

DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAY 30, 2024

Walk of Champions - Track & Field

Today we celebrate the five athletes that have qualified to the Division 1 State Track & Field meet.

- Keira Cooper has qualified for State in the open 200m dash. Keira is the first Whitnall athlete to qualify in the 200m in over 22 years, and she is currently rated 6th in the state and our current school record holder.
- Rianna Dobbie has qualified in the pole vault. Rianna is the first Whitnall pole vaulter to ever qualify for the girls state meet, is our current school record holder, and is currently rated 11th in the state.
- Kaylee Rogaczewski has qualified in the long jump and triple jump. This is Kaylee's fourth State Track & Field meet as she has qualified all four years at Whitnall, and she is currently rated third in the state for long jump and fifth for triple jump.
- The 4 x 200m relay has qualified consisting of Sam Sengstock, Samara Johnson, Keira Cooper, Kaylee Rogaczewski and alternate Sammy Gooden. This group is headed back to State for the second year in a row, are our current school record holders, and they are currently rated seventh in the state.

Good luck, Falcons! Everyone, come out and give them a huge Falcon send-off!

For tomorrow (May 31), graduating seniors should arrive by 7:35 and go to the multipurpose room. Eat breakfast at home or buy something from the cafeteria before this because immediately following the honors assembly is graduation practice and then the graduation walk to the other schools if you plan to participate in that. If you are doing the grad walk, remember to bring your cap and gown.

Current 9th-11th graders students should report to their "home" Falcon Time for the start of school tomorrow.

Whitnall Robotics Club will have a brief meeting TODAY (May 30) from 3:15-3:45pm in room 259 to discuss the new game and next season.

Boys Cross Country - There is a meeting TODAY (May 30) for all boys interested in running cross country this fall. The meeting will be at 3:15pm in the multipurpose room where you will discuss summer running and the upcoming season. If you are unable to attend, please contact Mrs. Licht.

Geology Club is looking to expand their field of science! Next year, Geology Club is looking to evolve into a Science Club with the hopes of creating a Science Olympiad group. For more information, please access the announcement on Canvas of your Science Class, or see Ms. Sternard.

Students who did not pick up the yearbook that they had ordered should stop in the office to get theirs. You will need to show your student ID to pick up your book.

Lost and Found - Check the lost and found table outside the office for things you might be missing. After the last day of school, items remaining will be donated or thrown out.

The Help Desk will not be loaning out any chromebooks next week.

Seniors

- Seniors will turn in your district issued chromebook tomorrow (May 30) from 11:00am-1:00pm. Bring your charged chromebook, charger, and Student ID to the STEM commons across from the computer lab downstairs. Remember that you need to remove all stickers from your chromebook before you turn it in. If you miss this time, drop your device and charger off to the Help Desk. If your device is not turned in, fees will be applied to your fees account in Infinite Campus and you will be unable to participate in graduation if the fee is not paid ahead of time! Fees will be applied on May 30 beginning at 3:00pm.
- All student fees must be paid by TOMORROW (May 31) at Noon in order to participate in graduation.
- Make sure your lockers – both your hallway locker and if you have a gym locker - are totally emptied out by TODAY (May 30).
- Graduation Day, June 2 - If you are driving yourself to graduation, you need to park in the lot near Falcon Field. You can enter through Door #15. Seniors should be here no later than 12:15 and report to the small gym.
- Your Whitnall provided Google account will be disabled Friday, August 2, 2024. This means you will no longer have access to your Whitnall email or any items stored within your Whitnall Google Drive. Please make sure to update any contact information that may be using your current Whitnall account to a personal email. You are able to download all your information from your account by going to: takeout.google.com and following the steps there

Current 9th-11th Graders

- All your textbooks need to be returned by this Friday, May 31. After that, the cost of the books will be added to your Infinite Campus fees.

Military Visits - Representatives will be in the cafeteria during lunch periodically. Stop by their table to find out more and get your questions answered.

- Army National Guard - June 4
- Navy - June 3

Current 9th-11th Graders

- All your textbooks need to be returned by this Friday, May 31. After that, the cost of the books will be added to your Infinite Campus fees.
- Technology
 - If you borrowed a chromebook, make sure to return that to the Help Desk this week.
 - If you are not returning to Whitnall next year, turn in your technology (chromebook and charger) to the Help Desk when you no longer need it this week
 - If you are returning to Whitnall, keep your chromebook over the summer. Remember to take care of it, because if it is damaged, the cost will be added to your IC fees.
- Make sure your lockers – both your hallway locker and if you have a gym locker - are totally emptied out. Anything remaining will be donated, if usable, or thrown out.

All Students -

- All food deliveries must be dropped off by a **parent or guardian** at Door #1 which is the main entrance. If you are picking up your food, please go to the main office.
- **Do not open or prop doors** to the outside of our building. All students need to enter in through Door #1.
- If you have to leave the building during the school day, **you may only exit the building through Door #1**. Please sign out with Ms. Beyer as you are leaving.
- Remember to bring everything you need to school in the morning since you will need an escort to go back out to your vehicle, and someone is not always available.

Elevator - Only students who have been injured and issued an elevator fob along with one other person to assist them in carrying items, if needed, should be using the elevator in the Science wing. No other students should be accessing this area on the lower level.

Boys Volleyball Open Gym are most Mondays and Wednesday.

Girls volleyball open gyms are now every Wednesday from 4:30-6:30pm in the main gym. If you have questions, email Coach Maya Grueneberg at mgrueneberg@whitnall.com.

In December, REDgen organized a Teen Mental Health First Aid training which gave the participants the resources to support anyone who may be going through a mental health crisis, or who may simply want support with their mental health. If you see a red ribbon tied to someone's backpack, know they have completed this training, and are there to support whatever you may be going through. These could be struggles internally, such as stress or anxiety, or externally, such as friendships or substance misuse; whatever support you need, we're here for you! These conversations will be completely confidential, unless you believe you would hurt yourself or someone else, then we'll help you find a trusted adult. *See a red ribbon, know we're here to listen!*

No Parking in Designated Spots - Students who drive to school must have a parking pass on their vehicle. Do not park in designated district or visitor spots or you will be ticketed.

Want a snack in the afternoon? Stop at the Snack Bite table at about 12:30 and after 7th hour and get something for only \$1.00. The students sell these outside The Cafe on the upper level.

The Charlie B's school store is open during all lunch hours. Come grab a snack, drink or some spirit wear! Charlie B's is located behind the cafeteria.

Return Daily Chromebook Loaners - Students who have borrowed a chromebook from the Help Desk need to return it at the end of the school day. These are daily loaners to be used for one day. Fees will be added in Infinite Campus for those not returned.

Health Room Process - If you are not feeling well, you first need to be excused from class and get a pass from your teacher to go to the Health Room. If that staff member feels you need to go home, your parent/guardian will be contacted. Do not just contact someone to come pick you up. If you are leaving the building, you need to check out at the main office window with Mrs. Beyer.