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2018-2019

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Vaccination Reminders

VACCINE	AGES 4-6	AGES 7-18 Including 7th Grade Students
Diphtheria, Tetaus, Pertussis (DTP, DTaP, Tdap)	4 doses of DTP or DTap, one dose must be on or after 4 years of age	4 doses D and T or 3 doses if 1st dose given at or after 1 year of age 1 dose Tdap at 11 years of age or older upon entry into 7th grade or higher
Polio	4 doses 3 doses if dose 3 was given at or after 4 years of age	4 doses 3 doses if dose 3 was given at or after 4 years of age
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)*	2 doses at or after 12 months of age	2 doses at or after 12 months of age
Hepatitis B *	3 doses	3 doses
Meningococcal Conjugate (MenACWY)	NONE	1 dose at 11 years of age or older upon entry into 7th grade or higher
Varicella* (Chickenpox)	2 doses at or after 12 months of age or Current lab immunity or History of varicella disease	2 doses at or after 12 months of age or Current lab immunity or History of varicella disease

FOR MORE INFORMATION, SEE WWW.MICHIGAN.GOV

During disease outbreaks, incompletely vaccinated students may be excluded from school. Parents and guardians choosing to decline vaccines must obtain a certified non-medical waiver from a local health department. Read more about waivers at www.michigan.gov/immunize.

*If the student has not received these vaccines, documented immunity is required.

All doses of vaccines must be valid (correct spacing and ages) for school entry purposes.



Energy Transfer

By Tom DeKeyser | Superintendent & Middle and High School Principal

The concept of energy transfer is an old favorite of mine. It brings me back to the days when I used to teach science. While its applications are more suited to chemistry and physics, the idea that Whitmore Lake Public Schools has taken the collective "energy" from the community and applied it to improving students' lives is not lost on me.

I see the transfer of energy as each class moves from one grade to the next. Smarter and more talented students move up the ladder in crescendo-like fashion. The Class of 2030 entering first grade will rapidly start to expand their literacy as we introduce them to a new reading curriculum built specifically for their young minds. The Class of 2024 will use the collaboration and critical thinking skills learned in their PBL/STEM class and transition to a middle school concept where opportunities to individualize learning really start to take shape. The Class of 2019, of course, will start to see that ultimate transfer -- to the "real world" -- as they prepare to graduate at the end of their senior year. I hope they see how much energy is around them.

Caleb Henning from the Class of 2018 (who was also a Senior Scholar and winner of the Joan Bauer Scheel Award to name just a couple of honors he earned) spoke to his classmates at graduation this past June. As he shared his experiences as a student, he began to list things which motivated him to invest more energy into his own education. He highlighted the relationships with his peers, the support of family, the constant push from teachers, AND the commitment of the Whitmore Lake community.

Commitment from the community is immensely important to our students. Caleb Henning detailed each level of commitment he witnessed as a student. Whether it was a new computer or a red carpet welcome, he knew adults were committing to his future. Caleb's speech represents all students and serves as an important reminder that kids (or students) see what adults do (or notice when adults care). Kids will take our energy and do something great with it.

Let's keep up the momentum this 2018-2019 school year. We can build on the energy and continue to provide better learning tools and environments for our students. We can and we will make each day a great day for our students and community to be Trojans!





Fall Programs

WHITMORE LAKE COMMUNITY RECREATION

YOUTH LEAGUES & CLASSES

NEW Flag Football League Jr. Golf Program at the Links Youth Basketball Clinics and League Karate Kids Running Group Kids Zumba

ADULT LEAGUES & CLASSES

Trojan Fitness Yoga Zumba Aqua Zumba Couch to 5k Water Aerobics

POOL PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Water Aerobics Swim Lessons Swim Team

*Swim Team Party, August 24. Come swim for free, learn about the team and meet the coaches

Dive Club Pool Parties **NEW** Fun Fridays at the Pool Lap Swim and More

7430 Whitmore Lake Road | Whitmore Lake, MI 48189 WLPS.NET CLICK ON COMMUNITY RECREATION wlcrinfo@wlps.net | (734) 449-4461 X3057

Early Childhood

Now located at the Elementary School! Same great programs, new school!

WLPS EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS NOW ENROLLING FOR FALL 2018! OPEN HOUSE WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29TH, 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Enroll today! Our NAEYC nationally-accredited programs serve children ages 0-5 years and their families in full- and half-day, free and tuition-based programs and playgroups.

SCHOOL BEGINS for the ECSE preschool program on September 6th. GSRP, Head Start, and Enrichment Preschool begin September 12th. Parent Orientation for all programs is September 5th from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM.

OUR PROGRAMS:

HEAD START: A free, federally-funded full-day program for children who will be 3 or 4 years old by December 1, 2018, who are from low-income families, children with special needs, children living in temporary conditions, and children in the Foster Care System.

EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION (ECSE): A half-day preschool program for children with special needs.

GREAT START READINESS PROGRAM (GSRP): The Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) is a free, state-funded preschool program for low- to moderate-income families with 4-year old children who are academically at-risk or who are considered at-risk.

ENRICHMENT PRESCHOOL: This tuition-based program allows parents to choose the days and hours they would like their child to attend in half and full day sessions.

