MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

June 4, 2019  Tuesday B Day

➢ This is a reminder that the original professional development day scheduled for Wednesday was changed to a regular full day of school for all students. This means that both Wednesday, June 5th and Thursday, June 6th this week are A-Days.

➢ Hey all you runners and “want to be” runners. Come to the cross country meeting this Friday, June 7th, at 7:10am in room 204. Past members, new members, and anybody that wants more information should attend. See Ms. Roe or Ms. Woiak if you have any questions.

➢ Students, it is time to turn in your BCPS ProBook, power cord, bag, and strap. If you do not need your ProBook for final exams, you may return the items to the library starting on June 4. If you do need your ProBook for final exams, as soon as you are done with it during your final exam period, you may return the items to room 107 – after you back up your files from your H & L drives and your OneDrive. You will not receive next year’s class schedule until this obligation is handled.

➢ Western Tech has such a diverse population of students; dozens of languages are represented here. Students who earn a 4 or 5 on the AP French and Spanish test can earn the prestigious Seal of Biliteracy at graduation. But if you know another language and pass a test, you can earn the Seal of Biliteracy, too! Amharic, Arabic, Chinese, Farsi, Hebrew, Hindi, Japanese, Korean, Pashto, Sign Language, Tagalog, Tamil, Urdu, Vietnamese – these are only some of the languages that qualify for the Seal of Biliteracy. This summer is a perfect time for you to work on taking the test for your language. For more information, see Western’s website, under “Families,” for the “Seal of Biliteracy”.
➢ Attention anyone interested in playing golf in the fall, there will be an informational meeting Wednesday morning in the gym @7:00.

➢ This Thursday, June 6th, there will be a meeting for all boys interested in playing varsity soccer next year. The meeting will be at 7:05am in Mr. Saulsbury’s room, room 208.

➢ Attention SkillsUSA members: Our meeting this week is our election for next year’s officers. You must be present to vote. Please plan to attend. We have great candidates who need your vote. See you Wednesday.

➢ Attention everyone trying out for volleyball in the fall: The letter given out at the meeting has two different start dates on it. On the top it says we will start on August 14th, and on the bottom it says August 8th. The correct tryout date for returning players of all levels is Wednesday August 14th. Again: The correct tryout date for volleyball in the fall is Wednesday August 14th, NOT august 8th.

➢ Good Morning Class of 2020 Interns. This is an important announcement from Ms. Hilaire. Please check Schoology for all updates. There will be a required parent meeting this evening at 6:15pm in the cafeteria. Parents will receive an overview of the program and sign all required BCPS documents. Please bring an ink pen to the meeting. If there any questions, contact Ms. Hilaire.

➢ Attention Juniors! There will be a College Application Workshop at Catonsville High School on June 25th 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 14th. Please see your school counselor with any questions.

➢ Attention all volleyball players! The celebration for this season will take place this Wednesday June 5th from 2:00-5:00 in the gymnasium. The awards presentation will take place from 4:30-5:00, so if your parents are interested in attending, they should be here by 4:30. Again, the volleyball celebration will be held Wednesday June 5th from 2:00-5:00 in the gymnasium. We will see you then!

➢ Attention all girls interested in playing Soccer next year. There will be a brief interest meeting this Thursday the 6th at 7:10am in room 302. Please see Coach Santi or Coach Pags if you cannot attend.
**SAT Word of the week**

**RAUCOUS** (pronounced :”RAW-cuhss”): an adjective meaning noisy, uproarious, disturbingly loud; especially to describe a group of people

“The last days of school are marked by final exams, projects, and papers, followed by a RAUCOUS crowed sprint for the bus.”