



W.F. West High School NEWSLETTER

October 2023

Upcoming Events

- Oct. 5 SAI Showcase
- Oct. 6 Clubs - CCR
- Oct. 9 Homecoming Week Begins!
Game Night - 6-8 PM
- Oct. 10 Jostens Graduation Orders - CCR
- Oct. 11 Music Booster Meeting
- Oct. 12 "How to Pay for College"
Workshop - CCR
- Oct. 13 Homecoming Assembly - CCR
Tailgate / Football Game
- Oct. 17 Josten's Order Turn-In - Lunch
- Oct. 19 Freshmen - Speaker
Sophomores - PSAT
Juniors/Seniors - College Tours
- Oct. 21 NCESD/WSTA/CSTA Conference
- Oct. 24 Band Concert - 7:00 PM
- Oct. 26 Orchestra Concert - 7:00 PM
- Oct. 27 Swamp Cup Assembly - CCR
Tailgate / Football Game
- Oct. 30 - Nov 3 Fall conference Week
Early Release -12:10
- Nov. 2 College and Career Fair
- Nov. 3 Clubs - CCR

HOCO WEEK

October 9th - 14th!

Sunday, Oct 8
Hall Decorating

Monday, Oct 9
Game Night
(free, in the commons, 6-8 PM)

Wednesday, Oct 11
Class Comps
(Football Field, time TBD)

Friday, Oct 13
Tailgate (Commons/Parking Lot, 5:30 PM)
Football Game @ 7:00 PM

Saturday, Oct 14th
Homecoming Dance
8-11 pm - WFW Commons
\$20 couple with ASB, \$25 w/o ASB
\$10 single with ASB, \$15 w/o ASB
Guests need to fill out form from ASB office

Bob Walters, Principal
Christine Voelker, Assistant Principal
Mark Westley, Assistant Principal
Tommy Elder, Asst. Principal/Athletic Director



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(360) 748-3664 (FAX)
www.chehalisschools.org/wfw



Bearcat Pride!

Congrats W.F. West Yearbook Staff & Freshmen that helped with CMS 2023 Yearbooks!

2023 PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE **GOLD** AWARD

W F WEST HIGH SCHOOL



473 students in the book 3x
Increased book sales by 10%, SOLD OUT
First year adviser



The first WFW band concert will be held on **October 24th** at **7:00 PM** in the **W.F. West Commons**.

The Wind Ensemble, Concert Band and Jazz Band will all be participating.

CORRECTION

Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Conference

Three W. F. West students attended the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Conference at WSU in June. **This trip was sponsored by Kiwanis Club of Centralia-Chehalis.** We are grateful for their support!

BEARCAT BOOSTER CLUB FUNDRAISER

DINNER, LIVE & SILENT AUCTION



BEARCAT BOOSTER CLUB ALL SPORT AUCTION

Tickets \$20

\$25 @ the door

OCTOBER 7TH

LEWIS & CLARK EVENT CENTER

117 W. Magnolia, Centralia, WA

5:00 DOORS OPEN

5:30 DINNER

7:00 LIVE AUCTION

**SILENT AUCTION ITEMS
AVAILABLE AS WELL**



**JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF FUN,
& JOIN THE BEARCAT BOOSTER CLUB!**

2023 Annual Chehalis Music Boosters Meeting



Please bring your favorite dessert to
share!

When: Tuesday October 10th 6:30pm - 7:30pm
Where: WF West Commons

Come listen to a fun night of music, brought to you by our jazz bands, steel drums, strings and choir. We will share a dessert or two and give you information on the upcoming year in music and opportunities for your student. Parents, grandparents and local businesses are all invited to join our booster club and support our music students.

Come learn and join the Chehalis Music Boosters Club that supports students in music programs in the Chehalis School District, grades 6-12! You will also have the opportunity to become a member, volunteer or donate during this meeting. We could always use more help when it comes to supporting these students as they grow and learn!



For more information please contact Stacey Cummings at
scummings@chehalisschools.org

Here is a QR Code for those that want to
donate now or signup as a member.





IT'S POINSETTIA SALE TIME!!!

SPONSORED BY CHEHALIS MUSIC BOOSTER CLUB

SALE STARTS: SEPTEMBER 15th

ENDS: OCTOBER 26th

DELIVERY: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6th: 12PM - 6PM

LOCATION: St. John's Lutheran Church, 2190 Jackson Highway, Chehalis, WA

This year our beautiful plants come from Van Wingerden here in Northern Washington! Funds raised will support music opportunities for all students grades 6-12 in the district. A portion of each poinsettia sold will go into your student's music ledger that is established by Chehalis Music Booster Club. These funds can be used for future participation in trips or contests.

AMAZING NEW ITEMS THIS YEAR TO TAKE NOTICE OF!

