# Wheeling Wildcat News

# Quarter 2 Parent Newsletter 2022-2023

# A Letter from Principal Hubbard

**Dear Wheeling High School Families and Community** Members.

We hope this newsletter finds you and your family coming off of a wonderful holiday season and off to a great start in this new year. The last few weeks, we have



taken a pause to reflect on what an incredible school year we have had so far here at WHS. We are incredibly proud of what our students and staff have accomplished with one another and we are eager for what second semester has in store.

On a regular basis, we take stock in what has been achieved, while also constantly working to plan, improve, and grow in our relentless pursuit of creating the environment, ensuring the opportunities, affording the access, and fully supporting each student to reach their full potential and succeed in their goals. The natural pause that comes with Winter Break is a time for us to do both the looking back and the looking forward.

What lies ahead is exciting. In future celebrations, events, ceremonies, and communications we will gladly acknowledge what our students and staff are able to realize and attain between now and the end of the year. For now, however, we are thrilled to share a glimpse into some of the amazing things accomplished since the beginning of the year. Certainly, on a daily basis, there are wins, achievements, and successes worthy of praise. During the course of a whole semester or year, they are countless. Knowing this list could be much longer, here are just some of the highlights from this school year:

- 31 Illinois State Scholars in the Class of 2023
- 14 College Board National Recognition Award Recipients
- 2 National Merit Commended Students
- 2 QuestBridge Scholars Program Scholarship Winners
- 2 Latino Summit Scholarship Recipients
- 16 National Technical Honor Society Inductees
- Incredible Rendition of "Working The Musical"
- Impressive Pops Combined and Holiday Emporium Concerts
- 32 Applications for the D214 Spring Internship Program
- NJROTC

- Recognized as a 2022 Distinguished Unit
- National Qualifications for the Rifle and Orientering Teams
- 20% increase in enrollment
- Dia de los Muertos Ofrenda
  - Display that brought together Hispanic Heritage Month Celebrations, AP Spanish Students, Multicultural Club Members, and our Ukrainian **Students - Featured on NBC 5 News**
- 1st Annual Transportation Day Event
- 1st Annual Kermes Community Celebration
- Individual Sectional Qualifies in Boys Cross Country (2), Girls Cross Country, and Girls Golf (2)
- WHS Played Host to the 44th Annual Hardwood Classic Basketball Tournament
- Football Hosted an Armed Services Appreciation/Recognition Game Featured on CBS 2 News' Friday Flyover
- Winter "Honor Pack" Raised \$1213 for the Marilyn Medina Perez Memorial Fund
- Girls Volleyball Raised \$8964 for the Susan G. Komen Foundation

Wow! Again, these are just some of what this amazing student body and staff has accomplished together since August. I continue to be humbled and honored to serve as the principal of Wheeling High School. Each student, all of our staff, and the plethora of achievements are a huge reason why.

Thank you for your continued support, trust, and partnership. I am confident this will be an incredible second semester and a strong finish to this school year.

Yours in Education,

**Dr. Bradford Hubbard Principal** 

## A/B Schedule

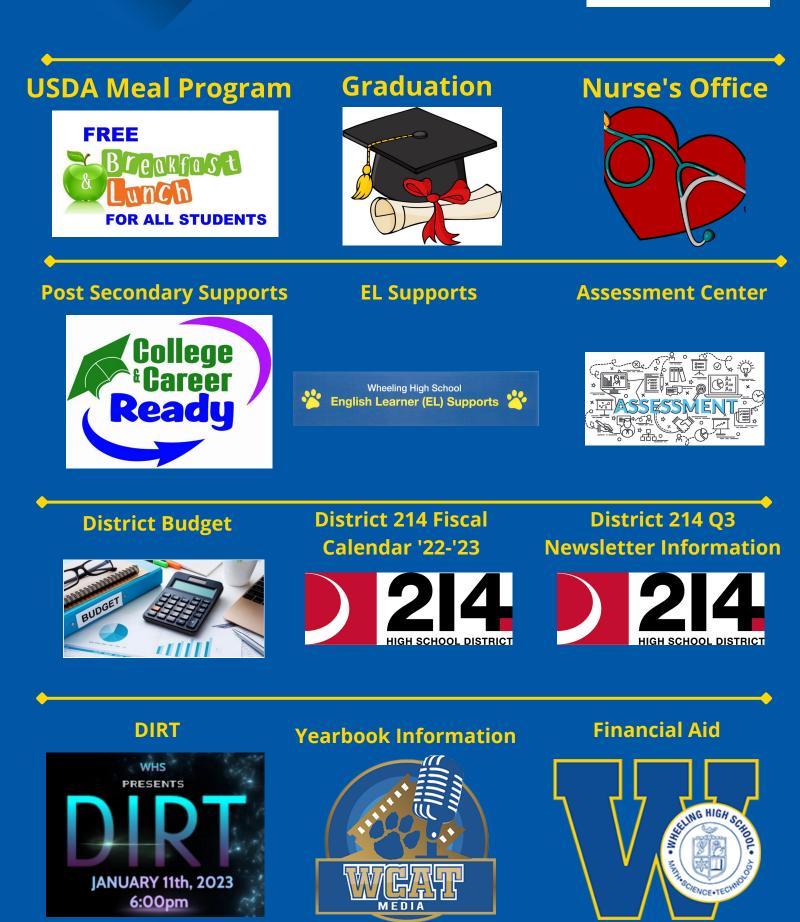
Attendance

# **Bell Schedule**









#### Lacrosse Information

# WILDCATS

### WHS College & Career

#### Center



#### QuestBridge Recipient



#### Postsecondary Support Programming

