



School District of West De Pere

Board Update

A Vision of Pride and Excellence

February 2023

All-State Choir

Four 8th graders were part of the All-State Middle Level Honor Choir. Lilly Ellingson, Aidyn Gauthier, Lauren Metcalf, and Jaxson White-Tegge did a fantastic job.



Family Literacy Night

Hemlock Creek hosted a "Let's Glow Read a Book!", literacy night for students and their families.



Theatre

WDP High School Theatre will be performing *Mean Girls High School Edition* on Feb. 23-25 in the HS auditorium. Catch a show and support the arts!



Girls Basketball



Girls High School Basketball Head Coach, Chris Abaray hit his 100th win on January 12th. Great job Coach.

WDP App

As of February 8th, we have 910 installs of the app. This was a great addition to the tools we already had to make communication easier between the District and the community.



STEAM Night

On February 9th, Hemlock Creek hosted a STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and math) night. It was a fun night to explore some of the technologies that are used at the school.



Do You Want to Build a Snowman?

Westwood and Hemlock Creek students took advantage of the snowfall at recess and made snowmen!



Spelling Bee

The Middle School hosted the K-8 Spelling Bee. 24 students from Westwood, Hemlock Creek, Intermediate and Middle Schools. Congratulations to 7th grader David Uttam, our Spelling Bee champion! The top speller from each school will also have the chance to compete in the Regional Bee. These individuals are: Maryn Steenbock from the IS; Ella Winters from HC; and Aishwarya Palla from WW.



Coach Rukamp



HS Varsity Baseball Head Coach, Joe Rukamp, has been awarded the 2022 Wisconsin Baseball Coaches Association's Ethics in Coaching Award. This award is presented to a coach who displays respect, character, integrity, and class as a baseball coach. Congratulations!

WW 3rd Graders Learn about Weather

Steve Beylon from WBAY Channel 2 visited with 3rd grade students at Westwood Elementary. He shared important information about severe weather in Wisconsin and provided tips for students about how to be safe during severe weather.



Girls Hockey

Congratulations to our Girls Hockey Team who skated their way to becoming the Eastern Shores Conference Champs!!! Four girls from our High School play for the Ice Bears; Stacey Cloute(12th), Lakken Arnstad(12th), Alanna Dunks(9th), and Riley Mitchell(9th).



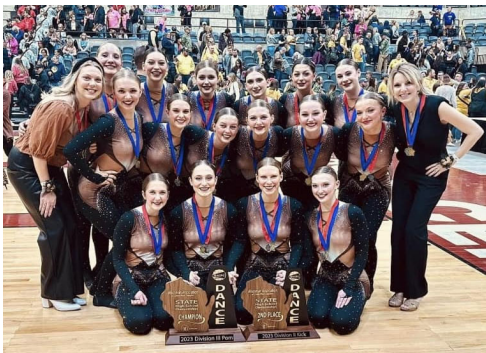
Market

Westwood 1st graders wrapped up their unit on goods and services by hosting their own market. Students had to earn Westwood Bucks over a course of several weeks by doing classroom jobs. Each classroom made a product to sell, and students got to use their hard earned "cash" to make a purchase. The student cashiers counted the money and completed each transaction.



Dance Team

Congratulations to the West De Pere High School Dance Team. They brought home the state title in D3 Pom and second place in D2 Kick! Great job ladies!



Upcoming Events

- Feb. 23rd-25th-WDP Theatre presents *Mean Girls High School Edition* in the HS auditorium
- Feb. 27th from 6-8pm- WDP Softball Free Winter Camp (grades 5-8) in the HS indoor athletic facility
- March 17th at 7pm- Intermediate/Middle School Talent Show in the HS auditorium
- March 18th-WDP Softball Future Phantoms Camp (grades K-8) in the HS indoor athletic facility
- April 19, 2023 Golden Apple Awards at Lambeau Field