KIDS CLUB: Tuition-based extended-day programs offered five days per week from 6:00 AM until school starts and after school until 6:00 PM. Also available on "no school" days, half-days and snow days.

ECC PLAYGROUPS: Playgroups begin Friday, October 5th! Offered Fridays from 9:30 AM -11:30 AM for children ages 0-5 years. These are sliding scale tuition-based playgroups that parents attend with their child for activities, fun and socialization.



For More Information Please Contact:

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Alumni Spotlight

WLPS: Attended K - 12

University Of Michigan: Bachelor's in Political Science (Honors Program), 2004

University Of Michigan: Master's in Public Policy, 2006

I felt like I was given a private school education for free at Whitmore Lake, and I received many, many contributions to my success there. Participating in sports greatly improved my leadership skills, which made CIA leadership situations a snap.

Mr. Steeb and the Cross Country team (4-time conference champions!) probably were my biggest influencers, but Mr. Livingston and Mr. Munz and the baseball team also played a major role (my senior year, we won the first conference championship in a long time).

My work with the library and the morning announcements--especially with Mrs. Huang, who was a key mentor for me--contributed greatly, too.

Almost all of the classes I took prepared me for success, too. The Advanced Placement classes I took at Whitmore Lake earned me an entire semester of college before I even stepped foot on campus. This gave me a great head start. I can't name them all, even though so many contributed, but Honors and AP English with Mrs. Klump was on par with writing courses at the University of Michigan and probably had the most influence on me.

School security is a very important issue these days, and you're the most important link in keeping our schools safe. If you suspect anything or hear anything from a student, please share it with the WLPS staff. When in doubt, share it and tell them you're not sure. It's ok if you're wrong, and it won't be a black mark against the student. But it's important that somebody looks into and keeps everyone safe. You're the eyes and ears of the school!

Achievements CIA Officer, 2007-2014

- Wrote papers advising the President of the United States
- Gave foreign policy recommendations in meetings with Congressmen
- Represented US Government in meetings with foreign governments
- Part of the team that protected the 2010 Winter Olympics from terrorist attack

Significant Honors/Awards

- Won a National Intelligence Award for work preventing terrorist threats to the United States
- Co-author of published book
- Member of Mensa high IQ society

Are you, or do you know, a Trojan Alum making WLPS proud? Email maria.carter-ewald@wlps.net. We would love to hear from you!



Scott Schlimmer | Class of 2000

How to Stay Connected

WLPS.net

- Featured Info and Calendar of Events
- Bus Schedules
- Lunch Menus
- PowerSchool
- Athletics & Community Recreation
- Superintendent's Weekly News & Notes
- Staff Contact Information

PeachJar

- Receive electronic flyers relevant to your students delivered directly to your inbox.
- Saves time, saves paper, saves money!
- Sign up at WLPS.net/PeachJar



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Also follow: @FriendsofWLPS

@WLCommunityRecreation



twitter



@wlschools @WL_Athletics

Also follow: @WLPSPrincipal



ParentLink App

 Student Grade Alerts, Assignment Updates, Low Score Warnings

- Attendance Records
- Sports Updates
- Superintendent's Weekly News & Notes
- Calendar of Events
- School Closings
- And so much more!Search Whitmore Lake Public Schools in the







2018 Academic 2019 Calendar

AUGUST

29 WLES Open House

SEPTEMBER

04 First Day of School (K - 12 Full-Day)

05 WLMS/WLHS Parent Night, ECSE First Day

12 First Day of School (Head Start, GSRP, Enrichment Preschool)

28 ½ Day Students and Staff (Homecoming)

OCTOBER

16 WLES Parent-Teacher Conferences

18 WLES Parent-Teacher Conferences

24 WLMS/WLHS Parent-Teacher Conferences

NOVEMBER

21-23 NO SCHOOL (Thanksgiving Break)

DECEMBER

 $21\ _{\rm \%}$ Day Students and Staff (Winter Break Begins at End of Day)

JANUARY

07 School Resumes from Winter Break

21 NO SCHOOL for Students (Staff Development)

23-25 WLMS/WLHS Exams

 ${\bf 25}_{\rm 1/2}\,{\rm Day}\,{\rm for}\,{\rm Students}\,{\rm and}\,{\rm Full-Day}\,{\rm Staff}\,{\rm (Last}\,{\rm Day}\,{\rm of}\,{\rm First}\,{\rm Semester})$

NO SCHOOL for Students – Full-Day Staff (½ Records & ½ Staff Development)





Elementary School Preschool - 6th Grade

Whitmore Lake Elementary School 1077 Barker Road Whitmore Lake, MI 48189 (734) 449-2051

SUE WANAMAKER | Principal **EMILY WILSON** | Administrative Assistant **CASEY LIVINGSTON** Administrative Assistant AMBER MASTERSONI Social Worker CHARLIE BASHAM | Preschool Family Service Worker

School Hours:

K - 4th: 8:50 AM-3:35 PM 5th & 6th: 7:50 AM-2:35 PM K-4th ½ Day: 8:50 AM-12:15 PM 5th & 6th ½ Day: 7:50 AM-11:15 AM

Preschool:

ECSE Program: hours TBD

GSRP & Head Start: 8:00 AM-3:00 PM Monday-Thursday Enrichment: 8:00 AM-11:00 AM or 8:00 AM-3:00 PM

Monday-Thursday

Playgroups: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM Fridays



OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, August 29th

Preschool - 6th Grade: 5:00 PM-7:00 PM



FIRST DAY

Tuesday, September 4th - Full-Day

NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

should register in the elementary office between 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM beginning August 14th.