- **CHRISTMAS/WINTER CENTERPIECES!** That's right! These unique Christmas/Winter Centerpieces come in a beautiful winter tree basket. (see picture at top) These only come in RED color.
- JINGLE BELL color is back this year as well but ONLY in the 6".
- 10" poinsettias also ONLY come in RED this year.

ORDER FORMS

- Families may print order forms (sent via email) OR swing by CMS/WFW to pick up a fundraising sales packet.
- Make sure your students' contact info (name and phone number) are listed legibly on EVERY FORM.
- Order forms and payments should be delivered to CMS/WFW anytime before October 26, 2023..
- Checks should be payable to **CHEHALIS MUSIC BOOSTER CLUB** or **CMBC**

DELIVERY DAY

- Students are responsible for picking up their plant orders on Wednesday, December 6th.
- IF YOU HAVE A CONFLICT, please make arrangements with Ann Rubert annrubert70@gmail.com

DRAWINGS/PRIZES

- \$50 Amazon gift card for top sales at CMS and at WFW
- Every student that sells at least 1 poinsettia gets entered into a drawing for a chance to win one of the 10 - \$5 gift cards from Lewis County Coffee
- Treat party for top selling class (based on a percentage of participation)

Please complete the waiver below and return with your order.

-If you have any questions, contact **Ann Rubert** annrubert70@gmail.com

POINSETTIA SALE PARTICIPANT WAIVER - PLEASE COMPLETE 1 PER FAMILY

I HAVE READ THE INFORMATION REGARDING THE 2023 MUSIC BOOSTER POINSETTIA SALE AND KNOW THAT MY SON/DAUGHTER IS PARTICIPATING IN THIS FUNDRAISER. I AM AWARE THAT PLANTS MUST BE PICKED UP ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6th AND THAT CMBC IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ORDERS THAT ARE NOT PICKED UP.

Student's Name _____ Grade _____
Please Print

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Phone # _____
Please Print

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

_____ I can help on **Delivery Day- Wednesday, December 6th**. I have noted on the back of this page, what I can help with.



This December
W.F. West Theatre Presents:



Disney's
THE LION KING

The Story

Rafiki gathers the animals of the Pridelands to welcome the newborn cub of Mufasa and Sarabi but Scar, no longer heir to the throne, skips the ceremony, upsetting Mufasa. Time passes and Young Simba grows into a curious young lion. Mufasa explains the circle of life and that he will one day be king of the Pridelands. Scar recruits the hyenas in his murderous plan to become king.

Enacting his plan, Scar leaves Young Simba alone in the gorge and signals the hyenas to scare a herd of wildebeest. Mufasa rescues Young Simba, but Scar pushes Mufasa into the gorge, where he is trampled. Scar blames Young Simba for the king's death and tells him to run away and never return. As Sarabi, Young Nala, Rafiki and the lionesses mourn the loss of Mufasa and Young Simba, Scar assumes the throne, uniting lions and hyenas under his dark reign. Lost in the desert, Young Simba meets Timon and Pumbaa, who take him to their "worry-free" jungle home.

Under Scar's reign, the Pridelands are nearly destroyed. Now grown, Nala decides to leave and seek help. She finds Simba in the jungle and urges him to take his rightful place as king, but still ashamed, Simba refuses. Rafiki appears and helps Simba remember his father. With newfound courage, Simba agrees to return to the Pridelands to restore peace and take his place as king.

The Lion King performs

December 8th and 15th at 7:30 p.m. and
December 9th and 16th at 2:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.
in the W.F. West Theatre

**Tickets (\$9.00) are on sale at the W.F. West High School A.S.B. Office or
at the door before each performance**

For ticket information: (360) 807-7235

W. F. WEST HIGH SCHOOL'S

14th ANNUAL

COLLEGE and CAREER FAIR 2023

WHEN: Thursday, November 2nd

WHERE: W. F. West High School Gym

TIME: 7:40 am – 12:30 pm

The College and Career fair is an opportunity for students to gather information about some of the options available to them after graduation, and to make connections with a wide variety of colleges and vocations.

Be sure to ask your student about this event!



Student Meal Prices:

Breakfast - \$1.90 / Lunch - \$3.30

All K-8th grade students receive free meals for the 23/24 school year, however **9-12th do not**. If you think you may qualify for free or reduced meals please fill out a meal application. The meal applications can be found on the district website, picked up from the high school office, a high school food service cashier or at the district office. For further information contact Janet Charlton in the Food Services department.

Title I Notification

Parents can request the following information regarding instructional staff who work with their children:

- Whether or not the child's teacher has met state certification for the grades and subjects she/he is teaching.
- Whether or not the teacher is working with an emergency or conditional certificate where state certification criteria has been waived.
- The baccalaureate degree major of the teacher and any other graduate certification or degree held, including field of discipline of the certificate or degree.
- If the child receives instructional services from a paraeducator, the paraeducator's qualifications.

