Chetek-Weyerhaeuser Area School District

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IMPORTANT DATES

December

Dec. 13 - HS/MS Choir Concert Dec. 20 - HS/MS Band Concert Dec. 23 - Jan 2—Winter Break

January

Jan. 17 - Staff Development No School For Students

February

Feb. 4, 7 - No School for Students/Staff Feb. 25 - End of Trimester 2 Feb. 28 - Staff Development No School For Students

<u>March</u>

March 1 - Begin Trimester 3 March 14-18 - Spring Break

Check out our school website for all upcoming events: www.cwasd.k12.wi.us

New Social Worker Program Begins at CW

CWASD is excited to welcome Nicholle Hayton as the new social worker with Chetek-Weyerhaeuser School District! She is looking forward to bringing this service to the district and community, and being a part of a wonderful team!

Hayton is a Rice Lake native, born and raised, and graduated in 2013. She attended one year at the University Wisconsin-Barron County to complete general education credits before uprooting herself and moving to Illinois with her high school sweetheart to follow his hockey career to the collegiate level. While in Illinois, she attended Brescia University's online program to major in Social Work while working full time in the social services field. After completing her bachelor's degree, she pursued her Masters of Social Work through Aurora University in Aurora, Illinois, while continuing to work full-time in the social services field.



Trimester 1

Hayton is currently licensed as an Advanced Practice Social Worker through the State of Wisconsin and has completed her required hours to be eligible to test for her Licensed Clinical Social Work license. With this, she is also able to practice therapy.

Hayton has a wide range of knowledge in many areas of social work and hopes to continue to grow and share her knowledge with CW families and staff!

So what does this mean for the district? Chetek-Weyerhaeuser is dedicated to providing comprehensive support that addresses many of the out-of-school needs that can hinder students' learning abilities. CW's School Social Work Program is designed to help tackle those barriers. By connecting schools, families and our community, school officials are better able to support students as a whole.

When students are struggling, a school social worker can support parents in facilitating their child's adjustment to school. Examples may include things such as: helping students transition back into school after extended absences due to illness or other factors, working with families during stressful times such as divorce or death, or connecting families with area resources. The goal is to help families resolve difficult life situations.

Using a wraparound model, which involves linking professionals and key people in the students' lives, our school social worker is able to help facilitate more coordinated services for students and families. The school social worker is then also able to provide school staff with essential information to help them better understand factors that may affect student performance and behavior.

For those who would like additional information regarding the program, they can contact Hayton at nhayton@cwasd.k12.wi.us, or call 715-924-3137, x2013.

"Big enough for opportunities, small enough to care"

Fall Sports Season Showcases Athletes



CW Homecoming Week - A Look Back



CWHS Awards Owen Knutson Heart of the Bulldog

We want to recognize the best of the best in our Bulldog athletes as we announce the Fall 2021 recipients of the Owen Knutson Heart of the Bulldog Award.

This honor recognizes those athletes who exemplify what it means to have the heart, character and work ethic of a Bulldog. It was awarded in front of the home crowd before the homecoming game by Owen's parents, Tim and Dawn Knutson.

Congratulations to this season's recipients: Zoe Nelson (girls cross country), Greta Jorstad (volleyball), Marissa Zelek (cheer), Tristan Wendt (football), Austin Hamholm (boys cross country) and Wren Candler (girls golf).

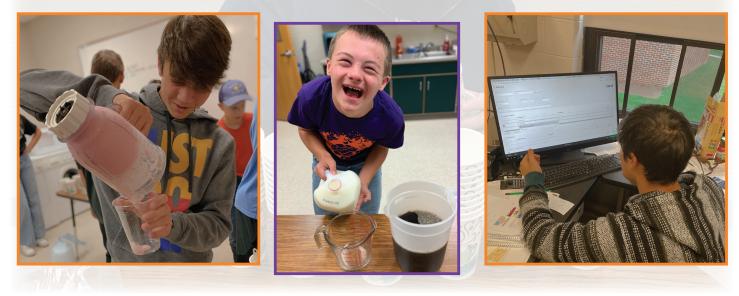
Well done, all. Thank you for modeling what it means to have the Heart of the Bulldog!!



Bulldog Bean Serves Up the Joys of Java

The CW Bulldog Bean has been up and running for a few weeks now. Ms. Goldsmith's Intro to Business Class and Ms. Fuchs's special education class partnered together to offer the school a coffee shop.