CLASSROOM ASSIGNMENTS will be mailed home prior to August Open House.

EMERGENCY FORMS All students must have new emergency forms on file in the elementary office. New forms will be sent home during the first week of school.

LUNCH PRICES 2018-2019

Milk	\$0.60
Elementary Breakfast	\$1.60
Elementary Lunch	\$2.75
MS/HS Breakfast	\$1.60
MS/HS Lunch	\$3.00
Adult Breakfast	\$2.10
Adult Lunch	\$3.75

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Middle & High School 7th - 12th Grades

Whitmore Lake Middle & High School 7430 Whitmore Lake Road Whitmore Lake, MI 48189 (734) 449-4461

TOM DEKEYSER | Principal
SHEILA TIMMINS | Administrative Assistant
KATHY DEKEYSER | Counselor
JILL HENRY | Director of Instruction
LINDA LUPI | Dean of Students and Truancy Officer
AMY BERG | Social Worker
BRAD MCCORMACK | Athletic Director

School Hours:

7:50 AM-2:35 PM ½ Day: 7:50 AM-11:05 AM



FIRST DAY

Wednesday, September 4th - Full-Day



PARENT NIGHT

Wednesday, September 5th 7:00 PM

2017-2018 ACADEMIC AWARDSWednesday, September 5th 6:00 PM

NEW MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS should contact the office at (734) 449-4461, ext. 3006 to make an appointment.

REGISTRATION & ORIENTATION Registration packets will be mailed home in mid-August. Current students must register between 9 AM - 12 PM and 1 PM - 3 PM on Wednesday, August 22 or Thursday, August 23.

Orientation for all new students and incoming 7th graders is Thursday, August 30th at 1 PM.

PICTURE DAY will be during registration. A picture brochure will be mailed to you with ordering information. Student IDs will be issued on the spot.

EMERGENCY FORMS All students must have new emergency forms on file in the middle and high school office. Forms will be mailed with the registration packets for updating. These need to be turned in at registration before schedules can be picked up.

2018-2019 Bus Routes

TRANSPORTATION AND OPERATIONS COORDINATOR

Sheryl Webber (734) 449-4464 Ext. 2052

IMPORTANT NOTICE Children may ride a different bus in the AM for pick up than they do in the PM for drop off. Therefore, please look carefully for the most suitable AM bus and PM bus.

As we enter a new school year, we appreciate your cooperation and patience with changes that have been made in our bus routes. The safety of the children in this district remains the highest priority. Please go to **www.wlps.net** for information about possible additions to our bus schedule. If new stops become available, they will be posted on our website.

K - 4th GRADE BUS ROUTES

AM ROUTE #1: BLUE BUS

8:15 516 East Shore

8:16 East Shore / Haley Lane (Apts.)

8:17 East Shore / McNally (Apts.)

8:18 East Shore / Heenan

8:19 Fast Shore / Grooms

8:20 Overland, just before Nine Mile

8:21 10473 Nine Mile

8:23 10627 Charring Cross

8:26 Nine Mile / Little Friends

AM ROUTE #2: PINK BUS

8:11 Harbor Cove

8:12 East Shore / Elizabeth

8:14 9169 Lake Pine

8:15 Lake Pine/Waterlily

8:16 9033 Posey

8:18 Seven Mile / Sunflower

8:19 Seven Mile / Appleblossom

8:20 148 Garden Ct.

8:23 Posey / Posey Ct.

8:25 Posev / Lillian Ct.

8:26 East Shore / Lake Point Dr.

8:28 71 Margaret

PM ROUTE #1: BLUE BUS

3:47 516 East Shore

3:48 East Shore / Haley Lane (Apts.)

3:50 East Shore / McNally (Apts.)

3:51 East Shore / Heenan

3:53 East Shore / Grooms

3:55 Overland, just before Nine Mile

3:56 10473 Nine Mile

3:59 10627 Charring Cross

4:02 Nine Mile / Little Friends

PM ROUTE #2: PINK BUS

3:48 71 Margaret

3:49 Harbor Cove

3:50 East Shore / Elizabeth

3:52 9169 Lake Pine

3:53 Lake Pine/Waterlily

3:54 9033 Posey

3:56 Seven Mile / Sunflower

3:57 Seven Mile / Appleblossom

3:58 148 Garden Ct.

4:01 Posey / Posey Ct.

4:02 Posey / Lillian Ct.

4:03 East Shore / Lake Point Dr.

AM ROUTE #3: PURPLE BUS

- 8:00 Winding Valley / Spicer
- 8:03 Spicer / Koneta Dr.
- 8:05 9567 Spicer
- 8:05 9690 M-36 Always Unique Day Care
- 8:08 N Main St. / Todds Ln.
- 8:09 11523 N Main St.
- 8:11 N Main St. / Heidelberg Ln.
- 8:12 9699 Main St.
- 8:13 70 Barker
- 8:16 305 Jennings Rd.
- 8:07 315 Jennings Rd.
- 8:18 895 Jennings Rd.
- 8:26 9075 Kearney Rd.