Chehalis School District Annual School's Report

Chehalis School District and the State of Washington believe that important information about local public schools should be provided to educators, parents, community members and the general public. The combined support of these various stakeholders ensures the success of all students. Information regarding current and past test scores, demographics, teacher qualifications, graduation and dropout rates for secondary students, and the status of school improvement can be obtained from the following website:

<http://reportcards.ospi.k12.wa.us/>

Search for Chehalis School District and click on the school of choice.

Printed copies of the annual school's report or newsletter may be obtained from the Chehalis School District Office at 310 SW 16th Street, Chehalis, WA 98532 (360) 807-7200. You may also log on to the district website at <http://www.chehalisschools.org> and click on the appropriate link to view each document.



Seniors...Class of 2024!

Senior Yearbook Photos due November 22nd!

Heads up Class of 2024! Here is the google form for your senior picture, baby picture and quote submission.

<https://forms.gle/TukUHBqAQuhY7JAUa>

All senior yearbook items are due

November 22nd. NO LATER!

Please contact Mrs. Ciolli with any questions.

YEARBOOK

CLICK HERE TO BUY YOUR W. F.
WEST HIGH SCHOOL YEARBOOK

https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/productBrowse/1119015/W-F-West-High-School/2024-Yearbook/20230821081529023151/CATALOG_SHOP/

REMIND

Students and parents can keep on top of a busy senior year by receiving text messages using the **Remind** system. Text messages will be sent to you about...

- college admission deadlines
- financial aid deadlines
- scholarship information
- college tours
- workshops and events



To join, text the number **81010** and put the following code in the message **@WFW2024**.

Senior Web Page! This page will give you quick links, forms, upcoming events, and information that we hope will be helpful for this year. You can find this page by going to the WF West site > hover under Academics > Career and College Readiness > click Seniors 2024

One-On-One Senior Meetings! Mrs. Chaput will be meeting with each senior one-on-one to review your senior year and work on your plan after graduation. If you haven't already met with Mrs. Chaput, please feel free to contact her to schedule a time to chat. This year will go by fast and the more we can work together, the better! You can contact Mrs. Chaput at 360-807-7270, kchaput@chehalisschools.org, or texting through the Remind app.

Events Coming Up!!

10/10 Jostens Meeting: Seniors need to attend to get information and order forms for their cap & gown. This will be held in the Commons during CCR Block.

10/12 Financial Aid & How to Pay for College: All seniors who want to learn more about financial aid, grants, and scholarships are encouraged to attend. Mrs. Chaput will be reviewing deadlines, available programs, qualifications, and how to apply. This workshop will be held in the Library during CCR Block.

10/17 Jostens Orders: Jostens will be here during both lunches to take order forms for caps & gowns.

11/2 WFW Career & College Fair! All students will have the opportunity to attend this great annual event. We will have representatives from a wide variety of colleges and vocations.

11/8 ASVAB Testing: Testing will be held in the Library beginning at 7:40 a.m. Students must be in the 10th, 11th or 12th grade and at least 16 years old. Students who are interested in exploring career and military options are encouraged to participate. Students need to be checking their emails for information on how to sign up.



Counseling Center

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Upcoming SAT Test Dates

Test Date	Registration Deadline
Nov. 4, 2023	Oct. 5, 2023
Dec. 2, 2023	Nov. 2, 2023
March 9, 2024**	Feb. 23, 2024
May 4, 2024**	Apr. 19, 2024
June 1, 2024**	May 16, 2024

**Digital Test

Website

<https://satsuite.collegeboard.org/sat/registration/dates-deadlines>

Upcoming ACT Test Dates

Test date	Registration deadline
Dec. 9, 2023	Nov. 3, 2023
Feb. 10, 2024	Jan. 5, 2024
Apr. 13, 2024	Mar. 8, 2024
June 8, 2024	May 3, 2024
July 13, 2024	June 7, 2024

Website

<https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/registration.html>

OCTOBER 19TH!!

Freshmen - - - Speaker, Mark Westley

On October 19th, Freshmen will have the opportunity to hear from our new Assistant Principal, Mark Westley. Mr. Westley will share his inspiring message about the importance of hope. He emphasizes that hope is a powerful tool to help us overcome even the toughest challenges in life. He encourages students to always believe in themselves and their abilities and to never give up on their dreams. He reminds them it's okay to fail as long as they pick themselves back up and keep pushing forward. Mr. Westley has spoken nationally on this topic and we are looking forward to having him share his message with our Freshmen students.

