Conrad Weiser High School Friday, February 12, 2016 Day 1

Entrée (select one): Cheese Ravioli w/Breadstick

Sides (select at least two): Steamed Broccoli, Baked Chips, Apple Slices, Fresh Fruit

Milk (may select one)

Congratulations to Michael Confalone, who was selected for Region Chorus this week!

<u>Congratulations to CW Worldquest Team</u> for finishing 2nd place in the Berks County competition at Alvernia University. This is an outstanding achievement and it shows our student's strong interest in Global Affairs, Current Events and International Relations. Please recognize the following students for representing CW at the Worldquest Competition and making us proud: Victoria Organtini, Joseph Gresoi, Jeremy Reimenschneider, and James Palumbo.

The following students should see Ms. Rurode today: Ali Mohammed, Seth Ravert, Jeremy Reimenschneider, Kiersten Ingram, Macy Moyer, Rachel Sechrist

Results of the 5th PA Math League Contest - Almost 80 students participated in yesterday's contest. It was a tough one! There were 10 students who got 3 correct including Bryn Werley, Nicole Davis, Will Sumner, Ben Sumner, Ben Aulenbach, Phillip Weiser, Michael Confalone, Matteo Wanner, Joel Zerbe, and Tyler Hoss. A team score of 15 was submitted.

Seniors: Attached to today's announcements is a diploma list. If you would like a change made to your name as it appears on this list, please see Mrs. Davis in the high school office by the end of the day on Wednesday, February 24. Otherwise, your name will be submitted as it appears on the attached list. If you have any questions, please see Mrs. Davis.

Early Dismissal for Sports Dismiss

Fri	2/12	JH Wrestling	Wilson JH Wrestling Tournament @ Wilson HS	Α	3:00	12:45
		Coed Bowling	Oley Valley @ Berks Lanes	Η	3:30	2:15
Sat	2/13	JH Wrestling	Wilson JH Wrestling Tournament @ Wilson HS	Α	9:00	7:15
		V & JH Cheerleading	BCIAA Cheerleading Championships @ Reading HS	Α	11:30	8:00

GSA members and friends: We will meet to discuss our contribution to Mini-Thon on Monday, February 15, during MPP in the chorus room. See Mrs. Strausser in the counseling office for a pass.

Have you noticed how buff the administration and faculty are looking these days? Mr. Rob "The Legend" Galtere has us all doing sprints, practicing our layups and dunks, and lifting weights in preparation for the Seniors versus Faculty Basketball Game next Friday, the 19th at 7. The Faculty is on a two game winning streak having pulverized the Seniors in the last game in the series by a score of 57-36. Mr. John "The Hammer" Rohm, Mr. John "Sief" Siefert, and Mr. Adam "Defense" Sandoe are among the experienced and talented returnees from that victorious team in hopes of maintaining possession of the AlgoTrotter Trophy. By the way have you located that invaluable trophy yet? All proceeds from the game go to the Four Diamonds Foundation to help find a cure for childhood cancer. Help us pack the gym as we attempt to reach our goal of \$10,000. As you search for the trophy watch for a complete roster of the Faculty posted in the hallways.

<u>ATTN SENIORS:</u> If you applied to a college via Common Application and need to have a Mid-Year Report uploaded for that college please see Mrs. Cooper in the Counseling Office to complete a mid-year transcript request. Common Application states: "It is the <u>students responsibility</u> to keep track of this mid-year request and ensure the counseling office is informed if it needs to be uploaded for their college". <u>Deadline</u> for Mid-Year Reports for Common Application is <u>Friday</u>, <u>February 12th</u>.

It's not too late to sign up your **Dodge Ball team** to play during the MiniThon lock-in on Feb. 19. A minimum of 6 players is needed. Sign up in D109.

Reminder to JCL'ers going to the State Convention: Permission forms should be turned into Ms. Rurode by Friday, Feb. 12.

Mandatory meeting for Key Club (OFFICERS ONLY) on Monday, February 15th during MPP in the library. Get a pass in C102

Attention all students who took the PSAT in October: Your Score Reports are finally here! Please report to the Auditorium at 2PM on **Friday, February 12**th to receive your scores. You will remain in the Auditorium for the rest of the school day.

Attention all students interested in spring track: There will be a parents meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 16 from 7:00 – 8:00 in the cafeteria.

Attention Students: Scheduling meetings will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 16 for the following grades:

Grade 9 – 8:30 Grade 11 PM Tech – 10:20 Grade 9/10 AM Tech – 1:45

Grade 10 – 9:17 Grade 11 – 12:45

Also, all students in grades 9-11 will stay in homeroom Tuesday, Feb. 16 – Thursday, Feb. 18 for scheduling purposes.

