SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WESTFIELD

AUGUST 2023 NEWSLETTER

DEAR PIONEER FAMILIES,

We hope this letter finds you well, and your family has been enjoying a fun-filled summer. It is hard to believe, but the school year is just around the corner and we are preparing for the return of our students. Included in this August newsletter you will find important dates and information needed to start the school year.



- New Student Enrollment Information
- Returning Student Enrollment Information
- Bus Transportation Information
- Food Service Information
- Important Back-to-School Dates
- Fall Sports and Activities Dates

DO YOU HAVE A NEW STUDENT TO ENROLL?



If you want to enroll a student who is new to the School District of Westfield, you may go to the website to complete the New

Student Enrollment Application or contact Erin Stampfl, District Registrar, for assistance, 608-296-2141, ext. 1001. If you already have a student enrolled in the School District of Westfield and would like to enroll another student, please log into your Skyward Family Access account. Once logged into your account, please submit an application under the "New Student Online Enrollment" tab. Parents are welcome to stop into **ANY of our** school offices on August 14, from 11:00 a.m. - to 7:00 p.m. to complete the student registration. Computers will be provided to support the process.

Click HERE to visit our website for more information.



DO YOU HAVE A RETURNING STUDENT?

If your student is already registered in the District you can log into our Skyward Family Access portal and update your student(s) information. This includes the acknowledgment of forms, and updating of current health information, address, emergency contacts, etc. If you need assistance, do not have access to the internet, or do not know your login information, please contact your student's school office for assistance. Parents are welcome to stop into **ANY of our** school offices on August 14, from 11:00 a.m. - to 7:00 p.m. to complete the returning student registration. Computers will be provided to support the process.

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DO YOU NEED BUS TRANSPORTATION SERVICES?

The School District of Westfield offers transportation to all students who do not reside in the village limits. (Middle School and High School students who live in the village of Coloma and Oxford can access transportation via a "transfer bus" that picks up students at the elementary schools.)

If your student resides outside the village limits and needs access to bus transportation services throughout the school year, please complete the appropriate form. Click on the links below for easy access.

**Please complete the form for each of your students who will need transportation.

Forms must be submitted by Tuesday, August 22, 2023, to ensure routes can be prepared for the first day of school, Tuesday, September 5.

**If a request is submitted after Tuesday, August 22, 2023, you will need to provide transportation until you receive notification from the Transportation Director, RaeAnne Malaszuk. The District will do its best to accommodate your requests quickly.

NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT TRANSPORTATION REQUEST

Click here to complete the form.

RETURNING STUDENT TRANSPORTATION UPDATE REQUEST

Click here to complete the form.

DO YOU HAVE AN INCOMING 7TH GRADER OR A STUDENT REGISTERED FOR "JUMP START"?

Please remember there is a "Boot Camp" for all students entering Middle School and there is a "Jump Start" session designed to support specific students in improving their skills.

When: - Monday, August 7 - Thursday, August, 11.

Where: - Boot Camp is at Westfield Middle School and Jump Start is at Westfield Elementary Time: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

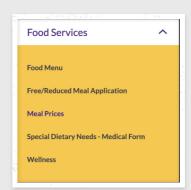
Transportation - If your student needs transportation, they can meet at the elementary transfer sites:

- Neshkoro Elementary pick-up is at 7:10 a.m., and drop-off is approximately 12:30 p.m.
- Coloma Elementary and Oxford Elementary pick-up is at 7:25 a.m., and drop-off is approximately 12:20 p.m.

WHAT ABOUT FOOD SERVICES?

