

WACO

PARENT LETTER

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"The mission of the WACO Community School District is to develop responsible, productive citizens who view learning as a lifelong process. WACO's educational environment encourages continuous improvement, problem-solving, measurable outcomes, and community involvement."

FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS:

LINK TO WACO CLASSES, TEACHERS, GRADES, ASSIGNMENTS, MORE:
<http://powerschool.wacohts.com>

HIGH SCHOOL VOCAL FESTIVAL

Next Tuesday, Oct. 20th the High School Chorus will host their annual High School Vocal Festival. WACO, Winfield-Mt. Union, Harmony, Pekin and Van Buren will spend the afternoon rehearsing with guest conductor, Matt Huth from Waukee High School and will present an evening concert at 7:00 pm. Admission will

FALL CONCERT

The Southeast Iowa Symphony Orchestra will be performing their Fall Concert on Sunday, October 25th at 7:30 p.m. at the newly remodeled Iowa Wesleyan College Chapel Auditorium in Mt. Pleasant. Soloists are 15 year old Colton Peltier and 12 year old Serena Lu, both pianists from the Minneapolis area. Also included on the program is a performance of the 1812 Overture by Tchaikovsky. Complimentary student tickets will be available from Mrs. Freyenberger, a member of the orchestra. If you are interested, please contact her next week. Also, please mark your calendars now for the KIDSYPHONY on Saturday, November 14th at 2:00 p.m. in Mt. Pleasant.

LEGION HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARTY

The American Legion Post 593 will be hosting a Halloween Costume Party at the Elementary building in Crawfordsville on Saturday, October 31. It will start at 5:00 PM. Preschoolers through adults are invited to this party. There will be costume class for the Pre-school through Sixth grade and Seventh grade through Adult. Coffee, milk and donuts will be served afterwards. Crawfordsville city wide Trick or Treat time will follow the party. While you are out trick or treating, please put safety first.

WACO Elementary's Project Wisdom theme for the week of 10/19-23 is: "Education: A Gift for Life."

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, October 16

7:00PM: Boys Varsity Football - Cardinal
(Band Extravaganza)(Parent's Night)

Monday, October 19

TBA: Girls Varsity Volleyball - Regionals
6:30PM: Boys Junior Varsity Football VS. Lone Tree

Tuesday, October 20

1:00PM: WACO HS Vocal Festival

7:00PM: WACO HS Vocal Fest. Concert

Wednesday, October 21

TBA: Girls Varsity Volleyball - Regionals

1:40PM: School Event Early Dismissal

Thursday, October 22

TBA: Boys/Girls Varsity Cross Country - Districts/
Regional Meet

7:00PM: School Event 4-6 Music Concert

Friday, October 23

7:00PM: Boys Varsity Football @ Lone Tree

ATTENTION CLASS OF 2010

The Class of 2010 will order graduation caps, gowns and other graduation items on October 22. Information for ordering was sent home on October 12. Parents, please call the counselor's office if there are any questions regarding ordering procedures.

ELEMENTARY CONCERT

Please be advised that the 4-6 grade concert was accidentally left off the school's printed calendar. The concert will be held on October 22nd at 7 pm at the Crawfordsville Elementary. Please make sure you put the date on your calendars and plan to attend if you have a child in fourth, fifth, or sixth grade.

AEA HEARING CHECKS

Thursday, October 22 the Great Prairie AEA will be performing hearing checks at the Elementary for students PreSchool through Third and rechecks for some of the other students. The checks will begin at 9:00 AM. When finished at the Elementary building, they will be doing hearing screening for all of the 8th grade and testing those students who have had a hearing loss in previous years. Parents will be informed of those students who do not pass.

LIBRARY BOOK FAIR

The WACO Libraries will be holding their annual Book Fair Fund Raiser Nov. 2-5. The Fair will be open during regular school hours and in the evening during parent teacher conferences. There will be a wide selection of new books for all ages at both the Wayland and Crawfordsville Centers. This will be an excellent opportunity to purchase educational gifts for the upcoming holidays. Proceeds from the Book Fair will be used to purchase new materials for the library. Hope to see you there!