AM ROUTE #4: GREEN BUS

- 7:45 1690 E. North Territorial Rd.
- 7:50 4470 North Territorial Rd.
- 7:52 4725 North Territorial Rd.
- 7:54 Earhart Rd. / Lyndon Ln.
- 7:55 6511 Earhart Rd.
- 7:57 5715 Earhart Rd.
- 8:00 3303 Northfield Church
- 8:03 6376 Nollar Rd.
- 8:04 6225 Nollar Rd.
- 8:06 6770 Nollar Rd.
- 8:09 7170 Nollar Rd.
- 8:13 1355 Five Mile
- 8:15 515 Five Mile
- 8:26 Six Mile / Leonard
- 8:27 Six Mile / Madouse Ct.
- 8:29 504 Six Mile
- 8:30 405 Six Mile

AM ROUTE #5: WHITE BUS

- 7:58 1186 N. Territorial Rd.
- 8:00 Terra Ln.
- 8:09 7080 Whitmore Lake Rd.
- 8:10 Whitmore Lake Rd./ Five Mile
- 8:13 Coyle / Elm
- 8:17 Main St. / Fairmont
- 8:18 Main St. / Shadybeach
- 8:19 Main St. / Schrum
- 8:21 Main St. / Westbrook Apts.
- 8:22 8770 Main St.
- 8:23 8834 Main St. Precious Ones Day Care
- 8:25 Brookside, at the laundry mat parking lot

PM ROUTE #3: PURPLE BUS

- 3:48 9075 Kearney Rd.
- 3:50 951 Jennings Rd.
- 3:51 895 Jennings Rd.
- 3:52 315 Jennings Rd.
- 3:53 305 Jennings Rd.
- 3:58 N Main St. / Todds Ln.
- 3:59 11523 N Main St.
- 4:01 N Main St. / Heidelberg
- 4:10 9690 M-36 Always Unique Day Care
- 4:10 Winding Valley / Spicer
- 4:14 Spicer / Koneta Dr.
- 4:16 9567 Spicer
- 4:23 9699 Main St.
- 4:24 70 Barker

PM ROUTE #4: RED BUS

- 3:52 7527 Spencer Rd.
- 4:00 6376 Nollar Rd.
- 4:02 1672 North Territorial Rd.
- 4:04 4470 North Territorial Rd.
- 4:09 4725 North Territorial Rd.
- 4:11 Earhart Rd. / Lyndon Ln.
- 4:12 6511 Earhart Rd.
- 4:14 5715 Earhart Rd.
- 4:16 3303 Northfield Church
- 4:22 6770 Nollar Rd.
- 4:23 7170 Nollar Rd.
- 4:25 1355 Five Mile
- 4:27 515 Five Mile
- 4:32 Six Mile / Raphael
- 4:33 Six Mile / Leonard
- 4:34 Six Mile / Madouse Ct.
- 4:35 504 Six Mile
- 4:36 405 Six Mile

PM ROUTE #5: WHITE BUS

- 3:46 1186 N. Territorial Rd.
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5th - 12th GRADE BUS ROUTES

5th & 6th - WLES | 7th - 12th WLMS/WLHS

AM ROUTE #1: BLUE BUS

7:00 370 Barker

7:01 Barker / Timbercrest

7:07 Elementary School

7:09 Wildwood / Sand Point

7:11 305 Jennings Rd.

7:12 315 Jennings Rd.

7:13 951 Jennings Rd.

7:15 2354 Jennings Rd.

7:20 7702 Kearney Rd.

AM ROUTE #2: RED BUS

7:05 East Shore / Walnut (Special Ed stop only)

7:10 9033 Posev

7:17 East Shore / Lake Point Dr.

AM ROUTE #3: PINK BUS

6:45 505 Six Mile

6:46 Six Mile / S Horseshoe

6:47 Six Mile / Madouse Ct.

6:48 Six Mile / Leonard

6:50 7552 Nollar Rd.

6:53 1565 Five Mile

6:56 1355 Five Mile

6:57 Five Mile / Penisula Pt.

6:59 6770 Nollar Rd.

7:03 6173 Whitmore Lake Rd.

7:07 Northfield Church / Old St. Pat's church

7:10 5817 Hellner

7:15 Coyle / Elm

AM ROUTE #4: PURPLE BUS

6:56 336 East Shore

6:57 412 East Shore

6:58 600 East Shore

6:59 East Shore / Haley Lane (Apts.)

7:01 East Shore / McNalley (Apts.)

7:02 East Shore / Grooms

7:04 Overland, just before Nine Mile

7:05 10455 Nine Mile

7:06 Nine Mile / Charring Cross

7:07 Nine Mile / Cedarcrest

7:08 9690 M-36 - Always Unique Day Care

7:10 Spicer / Winding Valley Rd

7:12 Spicer / Konenta

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2:45 7702 Kearney Rd.

2:47 2354 Jennings Rd.

2:53 951 Jennings Rd.

2:54 315 Jennings Rd.

2:55 305 Jennings Rd.

2:57 Wildwood / Sand Point

3:00 Barker/Timbercrest

3:03 Elementary School

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6:55 Main St. / Fairmont

6:58 Main St. / Schrum

7:00 Main St. / Westbrook Apts.

7:01 Middle School

7:08 N Main St. / Todds Ln.