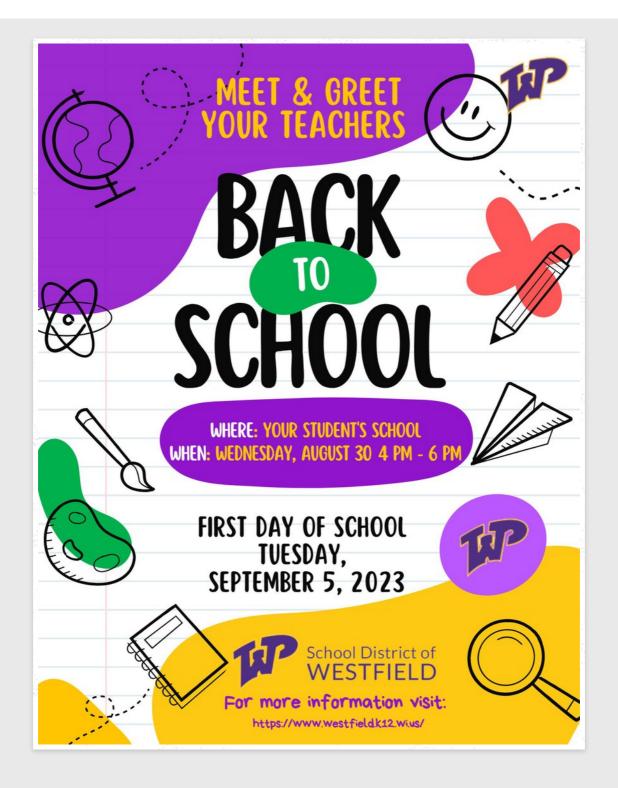
Please visit the link below to view information about our food services and to gain access to applications.

- Food Menu
- Free/Reduced Meal Application
- Meal Prices
- Special Dietary Needs Medical Form



FOOD SERVICE INFORMATION & REQUEST

Click here to view.



WHAT TIME DOES SCHOOL START?

Beginning of Day: School start times are staggered to accommodate bussing and DPI-required instructional minutes. Please visit the individual building website (linked below) for more details.



CES (click here to visit the website)

- Doors open 7:30 a.m.
- Expected Arrival: 7:45
- Start Time: 7:55 a.m.
- Dismissal Time: 2:55 p.m.

OES (click here to visit the website)

- Doors open 7:30 a.m.
- Expected Arrival: 7:45
- Start Time: 7:55 a.m.
- Dismissal Time: 2:55 p.m.

WES (click here to visit the website)

- Doors Open: 7:50 a.m.
- Expected Arrival: 8:05 a.m.
- Start Time: 8:15 a.m.
- Dismissal Time: 3:20 p.m.

MS & HS (click here to visit the website)

- Doors open 7:30 a.m. (Please drop students off in the student parking lot in the designated area. The front of the school is for bus drop-off only).
- Start Time: 8:04 a.m.
- Dismissal Time: 3:32 p.m.

WHEN IS PICTURE DAY?

Coloma Elementary (CES) -September 19, 2023 (Make-up Picture Day) November 7, 2023 Oxford Elementary (OES) - September 20, 2023 (Make-up Picture Day) November 8, 2023 Westfield Elementary (WES) - September 15, 2023 (Make-up Picture Day) October 20, 2023 Middle School & High School - September 15, 2023

WHAT ABOUT SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES?

START DATES FOR FALL SPORTS

HS Football - Practice Starts August 1st Equipment Handout 2-5 PM Practice 4-7 PM

MS Football - Practice Starts August 14th Equipment Handout 1:30 PM Practice 3:30-6 PM

HS Cheerleading - Starts July 31st Practice 4-7 PM

HS/MS Cross Country - Starts August 14th
Practice 4-6 PM
Parent Meeting August 1st @ 7 PM in the HS Auditorium

HS Volleyball - Starts August 14th
Practice 5-8 PM
Parent Meeting August 7th @ 7 PM in the HS Auditorium

MS Volleyball - Starts August 21st
Practice 4-6 PM @ Westfield Elementary
Parent Meeting August 7th @ 7 PM in the HS Auditorium

Sports Physicals & Paperwork

Please make sure you have an up-to-date physical on file before the start of practice. If you need a physical, schedule one today! Physicals are good for two years.

- are available at our Gundersen location in Westfield
- Cost \$25
- You can call 608-296-6350 to get an appointment
- Physical Form
- Alternate Year Card



These forms also need to be read and turned in.

Signature Form

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• WIAA Eligibility

Visit https://www.westfield.k12.wi.us/athletics/ for more information or contact Jeff Steckbauer, Westfield Athletic Director. jeffsteckbauer@westfieldpioneers.org

608-296-2141 ext. 1064

2023-2024 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Click here for the School District of Westfield Calendar.



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