



# WAJ News and Notes

## Windham Ashland Jewett

CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT



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### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### May 1

NYS 7-8 Math Exam  
PTA Meeting 6:30 PM

#### May 2

NYS 5-6 Math Exam

#### May 3

NYS 5-6 Math Exam  
School Wide Blue & White Day

#### May 6

NYS 3-4 Math Exam

#### May 7

NYS 3-4 Math Exam  
JNHS/NHS Inductions 1:45 PM

#### May 8

AP English Literature Exam 8:00 AM  
Morning Program 8:15 AM

#### May 10

**NO SCHOOL**—Superintendent's  
Conference Day

AP US History Exam 8:00 AM

AP Computer Science Exam 12:00

#### May 14

AP Calculus Exam 8:00 AM

**BUDGET HEARING 7:00 PM**

#### May 15

AP English Language Exam 8:00 AM  
K-6 Spring Concert

#### May 16

AP World History Exam 8:00 AM  
AP Statistics Exam 12:00 PM

#### May 20-22

4th Grade Ashokan Trip

#### May 21

**ANNUAL BUDGET VOTE 1-9 PM**

#### May 23

7-12 Spring Concert 6:30 PM

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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#### May 23

Board Meeting 7:00 PM

#### May 27

**NO SCHOOL**—Memorial Day

#### May 29

8th Grade Science Performance Exam

#### May 30

Memorial Day Recognition 8:30 AM  
4th Grade Science Performance Exam

### WAJ WARRIORS' OF THE MONTH

WAJ names Warriors for the Month of  
May as follows:



2nd Grader



12th Grader

Congratulations to 2nd grader Joshua Dunham and 12th Grader Lukas Knudsen for being chosen as the May Warriors of the Month. Joshua's teachers describe him as helpful, hard working, kind and a great role model. Lukas' teachers describe him as hardworking, driven to do the right thing, loyal to friends and a positive leader.

### ATTENTION PARENTS

The end of the school year is quickly approaching. Please have your child check with Mrs. Potter to see if he or she has an open balance in the cafeteria. All charges must be paid prior to schools end. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



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**BUDGET HEARING**

**MAY 14, 2019**

**7:00 P.M.**

**SCHOOL LIBRARY**



**BUDGET VOTE**

**MAY 21, 2019**

**1:00 P.M.—9:00 P.M.**

**SCHOOL**

**CAFETORIUM**

### 5 & 6 GRADE CLASS DISTANCE LEARNING

On Friday April 12th Mrs. Ray and Ms. Kammerer facilitated a distance learning-based experience for the 5th and 6th graders, to supplement the guidance department's lessons centered around exposure to careers. The 5/6 classrooms connected with other schools and BOCES through video and audio to experience an interactive "Career Conversation" with Iditarod Musher Karen Land. The students had the opportunity to learn about Ms. Land and her path to becoming a musher, what it takes to be a musher (skills, preparation, gear, and supplies), and to even pose questions of their own through the interactive feature of the software used.



### PRE-K RECEIVES BACKPACKS

WAJ Pre-K would like to thank Greene County Public Health for the backpacks filled with lots of goodies and important information about preventing lead poisoning! Public Health distributes the backpacks to Greene County Pre-K children as part of their Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program.



### WAJ's ANNUAL K-6 SPRING CONCERT



Wednesday, May 15, 2019  
WAJ CAFETORIUM  
6:30 PM

### WAJ's ANNUAL 7-12 SPRING CONCERT



Wednesday, May 23, 2019  
WAJ CAFETORIUM  
6:30 PM

### MORNING PROGRAM

Thank You to Mr. Jones, Mr. Pudlewski and the Robotics Club for their recent presentation at the elementary Morning Program! Everyone really enjoyed it!



### EARTH DAY SUPER HEROES

Mrs. Corrigan's Kindergarten class celebrated Earth Day on April 22nd by becoming Super Hero's and putting on gloves and picking up trash around WAJ.



### W.A.J. ART STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN YOUTH ARTS EXHIBIT

Many of W.A.J.'s most talented artists will be showing examples of their artwork at the Greene County Council of the Arts' annual county wide Youth Arts Exhibit entitled "Outside the Lines". The gallery is located at 398 Main Street in Catskill. There will be an opening reception on Saturday, May 4th from 12 - 5 pm. The exhibit will be up until June 8th. **Students included in the exhibit are:** Valeria Diaz, Elizabeth Gonzalez, Fiona Rodas, Anastasia Perdomo, Valerie Petrie, Kensi Dempsey, Jack Lonecke, Jack Pelletier, Alexis Weinberg, Isabella Laterza, Rhiannon Post, Isabella Domena, Selina Li, Slade Tynan, Ruby Glennon, Priya Beckmann, Rory Pranchak, Monica Glennon, Alexis Moss, Alex Li, Sophia Dyjak, Casey Garraghan, and Serena Beckmann.

### W.A.J. ELEMENTARY ART

WAJ's elementary art classes have completed art projects inspired by Chinese and Japanese cultures and are on exhibit across from the kindergarten room. The bamboo painting was created by Mr. Donner, our Building Principal!



### HEADWATERS SOCCER CAMP AT MINEKILL STATE PARK

The Headwaters Soccer Club Summer Soccer Camp, for children ages 7-17, will once again be taking place this year at Minekill State Park. The cost is \$60.00 for 4 sessions from 9:30am to 4:00pm each day, \$75.00 if a soccer ball is desired. The Headwaters Soccer Club and WAJ Booster Club will pay for our bus trips to and from Minekill State Park provided we have a minimum of 25 students that will be attending camp. The bus is only available the week of July 8th to 11th. The bus will leave WAJ each day at 8:40 am and return at 4:30pm. If your child is interested in attending camp you can pick up a Registration form at school or you can contact Mr. Adair at 518-734-3400, 518-734-4583 or by email at [jadair@wajcs.org](mailto:jadair@wajcs.org).

