



## MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

### May 17, 2019 Friday A Day

- Attention seniors: Just a reminder all obligations must be met to receive your cap and gown next Friday between 8am and 10am in the gym. Make sure you turn in all books, computer and computer bag, any dues owed to honor societies, athletic uniforms, and all teacher and administrative detentions served.
- Anyone interested in playing volleyball next year should attend an informational meeting on Wednesday May 22nd at 7:05 AM in room 306. This meeting is for returning players, and new players alike! We will also be discussing new uniforms and the end of year celebration at this meeting, so be sure to attend!! Also, please note that the volleyball team, both JV and Varsity, will be having their own celebration so we will not attend the sports award night on the 22nd.
- Attention 10<sup>th</sup> grade students. On Monday, you will be taking the ELA PARCC Exam. Bring your charged device and a pair of headphones for testing.
- Seniors, prom is a week away. Make your celebration safe, free from drugs and alcohol. Sign the prom promise Monday morning and pledge to have a safe, sober, and fun prom night.
- Western Tech would like to thank our senior Morning Announcers for dutifully presenting the morning announcements so well this past year. Thanks to Christen Gibson, Janae Jacobs, Alexa Livingstone, and Camryn Mason. We are grateful for your service and wish you the best next year! Please welcome our new team of juniors: Helena Edwards, Jacob Lev, and Noah Peters!
- Attention all athletes! The sports awards night will be held on Wednesday, May

22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00pm. Information sheets can be found in the main office and the cafeteria.

- All of Mr. Lagon's classes will be in room 113 today, Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>.
- Congrats to the track and field team for a successful day 1 of the regional championship! On the field event side of things Nick Johnson came a few inches shy of a school record while finishing first in the shot put. Sheri Adewumi set a new school record for the triple jump while finishing second. Opie Ayodele finished second in the long jump. Joining them at the state meet will be Christian Paxton (4<sup>th</sup> in shot), Kayla Jackson (4<sup>th</sup> in discus), and Hafsa Ebrahim and Samara Jones who finished 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> in the triple jump. Wish all athletes luck at day 2 tomorrow!
- Attention Juniors! There will be a College Application Workshop at Catonsville High School on June 25<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to 12 pm. This workshop is open to juniors from Western Tech, Catonsville High School, and Lansdowne High School. Join your school counselors and local college admission and financial aid counselors to get a jump start on your college applications! Juniors interested in attending should sign up on Naviance by June 14<sup>th</sup>. Please see your school counselor with any questions.
- Attention all athletes! The weight room will be open to all athletes on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 2:30pm to 5:00pm.
- Girls lacrosse players- turn in uniforms to Coach Daudelin next week during lunch shifts or see him in room 109.
- Seniors, it is time to turn in your BCPS ProBook, power cord, and bag. If you do not need your ProBook for final exams, you may return the items to the library TODAY. If you do need your ProBook for final exams, as soon as you are done with it during your final exam period, probably in your English class, you may return the items to room 107 – after you back up your files from your H & L drives and your OneDrive. You may not receive your graduation materials (cap & gown) on May 24 until this obligation is handled.
- Attention students, the yearbooks for the 2018-2019 school year have been sold out.
- Attention all rising 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> graders: Are you interested in joining any clubs or student groups next year? Come out to the Club Mixer TODAY after school from 2:30-4:00pm in the cafeteria. There is a \$2 admission which buys you a slice of pizza and a drink.

- Juniors—do you want to improve your SAT score? If so, plan on attending the SAT Summer Institute. Information was your U.S. History class, and you can see Mr. Dobmeier with questions or to submit your registration form
- Attention 9th, 10th, and 11th graders: The time has come for you to step up and serve your class! Anyone interested in running for their class council for the 2019-2020 school year can pick up Class Officer Application in the Main Office. To run for office, you must write an essay explaining why you are qualified for the position and have 2 letters of recommendations. Applications will be available now through the end of next week, and they are due to Ms. Cabot by TUESDAY May 21st.
- Attention all students, especially seniors: during the summer, the files that you have on your BCPS (H &) L drives and Microsoft OneDrive will be deleted! If you have important files, you need to back them up NOW on your own USB drive or external hard drive before they are lost forever.
- Attention all Western Tech athletes!! The Western Tech Booster Club is having an end-of-the-year sports picnic for all athletes and their families. Grab a flier in the office for all the details.
- Seniors! Prom tickets are on sale through TODAY. Tickets are \$50, cash only. See Ms. Johnson in guidance to buy yours!

### **SAT Word of the week**

**ERSATZ** (pronounced: “err-SAHTZZ”) an adjective meaning “a substitute, fake, or artificial”

“Because my father refuses to spend money on luxury items, I received a graduation present of an ERSATZ luxury bag made by Vouis Luitton and an allegedly fancy shirt made by Bugo Hoss.”