

Western Weekly
Friday, February 12, 2010

2/12	Student/Staff Basketball Game - 2:45pm-3:45pm
2/15-2/19	Winter Recess - No School
2/23	Read Across America
2/23	SES Parent Coffee, 9am-10am
2/24	Young People's Concert @ GHS - 6 & 7 th Grade
2/25	8 th Grade WOWfest, 10:30am-11:00am
2/25	7 th Grade WOWfest, 1:30pm-2:35pm
2/26	6 th Grade WOWfest, 12:00pm
2/26	Snowball Dance, 6:30pm-9:30pm

Thank you to all of the parents who helped make our Soup Day so wonderful!!!! It was a GREAT treat on a cold, snowy day. :)

Greenwich Distinguished Teacher Award nomination packets are available in the main office and also available on the Greenwich Public Schools' Web Site: www.greenwickschools.org.

Is **SCIENCE** your favorite class? Is **Grey's Anatomy** your favorite t.v. show? Maybe **Scrubs** or **House**? Then you may want to take part in the WMS Saturday Enrichment course: **Rat Dissection**. Mrs. Iannacone and Ms. DeBlasio will run a dissection on Saturday, March 6th from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Any interested 6th, 7th, or 8th grade students may pick up a permission slip from either teacher next week. Hurry-there's only room for the first 20 students!

Pennies for Patients

On Monday, January 25th, Western Middle School started a 3-week school wide community service activity called Pennies for Patients.

Leukemia is the leading cause of cancer-related death among children and young adults under the age of 20. Funds raised through "Pennies for Patients" go to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society that fund research to find cures for leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma as well as to improve the quality of life for those afflicted and their families. Seventy four percent of the Leukemia/Lymphoma Society's total expenses support cancer research, education advocacy, and patient services.

Last year WMS, with everyone's support, raised \$4,251.00. **LETS GO BEYOND OUR BEST** for this worthy cause.

The "**West Wind**" is looking for writing contributions/submissions for this year's edition. We are looking for any type of creative writing, including short stories and poems. Students are encouraged to use both writing done for school and personal writing. Please bring all writing pieces to Ms. Downes in room M7.

Homework Club: Tuesday and Thursday Afternoons in M7 - 2:45-3:45
English Extra Help: Tuesday Mornings in M7 - 7:15-7:40

Attendance # 531-5678, please call before 8:30a.m.
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