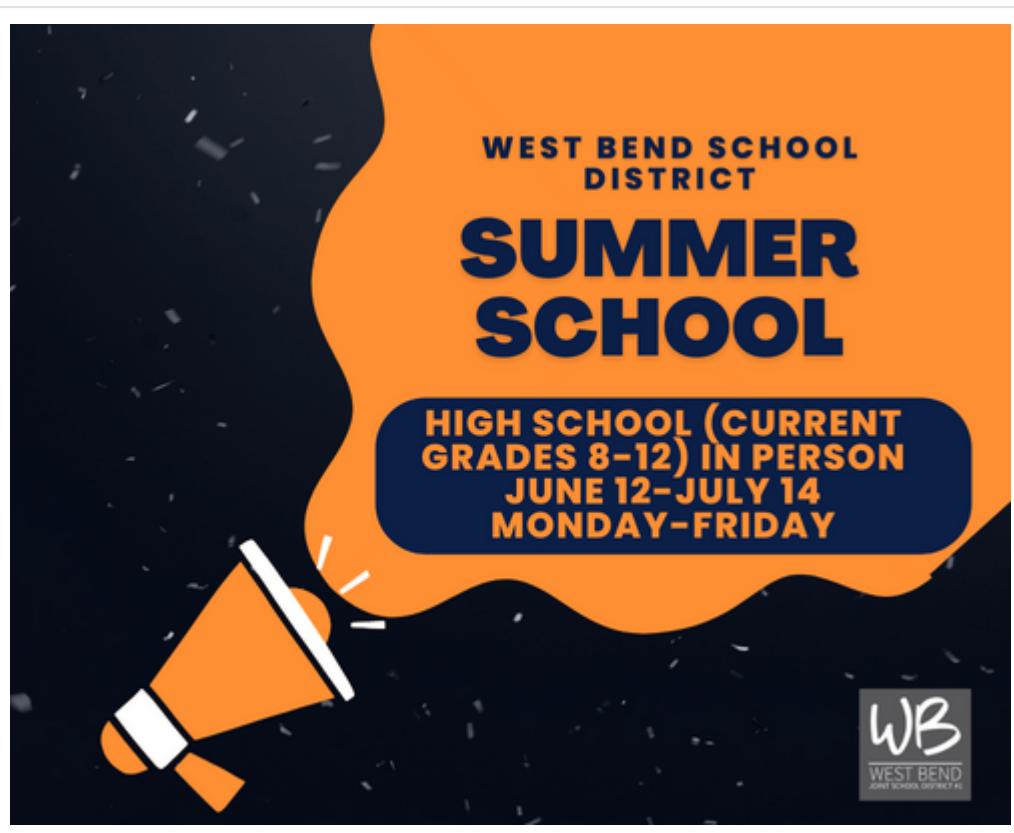
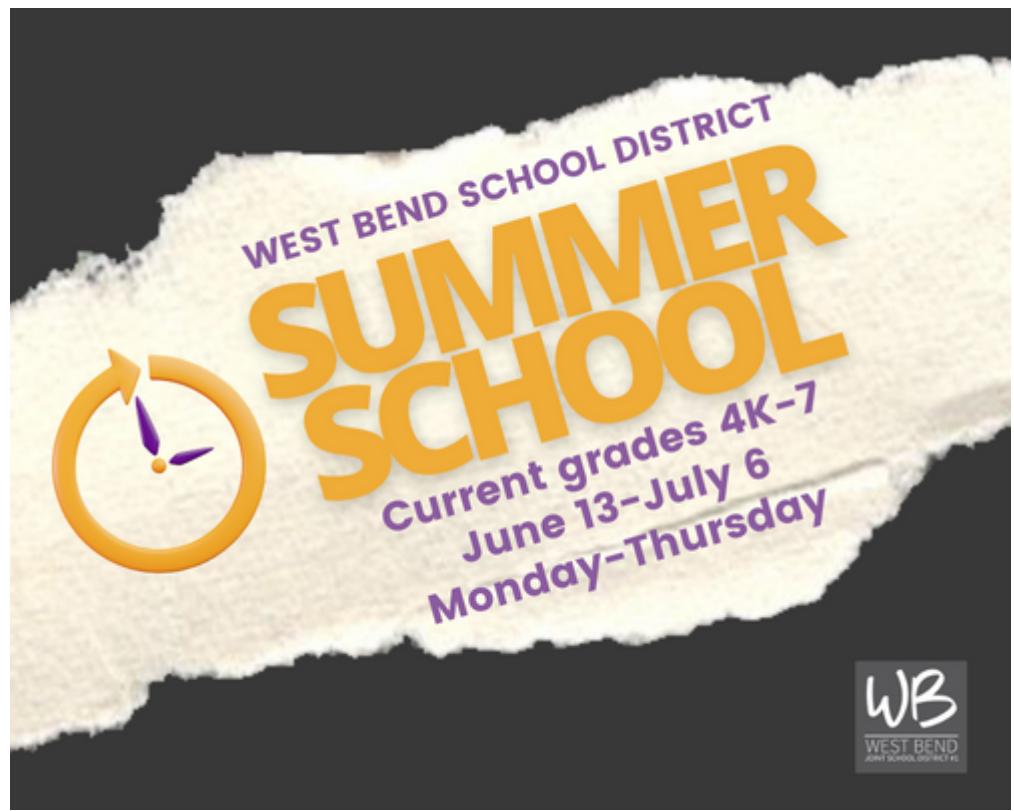
6th Annual Black History Month Celebration: The WBHS Multi-Cultural Club and the WBHS Black Student Union will present a free event celebrating Black History Month on Friday, February 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the West Bend High Schools Silver Lining Arts Center.

Activities on February 20 Professional Day

Next Monday, February 20 is a day off from school for students and a professional learning and work day for staff. Along with time to complete work, staff members will take part in professional learning workshops, etc. [Review details](#) of their day.

Summer School Save the Dates

Registration for 2023 Summer School opens for students in grades 8-12 on Monday, March 6 at 8:00 a.m. Registration for students in grades 4K-7 opens on Monday, March 13 at 8:00 a.m. Registration is completed in Skyward.



Community Bulletin Board

There are various camps and activities available on the WBSD's [Community Bulletin Board](#)!

Boys & Girls Club Teen Lock In
Boys & Girls Club grades 3/4 and 5/6 Co-ed Volleyball
Fentanyl: Facts, Fiction, and Future Lecture Series
Camp Superhero
Kettle Moraine Geological Society KMGS Rock and Gem Show
MOWA February Events
Youth Impact Club's Day of Hope Event
Anastasia the Musical
GED Class for Spanish Speakers
Learn English Classes
West Bend West Baseball Clinic
West Bend East Volleyball Clinic
West Bend Youth Football Registration
West Bend Little League Registration
West Bend West Volleyball Clinic
Black History Month Event
WBHS Art Show
Richfield Baseball and Softball Registration
West Bend School District Night at the Milwaukee Power
2023 Optimist Club Oratorical Contest
GoRiteway is Hiring
Family Center of Washington County Newsletter



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