**Principal’s Message**

I hope this Newsletter finds everyone well and in good health.

Just a reminder, in-person instruction will be held Monday through Friday. Wednesday will run on an early dismissal schedule with lunch.

As always, please don’t hesitate to reach out to me with any questions, concerns or any ideas you would like to share. I appreciate your continued support and involvement in the learning process.

Sincerely,

**Christopher Gregory**
Principal

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**YEARBOOKS**

The Lawrence and Wantage Schools 2020-2021 yearbook is currently on sale. The title this year is **Standing Apart... Still United**

Each copy will cost $12.00 and is available by clicking on the Jostens tab on the district website. The yearbooks will be available in August. Parents may also opt to have the yearbook shipped directly to their home address for a small additional charge.

So please consider buying a yearbook filled with class photos, staff photos and candid shots from throughout this unprecedented school year.


Get your copy of a yearbook to remember this very unique year.

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**Drop Off & Pick Up**

Please be advised that drop off is in the rear of the building and occurs between 8:15 a.m. and 8:45 am. Please exercise caution when dropping off your children. We respectfully request that children exit the vehicle on the passenger side closest to the building for safety. Temperature checks will be taken prior to entering school.

For pick up, parents and guardians should park on the lower lot or near the playground. All pick up is located in the cafeteria. Pick up begins at 3:20 pm. Please have identification available when you pick up your child. **Just a reminder that masks are required during pick up.**

The parking area for pick up will be closed until 3:10 pm. We respectfully request that you do not arrive before then. We appreciate everyone’s support with our procedures to ensure the safety of all of our students.
**Dates to Remember**

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**Wantage Eagle Spirit Wear Sale**

- Supports the Wantage School Student Activities Fund
- Orders due May 21st in order to receive merchandise by June 14th
- Please address any questions to Allen Terwilliger
  
  aterwilliger@swregional.org

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**Sussex-Wantage PTO**

www.swpto.org

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**Student Spotlight**

2021 Species on the Edge Art & Essay

Congratulations to the hundreds of the hardworking and creative 5th grade students who advocated for an endangered or threatened species from New Jersey through an art piece and essay. You have inspired everyone at Conserve Wildlife Foundation with your enthusiasm for protecting our cherished wildlife.

Second Place Winner for Sussex County:

**Angelina Sampson**

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**Sussex Borough Recreation**

is accepting applications for the Little Royals Pageant. Open to all children ages 3-21, who live in Sussex Borough. You can find the application by visiting

www.sussexboro.com

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**Scholastic Book Fair**

Scholastic is back with a SUMMER SEND OFF book fair! The fair will be held at the Wantage School

- June 2nd - 4th from 9:00 am-7:00 pm
- June 5th from 9:00 am-1:00 pm

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**Congratulations to**

Jack Kosinski

for being selected as our April SW-5 winner!
MILITARY FAMILY VIRTUAL PROGRAM

Bring your family closer together while learning and having fun!

Connect with other military families and services in your community
Acquire new ideas for daily living

Tuesdays @ 5:45 PM
Weekly Family Meal Gift Card
Weekly Family Craft Kits
New discussion topics each week
Socially-distanced Family-Friendly Outings to farms, beaches & more

CONTACT JENN BOYLE @ jenn@centerforprevention.org - 908.747.1148
www.payschoolscentral.com
If you need help along the way, please contact PaySchools pcs_help@payschool.com or 1-877-393-6628

Sussex-Wantage Regional School District is launching Ways to “Enhance Children’s Activity & Nutrition.” For more information and resources please visit the project’s website at: http://www.sussexcountywecanprogram.com/

Please ensure children are dressed appropriately for outside recess & physical education class

Please help us thank and celebrate the generosity of our community partner Nick’s Hope!

Nick’s Hope is a registered 501C(3) non-profit mobile and on-line thrift shop providing FREE gently used clean clothes, footwear & accessories to Northern New Jersey neighbors in need.

Nick’s Hope’s mobile thrift shop will be set up outside our office (19 Church Street, Newton, NJ 07860) on Saturday, May 15, 2021 from 11am - 2pm. Family Promise of Sussex County will be there distributing masks, sanitizer, and other PPE.

If you or someone you know is in need of clothing, shoes, PPE, or accessories, please stop by!! Please also feel free to share the below image on your Social Media pages and pass along this email to your friends, family, and contacts. Help us reach as many people as we can!

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