Sophomores - - - PSAT

All Sophomores will be taking the PSAT on October 19th. *Be sure to come well rested and eat a good breakfast!* Students will report to their testing room first thing in the morning and finish by first lunch. New this year, the test will be given digitally instead of on paper. The digital test format is easier to take, shorter, and allows more time per question. Similar to the SAT, the PSAT has the same sections and timing, and measures the same Reading, Writing and Math skills students learn in the classroom – knowledge and skills your child needs to succeed in college and career. Additionally, students may meet the requirements to enter the National Merit® Scholarship Program, an academic competition for recognition and scholarships. Please help us support your child by encouraging them to do their best on test day!

Juniors & Seniors - - - College Tour Day

Juniors & Seniors will have an opportunity to attend a college tour on **October 19**. The options are: Central WA University, Oregon State University, and University of Washington. Each student gets to decide which college they would like to attend that day and must submit a permission slip to Mrs. Chaput as soon as possible, but not later than October 2nd.

Meet Our Counselors!

Libby Rakevich, Counselor - All grades last names A-G / AVID, lrakevich@chehalisschools.org

Shawna Goble, Counselor - All grades last names H-N / Running Start, sgoble@chehalisschools.org

Jessica Boeck, Counselor - All grades last names O-Z, Exchange Students & NCAA, jboeck@chehalisschools.org

Adrian Jimenez, 9th Grade Transition Specialist, ajimenez@chehalisschools.org

Kerri Chaput - College and Career Readiness Advisor, kchaput@chehalisschools.org

Brian Adams - District Mental Health Specialist, badams@chehalisschools.org

Assigned Assistant Principals:

8th & 11th Grade - Mr. Westley

10th & 12th Grade - Mrs. Voelker

How Can We Help?

Make an appointment to see a school counselor at

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdSXdEddfdEPvx4rMuAimZ0V9trIqVpcNvphlCzhcRZtzDt0A/viewform>

Order a transcript (allow 48 hrs for processing; transcripts can be picked up in the counseling center)

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdNsaB5302ZFWQAQlrEQ1ReEgDB_eDviY-wZBOq3WU-4v2MKa/viewform



IS YOUR CUMULATIVE GPA ABOVE 3.0? WANT TO JOIN HONOR SOCIETY?

Submit the google form that was emailed to you and pay your \$10 membership fee. We'll send you information on upcoming meetings!

Key Communicators District News

Want to receive the latest School District News? Join our Key Communicators email group! Sign up emailing: keycommunicators@chehalisschools.org. Have your family and friends sign up, too!

Chehalis School District Community Newsletter

"The Learning Network," can be accessed online through the district's website at <http://www.chehalisschools.org>



Scholarships

Coca-Cola Scholars Scholarship - For seniors planning to pursue post secondary education, apply online at <https://www.coca-colascholarfoundation.org/apply/> **Deadline is 5 p.m. EASTERN time (2:00 p.m. our time) on October 2nd. HURRY AND APPLY!**

Heisman High School Scholarship - For seniors with a GPA of 3.0 or higher who are active in their community and participate in sports can apply at <https://heismanscholarship.com> **Deadline is October 17th, 3 p.m.**

Elks National Foundation - Most Valuable Student Scholarship - Based on scholarship, leadership and financial need. Seniors apply online at: <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm> **Deadline is November 13th.**

Jack Kent Cooke College Scholarships - For high-performing seniors with financial need who seek to attend the nation's best four-year colleges and universities. Application is online through the Common App or a link can be found here: <https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/college-scholarship-program/> **Deadline for submission is November 16th at 11:59 pm local time.**

Seattle University Sullivan Award - Students planning to attend Seattle University and have a 3.7 or higher GPA. Scholarship covers full tuition, housing and meals for 4 years. Common Application materials must be submitted by the Early Action deadline of **November 15th** and the **scholarship application deadline is November 30th.**

Dell Scholars Program for AVID students - Participate in AVID and be on track to graduate. Apply online at <https://www.dellscholars.org/scholarship/> **Deadline is December 1st.**

LGBT Scholarships - Through GSBA and Pride Foundation. **Application opens October 11th.** For pursuit of post secondary education. Apply online at: <https://pridefoundation.org/find-funding/scholarships/> for additional details and deadlines. **Deadline will be January 6th.**