7:10 11928 N Main St.

7:11 Heidelberg Ln.

AM ROUTE #5: WHITE BUS

6:46 6225 Nollar Rd.

6:52 5115 Nollar Rd.

6:56 2805 E. Joy Rd.

6:57 5283 Sutton

7:00 Leland / Avon

7:01 5869 Leland

7:02 5711 Leland

7:04 3303 Northfield Church

7:05 6150 Sutton

7:11 5610 Dixboro

7:13 4805 North Territorial Rd.

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7:15 Earhart Rd. / Lyndon Ln.

7:17 6640 Earhart Rd.

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3:06 5869 Leland

3:07 5711 Leland

3:10 6150 Sutton

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3:21 Earhart Rd. / Lvndon Ln.

3:23 6640 Earhart Rd.

3:26 1672 North Territorial Rd.





ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Brad McCormack

WLPS Athletic Schedule

Please visit http://www.wlps.net/athletics or call (734) 449-4461, ext. 3005 for registration details and fees. All Payto-Participate Fees are due at the parent meeting. Check the school athletic webpage for changes or cancellations to the schedule. For WLPS Athletic updates, follow us on Twitter @WL Athletics.

TICKET PRICES:

VARSITY GAMES

JUNIOR VARSITY GAMES

MIDDLE SCHOOL GAMES \$2

SENIOR CITIZENS

\$2

\$5

\$3

DAT	ΓΕ	TIME	SPORT	PLACE	OPPONENT	FACILITY
8/17/	18	4:30 PM	Cross Country	А	A2 Run Fall Preview	Huron Meadows Metropark
8/20/	18	TBD	MS Girls Volleyball	Н	1st Day of Practice	ТВА
8/24/	18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	Н	Shrine Catholic - Royal Oak	Whitmore Lake High School
8/25/	18	9:30 AM	Cross Country	А	South Lyon Invitational	Island Lake Metropark
8/25/	18	8:00 AM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Sue Carlisle Tournament	Jonesville High School
8/27/	18	8:15 AM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Greenhills School - Ann Arbor and 3 others	Ann Arbor Green Hills
8/28/	18	TBD	Cross Country	А	Whiteford Invitational	Whiteford Valley Golf Course
8/30/	18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	Н	Star International Academy	Whitmore Lake High School
8/30/	18	4:00 PM	Cross Country	А	A2 Early Bird Open	Huron Meadows Metropark
9/5/1	18	4:00 PM	Cross Country	А	Springport Invitational	Springport High School
9/6/1	18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	Н	Sand Creek	Whitmore Lake High School
9/6/1	18	5:00 PM	Varsity Volleyball	н	Sand Creek	Whitmore Lake High School
9/6/1	18	6:30 PM	JV Football	А	Clinton	Clinton High School
9/7/1	18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	Н	Clinton - Jr. Football Night	Whitmore Lake High School
9/8/1	18	8:00 AM	Varsity Volleyball	н	Varsity Volleyball Invitational (15 Participants)	Whitmore Lake High School
9/10/	18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	н	Livingston Christian	Whitmore Lake High School

DATE	TIME	SPORT	PLACE	OPPONENT	FACILITY
9/11/18	5:00 PM	Cross Country	А	TCC Jamboree #1	Britton Deerfield High School
9/11/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	Н	Whiteford	Whitmore Lake High School
9/11/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	Н	Whiteford	Whitmore Lake High School
9/13/18	6:00 PM	JV Volleyball	Н	Britton Deerfield	Whitmore Lake High School
9/13/18	6:30 PM	JV Football	Н	Whiteford	Whitmore Lake High School
9/14/18	3:00 PM	Varsity Volleyball	Н	Britton Deerfield	Cliff Keen Arena (University of Michigan)
9/14/18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	А	Whiteford	Whiteford
9/15/18	8:00 AM	Cross Country	А	Holly Festival of Races	Springfield Oaks County Park
9/15/18	8:00 AM	JV Volleyball	А	JV Hudson Tournament	Hudson High School
9/17/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	А	Summerfield	Summerfield
9/19/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	А	St. Thomas	St. Thomas
9/20/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	А	Quad	Michgan Center High School
9/20/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Quad	Manchester High School
9/20/18	6:30 PM	JV Football	Н	Summerfield	Whitmore Lake High School
9/21/18	5:00 PM	Cross Country	А	Jackson Invitational (JV)	Ella Sharp Park
9/21/18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	А	Summerfield	Summerfield High School
9/22/18	10:00 AM	Cross Country	А	Jackson Invitational	Ella Sharp Park
9/24/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	Н	Clinton	Whitmore Lake High School
9/25/18	5:00 PM	Cross Country	Н	TCC Jamboree #2	Whitmore Lake High School
9/25/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	А	Morenci	Morenci High School
9/25/18	5:00 PM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Morenci	Morenci High School
9/26/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	н	Sand Creek	Whitmore Lake High School
9/27/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	н	Clinton	Whitmore Lake High School
9/27/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	н	Clinton	Whitmore Lake High School
9/27/18	6:30 PM	JV Football	А	Madison	Madison High School - Adrian