Ms. Goldsmith's Intro to Business applies concepts including management, finance, human resources, and marketing to the Bulldog Bean. The special education students are covering topics including grocery shopping, money counting skills, social skills, and administrative skills. Students and teachers can purchase smoothies, coffees, and hot/frozen hot chocolate drinks before school. Proceeds go to the operation of the coffee shop and to support curriculum in the special education department.



CWHS/MS Students Honor Veterans with Ceremony

CWHS/MS students and staff, along with community members and local veterans, celebrated members of our armed forces with the annual Veteran's Day Program on November 11.

Included in the program were presentations by local veterans' groups, as well as performances from the CWHS choir. Those in attendance also heard from speaker Stephanie Smith.

It was a fitting way to say thank you to so many who have sacrificed so much. From all of us as CW to all of those who serve, we say THANK YOU.



Color Run Brightens Streets of Chetek

It was a bright morning full of color as the CWHS Student Council hosted a Color Blaze Fun Run/Walk on Saturday, Oct. 30. Runners started at the CWHS and continued on through the local neighborhoods where they were bombarded with color powder stations. A portion of the proceeds were donated to the Special Olympics and will also be used for scholarship funds.



Addams Family Hits CW

We are so incredibly proud of our CW students' performances in "The Addams Family" early in November. The entire cast and crew put on a fantastic show!! It is truly a blessing to see so many students shine!

CWHS/MS Musicians Perform During Fall Concert

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What a wonderful evening of music at the CWHS/MS Fall Concert on Oct. 26. Kudos to all on a job well done! The talent of our students at CW is so beautiful!!



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Carnival Connects Probability for CWMS Students

CWMS math students in Ms. Zine's class ran a make-shift carnival Nov. 17!

They created their own games to calculate probability for the end of their unit. What are the chances that they had a little fun?!?





Sixth-Graders Explore Literary Options with Book Tasting

Back in September, Mrs. Schofield's 6th-grade English students took part in a Book Tasting! Much like they do at Roselawn in third grade, students got to start off their school year by exploring a variety of reading materials hoping to find the ones that fit their tastes just right!





Math Classes Use Solor System to Discover Ratios

Mr. Chuchwar's MS Math Class took to the football field recently as part of a lesson on ratios. Students attempted to create a scale of the solar system on the CW gridiron to illustrate how far away the planets might be from each other--to scale of course, using ratios!



Hot Cross Buns Highlights 6th-Grade Band Progress

CWMS sixth-grade band students were VERY excited to recently record a performance of "Hot Cross Buns." Many of them have only had their instruments since August, so it's been incredibly rewarding to see their progression as a band unit!



Roselawn Students Ensuring Safety on the Street

Did you know that Roselawn has a new safety patrol this year? That's right!! A group of Roselawn 5th graders are out in front of school each morning helping families, staff and students get across the streets, ensuring their safe arrival! Thanks for your efforts and leadership, safety patrol!! Great job!





Third Graders Test Their Reading Taste Buds

Roselawn Third Graders took part in their annual 'Book Tasting' Nov. 18, an opportunity for students to expand their literary taste buds. Each student has a chance to briefly sample different tables or "genres" of books--from poetry to realistic fiction and everything in between. Then students wrote down what they liked or didn't like about them. What a great way to check out a variety of reading materials!



BINGO Celebration Ends Trimester at Roselawn

B-I-N-G-O!! That was the name of the game as students at Roselawn Elementary participated in an all-school celebration marking the end of the first trimester on November 19! Students were able to play together with the help of a very special BINGO caller--Mr. Turkey, aka: Mr. Kowalski! r!





Grant Gives Roselawn Students Gift of Music

Roselawn students will have some new instruments to explore this year, like Xylophones, metallophones, and glockenspiels, after Roselawn Elementary was the recipient of an Everwood Farmstead Foundation Grant! Roselawn music teacher Dolly Neby attended an event recently to receive the grant on the school's behalf. The Everwood Farmstead Foundation has donated thousands of dollars over recent years to various schools and organizations to support local aspiring artists. On behalf of our students, we can't thank you enough, Everwood!!





Chetek-Weyerhaeuser Area School District 2020-2021 District Calendar





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May 28	CW HS Graduation
May 30	Memorial Day - No School
June 2	End of Trimester 3/Last Day of School
June 3	Staff Professional Development

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• Student lunch menus and other district information can be found on our website: www.cwasd.k12.wi.us