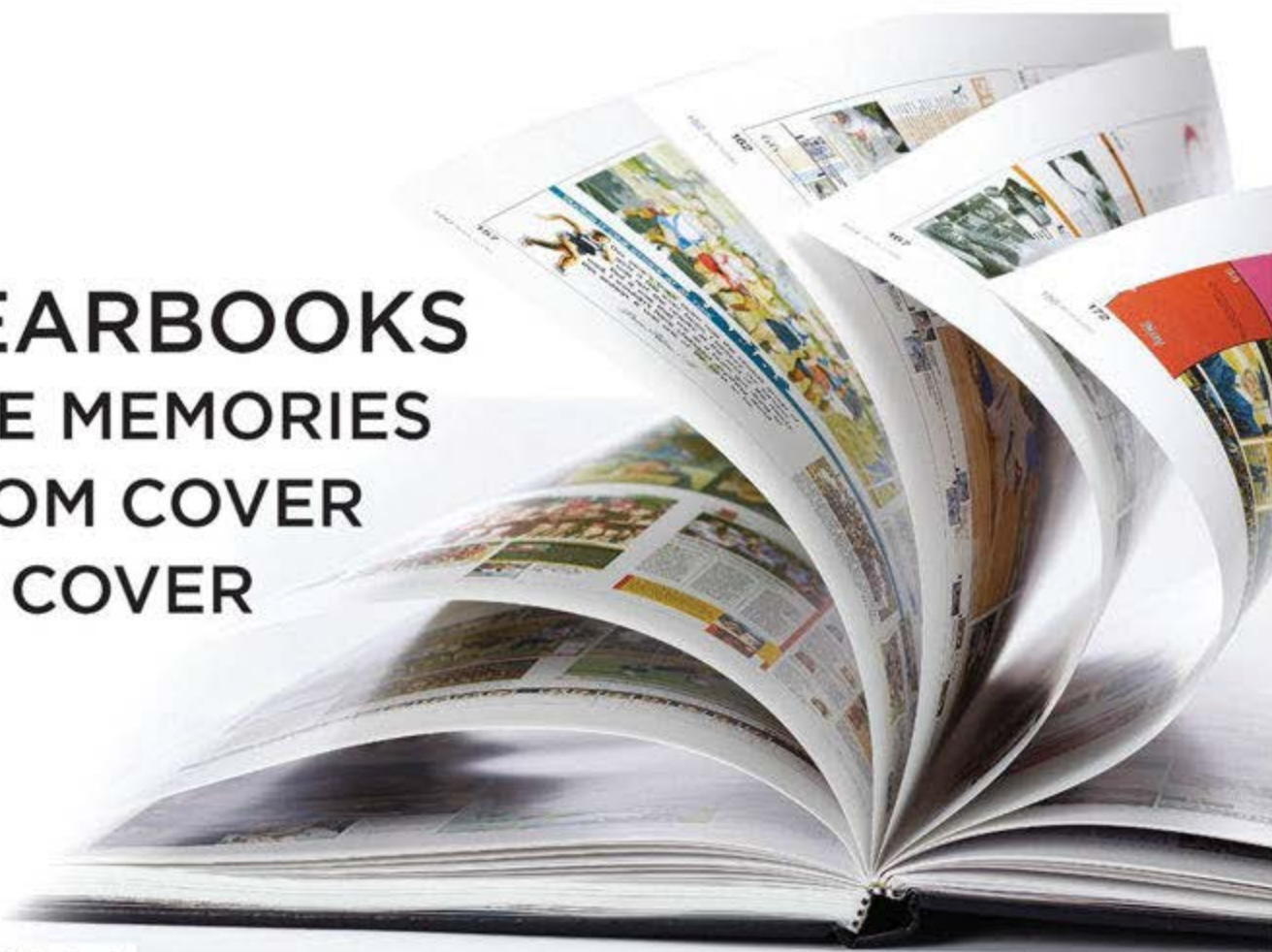
Epsilon Sigma Alpha Foundation - Numerous scholarships awarded in a variety of categories, search those offered to Washington state students (you don't need to attend a college in WA however). There is a small fee for each scholarship you apply for. Apply early and include all documents. For further information, visit <https://epsilonsigmaalpha.org/scholarships-and-grants/> Once there, click on the scholarship link and choose Washington State. This will open up all of the scholarships available. Read requirements for each to see if you qualify. **Deadline is February 1st!**

Scholarship America - Listings for **many** scholarships administered by Scholarship America. Various requirements and deadlines. <https://scholarshipamerica.org/students/browse-scholarship/>

StudentScholarships.org - **This website posts many scholarships with a variety of options for students.** Check out their website at: <https://studentscholarships.org/>

Incredible Health Nursing Scholarships and Grants resource guide - This link contains numerous links to scholarships and nursing career resources. <https://www.incrediblehealth.com/blog/nursing-scholarships-and-grants/>

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*Tax, service and delivery fee(s) will be added if applicable.
Credit card installment plan available for orders of \$30 or more.*

DEADLINE: 01/19/2024

W F West High School

Dear Parent or Student,
Yearbook Recognition Ads are the perfect way to commemorate achievements and celebrate milestones. In addition, revenues from Recognition Ads help our school create a better yearbook. To purchase your ad online, follow the instructions listed below. Jostens is responsible for our school's yearbook ad sales. Please do not contact or send materials to the school. Please also consider our school's ad content guidelines below during the creation of your ad online. All orders must be placed by 01/19/2024.