Attention 10th and 11th grade students: Looking for leadership opportunities? Stop by the LMC and see Ms. Schmidt to get applications to attend the 2016 Young Leadership Conference series at Penn State Berks. The conference is sponsored by Great Reading Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Deadline to apply is February 15th.

Congratulations to Tabby Wirebach, her public service announcement is a state finalist in the PA Youth Suicide Prevention competition! Starting February, 5, at 12 noon, the PAYSPI voting page will go live. Please go to www.payspi.org/psa/2016psa/ to vote for Tabby's PSA. Voting will close on Monday, February 23.

SENIORS, ARE YOU LOOKING TO PURSUE A CAREER IN CONSTRUCTION? You may be interested in the apprenticeship program @ ABC Keystone Center for Construction Careers. Scholarships are available with a deadline of February 26, 2016. Visit abckeystonecenter.org for more information.

ATTENTION STUDENTS: Susquehanna University is offering a week-long summer program to business-minded students & students with an interest in ecology. Leadership Institute for Entrepreneurship is held June 26-July 2 and the Stream Ecology Institute is held July 10-July 16th. Discounted fees will be available to students that apply on or before April 1st. For more information & to apply, visit www.susqu.edu/LIFE16 or www.susqu.edu/SE116.

Attention music students who sold Joe Corbi items in January: Pickup for these items is Monday, February 15, beginning at 2:30PM in the high school bandroom. Pickup will last until approximately 5:00.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

- PENNSYLVANIA RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION
 - O High School seniors who are graduating in 2016 and have been accepted in a hospitality or culinary arts program at an accredited post-secondary institution, are eligible to apply for this scholarship program. Awards range in value from \$500 to \$1500. Essay required. Applications are available in the Career Resource Center or at www.prla.org/scholarship. Applications are due in the Counseling Office on February 23rd.

• PENNSYLVANIA ASSOCIATION FOR COLLEGE ADMISSION COUNSELING

Four scholarships are available to seniors graduating from PACAC member high schools in the state of PA who are intending to continue their education. Awards will be based on: academic performance in a college prep curriculum, financial need, commitment to cultural & intellectual diversity and a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 at the end of the first semester of senior year. Visit http://www.pacac.org/pacac-scholarship to apply. Counseling office deadline is February 22, 2016.

POLISH-AMERICAN BOARD OF EDUCATION OF BERKS COUNTY

Berks County seniors planning to attend college who have documented proof of at least 25% Polish heritage and have been residents of Berks County for at least four years prior to the date of application, are eligible for nine college scholarships totaling \$18,000. The deadline for applications is February 26, 2016.

ATTENTION STUDENTS: If anyone is interested in touring the US Naval Academy, learning about the application process and meeting with local grads who are presently midshipmen there, the Parents' Club of Central PA is sponsoring a bus trip on Saturday, April 2, 2016. Making early reservations is advised. Stop by the Counseling Office for more information.

ATTENTION JUNIORS: Are you interested in West Point Military Academy? The Candidate Admissions Portal for High School Juniors opened in January. Go to the Admissions site @ http://www.usma.edu/admissions/SitePages/Home.aspx

JUNIORS, ARE YOU INTERESTED IN A COLLEGE EXPERIENCE FOR FREE? Pennsylvania Governor's School for the Agricultural Sciences is a four-week, residential program for PA's academically talented high school juniors interested in studying the agricultural sciences. This rewarding opportunity involves challenging courses & engaging research projects with Penn State professors, faculty & program staff. Details and application materials are available @ http://agsci.psu.edu/governors-school. Don't wait, applications are due February 19, 2016.

Instructions for Spring Sports:

- If an athlete played a fall or winter sport, they will need to complete a Spring Recertification form. They are available in the high school office, middle school office, or on the Sports website. If any injury has occurred since the initial physical was done, a completed Section 8, signed by a physician, must be submitted.
- If an athlete completed a physical form and turned it in earlier this year for a spring sport, they should already be on a sports roster. They can stop in the high school office and check with Mrs. Bright
- If an athlete did not play a fall or winter sport, did not complete a physical packet yet, and would like to play a spring sport, they should complete a full physical packet and turn it into the high school or middle school office. Section 6 needs to be completed and signed by a physician.

All physical paperwork should be returned to Mrs. Bright in the high school office by Friday, Feb. 12.