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9/28/18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	Н	Homecoming - Madison	Whitmore Lake High School
10/1/18	5:00 PM	Cross Country	А	Adrian Madison Invitational	Madison High School - Adrian
10/1/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	А	Whiteford	Whiteford
10/2/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	Н	Livingston Christian	Whitmore Lake High School
10/2/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	Н	Livingston Christian	Whitmore Lake High School
10/4/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	А	Whiteford	Whiteford
10/4/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Whiteford	Whiteford
10/4/18	6:30 PM	JV Football	Н	Morenci	Whitmore Lake High School
10/5/18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	А	Morenci	Morenci High School
10/6/18	TBD	Cross Country	А	Hudson Invitational	Hudson High School
10/6/18	8:00 AM	JV Volleyball	Н	JV Home Tournament	Whitmore Lake High School
10/8/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	Н	Britton Deerfield	Whitmore Lake High School
10/9/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	А	Britton Deerfield	Britton Deerfield High School
10/9/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Britton Deerfield	Britton Deerfield High School
10/10/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	А	Madison	Madison High School - Adrian
10/11/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	А	Madison	Madison High School - Adrian
10/11/18	5:00 PM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Adrian Madison	Madison High School - Adrian
10/11/18	6:30 PM	JV Football	А	Britton Deerfield	Britton Deerfield High School
10/12/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	Н	St. Thomas	Whitmore Lake High School
10/12/18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	Н	Senior Night - Britton Deerfield	Whitmore Lake High School
10/13/18	8:45 AM	Cross Country	А	Gabriel Richard Invitational	Hudson Mills Metropark
10/13/18	8:00 AM	JV Volleyball	А	JV Volleyball Tournament	Morrice High School
10/15/18	5:00 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	А	Melvindale (Quad)	Melvindale
10/16/18	5:00 PM	Cross Country	А	TCC Championships	Heritage Park
10/16/18	4:30 PM	MS Girls Volleyball	А	Livingston Christian	TBD

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10/16/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	Н	Summerfield	Whitmore Lake High School
10/16/18	5:00 PM	Varsity Volleyball	н	Summerfield	Whitmore Lake High School
10/18/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	Н	East Jackson	Whitmore Lake High School
10/18/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	Н	East Jackson	Whitmore Lake High School
10/18/18	6:30 PM	JV Football	Н	Sand Creek	Whitmore Lake High School
10/19/18	7:00 PM	Varsity Football	А	Sand Creek	Sand Creek High School
10/20/18	10:00 AM	Cross Country	Н	Larry Steeb Invitational	Whitmore Lake High School
10/20/18	10:00 AM	MS Girls Volleyball	Н	Home Tournament	Whitmore Lake High School
10/20/18	8:00 AM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Hudson Varsity Tournament	Hudson High School
10/23/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	А	Clinton	Clinton High School
10/23/18	6:30 PM	Varsity Volleyball	А	Clinton	Clinton High School
10/25/18	5:00 PM	JV Volleyball	Н	JV Quad	Whitmore Lake High School
10/25/18	5:00 PM	Varsity Volleyball	Н	Varsity Quad	Whitmore Lake High School
10/27/18	10:00 AM	Cross Country	А	MHSAA Regionals	Willow Metropark
10/29/18	ТВА	Varsity Volleyball	Н	MHSAA Districts	Whitmore Lake High School
10/30/18	4:00 PM	MS Boys Basketball	Н	1st Day of Practice	Whitmore Lake Main St. Campus
10/31/18	ТВА	Varsity Volleyball	Н	MHSAA Districts	Whitmore Lake High School
11/2/18	ТВА	Varsity Volleyball	н	MHSAA Districts	Whitmore Lake High School
11/3/18	TBD	Cross Country	А	State Finals	M.I.S. Jackson
11/6/18	ТВА	Varsity Volleyball	н	MHSAA Regionals	Whitmore Lake High School
11/8/18	ТВА	Varsity Volleyball	Н	MHSAA Regionals	Whitmore Lake High School
11/12/18	4:30 PM	MS Boys Basketball	А	St. Thomas	St. Thomas

Open Positions

WLPS are currently seeking

- Substitute Bus Drivers
- Substitute Food Workers
- Lifeguards



SCHOOL POLICY NOTICES

Policies included satisfy notification requirements of State and/or Federal Law. For questions regarding all school policies, please contact your building principal or Superintendent Tom DeKeyser at (734) 449-4464 or by email at tom.dekeyser@wlps.net. A complete reference to all school policies may be found online at www.wlps.net.

DESIGNATION OF "DIRECTORY INFORMATION"

In accordance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 USC 1232[g]), the Board of Education of the Whitmore Lake Public School District has designated the following information as directory information: a student's name; the image or likeness in pictures, videotape, film website, or other medium; participation in officially recognized activities and sports; height and weight, if a member of an athletic team; degrees and awards received; and school photographs or videos of students participating in school activities, events, or programs. While other information concerning students of the school district remains confidential and will be released only in accordance with the school district's Student Record Policy, the above "directory information," will be released to a requesting party unless a parent/guardian or an adult student advises the school district that such information should not be so released with respect to that particular student. If a parent or adult student desires that the above "directory information" or any part thereof, concerning a particular student not be released, he/she should contact the student's building principal in writing.

DISCLOSURE OF DIRECTORY INFORMATION

If you do not want the following information available to the public, notify your building principal before October 7, 2018.

DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS

In accordance with federal law, the Board of Education prohibits the use, possession, concealment, or distribution of drugs by students on school grounds, in school or school-approved vehicles, or at any school-related event. Drugs include any alcoholic beverage, anabolic steroid, dangerous controlled substances as defined by state statute, or substance that could be considered a "lookalike" controlled substance. Compliance with this policy is mandatory for all students. Any student who violates this policy will be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with due process and as specified in the student handbook, up to and including expulsion from

school. When required by state law, the district will also notify law enforcement officials. The district is concerned about any student who is a victim of alcohol or drug abuse and will facilitate the process by which s/he receives help through programs and services available in the community. Students and their parents should contact the principal or counseling office whenever such help is needed.

DISCLOSURE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION TO THE MILITARY

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) provides for disclosure of a student's personal information to military recruiters upon request unless parents have advised us that they do not want their student's information disclosed without their prior written consent. If a parent or adult student does not want Whitmore Lake Public Schools to disclose personal information from a student's education records to military recruiters without prior written consent, the building principal must be notified in writing no later than October 7, 2018. Student Privacy & Parental Access to Information The Whitmore Lake Public Schools Board of Education respects the privacy rights of parents and their children. No student shall be required as a part of the school program or the district's curriculum, without prior written consent of the student (if an adult or an emancipated minor), or, if an unemancipated minor, his/her parents, to submit to or participate in any survey, analysis, or evaluation that reveals information concerning political affiliations or beliefs of the student or his/her parents; mental or psychological problems of the student or his/her family; sex behavior or attitudes; illegal, antisocial, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior; critical appraisals of other individuals with whom respondents have close, family relationships; legally recognized privileged and analogous relationships, such as those of lawyers, physicians, and ministers; religious practices, affiliations, or beliefs of the student or his/her parents; or income (other than that required by law to determine eligibility for participation in a program or for receiving financial assistance under such a program).

RIGHT TO DENY USE OF STUDENT'S IMAGE

WLPS recognizes the value of utilizing audiovisual and other types of electronic communication in providing an effective education for the students of Whitmore Lake. Unless otherwise notified, the district assumes the parent's permission in the use of your child's image, name, work product, school, and grade for district-prepared printed materials, and in presentations that may be posted on the district website or cable channel. If you do not wish to grant the district this right, please access and return the Student Photograph/Videotape Form on the website at:

http://www.wlps.net/school-policy-notices/ or by contacting your specific school building office.

RIGHT TO INSPECT INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Parents and students may inspect, request, suggest, complain, or file a grievance as it relates to instructional materials such as textbooks, library books, reference works, and other instructional aids used in the district; however, the following procedure must be followed: Complete a "Request for Review of Materials or Course Content" form, which is available at the school office or at the Superintendent's Office. Submit the form to the school principal who will respond to your request in accordance with the steps outlined in Board of Education Policy 9130, a copy of which is available online or upon request from the Superintendent's Office.

NONDISCRIMINATION IN EDUCATION

The Whitmore Lake Public School District hereby agrees that it will comply with federal laws prohibiting discrimination and with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to regulations of the U.S. Department of Education. Therefore, it shall be the policy of the schools that no person, on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or ancestry, age, sex, or marital status, shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise discriminated against under any federally-funded program or activity for which Whitmore Lake Public Schools is responsible or for which it receives federal financial assistance. This policy of non-discrimination shall also apply to otherwise qualified handicapped individuals.

USE OF PESTICIDES

The Michigan Department of Agriculture now requires schools to notify parents when pesticides, herbicides, insecticides, etc. are being applied on school grounds. The Whitmore Lake School District normally applies these chemicals during the summer vacation and other vacation periods when school is not in session. Occasionally, in emergencies, we may be required to apply these chemicals when school is in session. You have the right to be informed prior to any pesticide application made on the school grounds and in buildings. In certain emergencies, pesticides may be applied without prior notice, but you will be provided notice following any such application. If you want prior notification, please contact the Superintendent's Office at (734) 449-4464 by October 7, 2018.

ASBESTOS MANAGEMENT

In accordance with the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act [AHERA] Section 763.93[g], [1.], Management plans for the High School, Middle School, and Elementary School are available for public review. Plans are located at 8845 Main Street Whitmore Lake, Michigan in the District's Maintenance Office, on the district website, and in the office of each building. A request for review can be obtained from the Superintendent's Office.

BULLYING AND AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOR

It is the policy of the District to provide a safe and nurturing educational environment for all of its students. This policy protects all students from bullying/ aggressive behavior regardless of the subject matter or motivation for such impermissible behavior. Bullying or other aggressive behavior toward a student, whether by other students, staff, or third parties, including Board members, parents, guests, contractors, vendors, and volunteers, is strictly prohibited. This prohibition includes written, physical, verbal, and psychological abuse, including hazing, gestures, comments, threats, or actions to a student, which cause or threaten to cause bodily harm, reasonable fear for personal safety or personal degradation. Demonstration of appropriate behavior, treating others with civility and respect, and refusing to tolerate harassment or bullying is expected of administrators, faculty, staff, and volunteers to provide positive examples for student behavior.