ORDER BY 01/19/2024

COLOR AD

Full Page	\$250.00
1/2 Page	\$150.00
1/4 Page	\$80.00
1/8 Page	\$50.00

*Tax, service and delivery fee(s) will be added if applicable.

PAYMENT PLAN AVAILABLE ON ORDERS OF \$30 OR MORE.

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Step 1

Choose your ad size and layout



Step 2

Add your photos



Step 3

Enter your text

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What are the guidelines for ad content?

Our school reserves the right to edit ads per our guidelines. Ensure all submitted materials are appropriate for school publication. Jostens retains the right to remove any explicit text, graphic photos or copyright-protected imagery or photos.

Can I create my student's ad on my mobile device?

Yes, yearbook ads can be created online from both desktop and mobile devices.

How are the ad prices determined and what is the money used for?

Recognition ad prices are determined by our school. Revenue from recognition ads helps the school create a better, more affordable yearbook.

How is the ad deadline determined?

The ad deadline is set by our school based on the production schedule for the yearbook.



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Fall Conferences

OCTOBER 30 - NOVEMBER 3, 1:30-6:30 PM

We have scheduled two teacher conference days to give you the time to meet each teacher, discuss with each teacher your student's progress, and get the information necessary to give support and encouragement at home. We truly believe that if teachers, parents and administrators work together, our students can achieve their maximum growth.

Conferences for all teachers will be held in the high school Commons. Parents will have a very short distance to walk to meet with all teachers. This should help shorten the total amount of time needed to meet with all teachers.

Entry to parent/teacher conferences is at the Commons doors. Parents will register there, pick up their student's schedule and a map of department locations. Parents are urged to confer with all teachers to discuss individual progress and mutual concerns. All teachers are isolated in an open-arena type setting and are available to meet with parents on a first-come basis. No prior appointments are necessary. We will have refreshments available.

Be sure to go over the the "Question and Answer" section on this page to assist you with specific concerns.

If you have any additional unanswered questions, please call Bob Walters, Christine Voelker or Mark Westley at 807-7235.

Due to other educational or school-related commitments, a few teachers may not be available during some of the conference times. These teachers will send an email to students and their families with their available conference times.

Conference Week Bell Schedule

October 30 - November 3, 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>Period 1</u> 7:40 - 8:45	<u>Period 5</u> 7:40 - 8:45	<u>Period 1</u> 7:40 - 8:45	Annual Career and College Fair All classes meet (no 3rd per-CCR)	<u>Period 5</u> 7:40 - 8:45
<u>Period 2</u> 8:50 - 9:55	<u>Period 6</u> 8:50 - 9:55	<u>Period 2</u> 8:50 - 9:55		<u>Period 6</u> 8:50 - 9:55
<u>Period 3-CCR</u> 10:00 - 10:30	<u>Period 3-CCR</u> 10:00 - 10:30	<u>Period 3-CCR</u> 10:00 - 10:30		<u>Period 3-CCR</u> 10:00 - 10:30
<u>Period 4</u> 10:35 - 11:40	<u>Period 7</u> 10:35 - 11:40	<u>Period 4</u> 10:35 - 11:40		<u>Period 7</u> 10:35 - 11:40
<u>Lunch</u> 11:40 - 12:10	<u>Lunch</u> 11:40 - 12:10	<u>Lunch</u> 11:40 - 12:10		<u>Lunch</u> 11:40 - 12:10
Conference Time: 1:00 - 7:00	Happy Halloween Boo!	Conference Time: 1:00 - 7:00		<u>Period 1</u> 7:40 - 8:20
				<u>Period 2</u> 8:25 - 9:00
			<u>Period 4</u> 9:05 - 9:40	
			<u>Period 5</u> 9:45 - 10:20	
			<u>Period 6</u> 10:25 - 11:00	
			<u>Period 7</u> 11:05 - 11:40	
			Lunch 11:40 - 12:10	

Conference Q&A

Q: If I want to attend conferences should I call and make an appointment?

A: No. With arena-style conferences, you come when it is convenient for you to attend. Conferences occur on a first-come, first-served basis. If one teacher has parents already waiting, simply locate another teacher who is free.

Q: I want to attend a conference with one teacher. Do I have to go through a "big process" to accomplish that?

A: If you want to spend the minimum amount of time conferencing, we suggest that you come at the very beginning or end of the conference session.

Q: I don't want to attend any conferences, but I do want to receive a progress report for my student.

A: Call the Counseling Center at 807-7235, Ext. 5514. The staff can help you with your request.

Q: I will probably need to talk with one teacher for more than 10 minutes. Does the 10 minute limit mean that I can't talk longer than that?

A: We make a real effort to limit conferences to no longer than 10 minutes so other parents don't have long waits, but you may schedule a longer conference by emailing the teacher or contacting the school to schedule a time.

Q: I have a very short amount of time available. Will I have to stand in long lines?

A: We have centralized the location for all conferences in the Commons area. Because of the close proximity of this location, you can move easily between teacher conference areas. Our best estimate is that your total conference time should not exceed one and a half hours.

Q: How are arena-style conferences different from parent conferences in other schools?

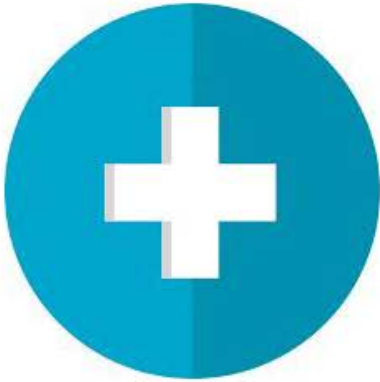
A: We have no prior appointments and all teachers are located in one central area. Therefore, you can move freely between teachers. If one teacher has a longer waiting line, simply select another teacher whom you wish to talk with.

Q: I would like my student to attend parent/teacher conferences, but I would like to contact my student's teachers at some other time. What should I do?

A: Email the teacher or contact the school to set up an appointment.

Student Health

Here are some reminders from the School Nurse for the new school year!



1. All students with life threatening conditions must have life saving medications (EpiPen, Inhalers, Etc.) and doctors orders while in school. Please get those to me ASAP!
2. All non-emergency medications also need a doctor's order and should be stored in the Health Room (tylenol, ibuprofen, cough drops, etc.)
3. COVID procedures are still in place. If your student has one or more symptoms please keep them home and test them before returning to school. We will no longer be testing on the school campus. For updated information please visit: <https://doh.wa.gov/emergencies/covid-19>

Did you lose something??

The Lost & Found is located in the main office. We have already collected several items! If you are missing something, please stop by and take a look! Any items not claimed will eventually be donated.



School pictures taken at W F WEST HIGH SCHOOL on 09/15/2023 are now available for parents to view and order online.

View and order at:

<https://shop.jostenspix.com/login>

- *W F WEST HIGH SCHOOL*
- *Event Code: FE21423*
- *Also Needed: Skyward Unique Student ID*

Chehalis School District
Anonymous Security/Safety Reporting Form



Chehalis School District wants everyone who uses our schools to feel safe. If you, your child(ren) and/or someone you know has been the target of bullying, harassment, intimidation, threats and/or have information on targeted violence please tell us so we can investigate.

All reports are sent to Officer Thornburg and personal information is optional and confidential.

If you have information that poses an immediate threat, call **911**.



Bearcat Athletics



October Sports Schedule

*HOME GAMES IN BOLD AND ALL CAPS



FOOTBALL

Varsity - 7:00pm

10/6 @ Rochester
 10/13 **PRAIRIE**
 10/20 @ Aberdeen
 10/27 **CENTRALIA**

Junior Varsity

10/2 @ Tumwater 4:00
 10/9 @ SKYVIEW 6:00
 10/16 @ Prairie 6:00
 10/23 **KELSO 4:30**

Freshmen

10/2 **TUMWATER 4:30**
 10/9 @ Rochester 6:00
 10/16 **PRAIRIE 4:30**
 10/23 @ Aberdeen 5:00
 10/30 **CENTRALIA 5:00**

CO-ED CROSS COUNTRY

10/4 **TUMWATER/ROCHESTER**
 10/18 EvCo League Meet @ Borst Park

BOYS GOLF

3:30 pm - Home matches @ Newaukum Valley GC

10/2 @ Rochester (Riverside)
 10/4 **TUMWATER**
 10/9 **CENTRALIA**

BOYS TENNIS

3:30pm

10/2 **ABERDEEN**
 10/4 @ Tumwater
 10/6 **BLACK HILLS**
 10/9 @ Shelton
 10/11 @ Centralia



GIRLS SOCCER

JV - 5:00 / Varsity - 7:00pm

10/3 @ Battle Ground - 6:00 (JV Only)
 10/3 @ Rochester
 10/5 @ Shelton
 10/10 **ABERDEEN**
 10/12 **TUMWATER**
 10/17 @ Centralia
 10/19 **BLACK HILLS**
 10/26 **ROCHESTER**