This policy applies to all "at-school" activities in the District, including activities on school property, in a school vehicle, and those occurring off school property if the student or employee is at any school-sponsored, schoolapproved or school-related activity or function, such as field trips or athletic events where students are under the school's control, or where an employee is engaged in school business. Misconduct occurring off campus may also be disciplined if it interferes with the school environment.

NOTIFICATION OF RIGHTS UNDER FERPA FOR ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE, AND HIGH SCHOOL

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) affords parents and students over 18 years of age ("eligible students") certain rights with respect to the student's education records. These rights are:

(1) The right to inspect and review the student's education records within 45 days of the day the school receives a request for access. Parents or eligible students should submit to the school principal (or appropriate school official) a written request that identifies the record(s) they wish to inspect. The school official will make arrangements for access and notify the parent or eligible student of the time and place where the records may be inspected.

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(2) The right to request the amendment of the student's education records that the parent or eligible student believes is inaccurate. Parents or eligible students may ask the school to amend a record that they believe are inaccurate. In writing, notify the school principal (or appropriate school official), clearly identifying the part of the record to be changed, and specify why it is inaccurate. If the school decides not to amend the record as requested by the parent or eligible student, the school will notify the parent or eligible student of the decision and advise him/her of his/her right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the parent or eligible student when notified of the right to a hearing. (3) The right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without consent. One exception, which permits disclosure without consent, is disclosure to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A school official is a person employed by the school as an administrator, supervisor, instructor, or support staff member (including health or medical staff and law enforcement unit personnel); a person serving on the school board; a person or company with whom the school has contracted to perform a special task (such as an attorney, auditor, medical consultant, or therapist); or a parent or student serving on an official committee, such as a disciplinary or grievance committee or assisting another school official in performing his or her tasks. A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her professional responsibility. (4) The right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education concerning alleged failures by the school district to comply with the requirements of FERPA. The name and address of the office that administers FERPA is: Family Policy Compliance Office/ U.S. Department of Education 400 Maryland Avenue, SW Washington, DC 202024605

PERSONAL CURRICULUM ALTERNATIVE

Generally, to earn a high school diploma, a student must satisfy the requirements of Michigan's Merit Curriculum. The District may modify those requirements, however, by developing a personal curriculum for a student. All students are entitled to a personal curriculum. A parent or guardian of a student who has completed 9th grade (or the student if at least 18 years old or emancipated), or a student's teacher or counselor, may request a personal curriculum by contacting Kathy DeKeyser at (734) 449-4461 x3008. A group that includes the student; the student's parent or guardian; and a teacher, guidance counselor, or person acting in a counseling role, will consider the request. If the personal curriculum

request is made by a student who is at least 18 or who is emancipated, or by a parent or guardian, the group will grant the request and will develop a personal curriculum for the student. For all other requests, the group will develop a personal curriculum if the group determines one is appropriate. For most students, the group that develops the personal curriculum may make only certain modifications to the Merit Curriculum. For students with disabilities under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and for certain students transferring to the District from a non-public school or from out of state, the group may make additional modifications. For all students, a personal curriculum must incorporate as much of the Michigan Merit Curriculum content expectations as is practicable for the student; must include measurable goals for the student to achieve while in high school; must include a method to evaluate whether the student met those goals; and must align with the student's educational development plan. Before a personal curriculum becomes effective, the Superintendent, Tom DeKeyser, and the student's parent or guardian (or the student if at least 18 or emancipated) must agree to its terms. Once effective, the student's parent or guardian (or the student if at least 18 or emancipated) must communicate with each of the student's teachers to monitor the student's progress on the personal curriculum goals. A student who successfully satisfies his or her personal curriculum may earn a high school diploma even if the student does not otherwise satisfy all of the Michigan Merit Curriculum requirements. For more information on personal curricula, including what may and may not be modified, please visit the Michigan Department of Education's Personal Curriculum page at:

http://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,4615,7-140-6530_30334_49879---,00.html

Did You Know?

Free and Reduced Price Meal Program

WLPS would like to remind parents to apply for the Free and Reduced Price Meal Program this school year. Families who qualify for free/reduced lunch qualify for reduced/eliminated Pay to Participate fees at WLPS! If you qualify, your child or children will be eligible to take part in the Free and Reduced Price Meal Program and receive reduced pricing on meals or completely free meals, helping you save money! Even if your student had previously qualified, please make sure to apply again, as we require a current application on file for each school year. All families and parents with students K-12 are welcome to apply with no obligation. See if your family is eligible to take advantage of this program and download your application at wlps.net/food-service today!

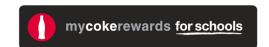
Regardless of participation, students who apply and are found eligible help our schools earn grant money to be used in the classrooms. Please fill out an application even if you don't plan to use the financial assistance.





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Dates: 2nd & 4th Mondays of each month

Place: Whitmore Lake High School

7430 Whitmore Lake Rd.

Time: 7 PM

ADMINISTRATION

Position	Name	Number
Superintendent of Schools	Tom DeKeyser	(734) 449-4464 Ext. 5000
Middle and High School Principal (7-12)	Tom DeKeyser	(734) 449-4461
Elementary School Principal (Preschool-6th Grade)	Sue Wanamaker	(734) 449-2051 Ext. 1000
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Director of Student Services	Melissa Heuker	(734) 449-4464 Ext. 4013
Transportation and Operations Coordinator	Sheryl Webber	(734) 449-4464 Ext. 2052