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Varsity - 7:00pm

JV & JV2 - 5:30 pm

10/3 **ROCHESTER**
 10/5 **SHELTON**
 10/10 @ Aberdeen
 10/12 @ Tumwater
 10/17 **CENTRALIA**
 10/19 @ Black Hills
 10/24 @ Montesano
 10/26 @ Rochester



2023 HOME FOOTBALL GAME THEMES

OCT 13 HOCO GAME **CRIMSON & GRAY THROWBACK**

OCT 27 SWAMP CUP **PINK & BLACK**

2023 AWAY FOOTBALL GAME THEMES

OCT 6 DENIM OUT @ROCHESTER

OCT 20 GONE FISHING @ABERDEEN

BEARCAT SPIRIT CHECK!
 BEARCATS! START COLLECTING YOUR OUTFITS NOW!
 LETS CONTINUE THE TRADITION OF THE MOST SPIRITED & BEST DRESSED STUDENT SECTION IN THE STATE!

GO BEARCATS!



W.F. West Bearcat Athletic Booster Club promotes enthusiasm and good sportsmanship in an environment that inspires student athletes, coaches, parents and community. Annual Membership & fundraising efforts enable the club to fund scholarships to graduating Seniors and purchase items to enhance and support ALL W.F. West athletic teams.

2023-24 BEARCAT ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB MEMBERSHIP

MEMBER NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE# _____

EMAIL _____

STUDENT(S) NAME & GRADE(S) _____

Membership Fees:

- \$12.00 individual
- \$20.00 couple
- \$30.00 Business Booster

Please check the following you would be willing to help with or would like more information about:

- Boys' basketball concession stand help
- Girls' basketball concession stand help
- Wrestling concession stand help
- District basketball tournaments concession stand help
- Be willing to get a food handler's permit; open and/or close the concession stand
- Help with the Coaches Hall of Fame, All Sport Auction or other events
- Become a Board Member or Officer

Other Donations:

- Senior Scholarship contribution \$ _____
- Donation to specific team: \$ _____ Team: _____

Please make your check payable to the **BEARCAT ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB**

mail to: **Bearcat Athletic Booster Club**

PO Box 601

Chehalis, WA 98532

Here are just a few things your Booster dollars do?

- *Provide financial help to ALL athletic activities that request assistance
- *Provide gift cards to athletes who participate at the state level
- *Bearcat Coaches Hall of Fame, All Sport Auction & other events
- *Provide college scholarships for Senior athletes
- *Provide bookkeeping assistance to coaches
- *Help with the 1-5 Toyota Raffle
- *and MUCH more!!!

W.F. West High School
342 SW 16th St.
Chehalis, WA 98532



Habla español? El distrito escolar de Chehalis ofrece servicios de traducción al español a nuestros padres y familias. Por favor comuníquese con Emma Reynolds al 360-807-7225, o al correo electrónico a ereynolds@chehalisschools.org

Non-Discrimination/Equal Opportunity Statement

Chehalis School District does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups.

Chehalis School District offers classes in many career and technical education (CTE) program areas, including Agriculture, Business and Marketing, Family and Consumer Sciences, Skilled and Technical Sciences, Health Sciences and STEM. Lack of English language proficiency will not be a barrier to admission and participation in career and technical education programs.

The following employees have been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination:

El Distrito Escolar de Chehalis no discrimina en ningún programa o actividad por sexo, raza, credo, religión, color, origen nacional, edad, estado veterano o militar, orientación sexual, expresión o identidad de género, discapacidad o el uso de un Guía de perros entrenados o un animal de servicio y proporciona igual acceso a los Boy Scouts y otros grupos juveniles designados.

El Distrito Escolar de Chehalis ofrece clases en varias áreas con programas de educación vocacional y técnica (CTE), incluyendo Agricultura, Negocios y Mercadotecnia, Ciencias de la Familia y del Consumidor, Ciencias Técnicas y Calificadas, Ciencias de la Salud y STEM. La falta de dominio del idioma inglés no será una barrera para la admisión y participación en programas de educación profesional y técnica.

Los siguientes empleados han sido designados para manejar las preguntas y quejas de supuestas discriminaciones:

Title IX Coordinator

Athletic Director, Jeff Johnson, 310 SW 16th Street Chehalis, WA 98532 360-807-7235 jjohnson2@chehalisschools.org

Section 504/ADA Coordinator

Director of Special Education, Katie Howell, 2025 SW Salsbury Ave Chehalis, WA 98532 (360) 807-7245 option 3 (360) 748-8767 Fax khowell@chehalisschools.org

Civil Rights Compliance Coordinator

Debby Gregory, 310 SW 16th Street Chehalis, WA 98532 360-807-7200 dgregory@chehalisschools.org

Career and Technical Education Coordinator

Christine Voelker, 310 SW 16th Street Chehalis, WA 98532 360-807-7235 cvoelker@chehalisschools.org