



WHITEOAK HIGH SCHOOL

WEEKLY WILDCAT

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NHS 1st Annual 5k Run/Walk

Written by: Rebecca Herzog

The National Honor Society is hosting a 5k Run/Walk Saturday, October 20th. Registration begins at 7:30 am and costs \$15 per person. Children 10 and under are \$10. Prices include a T-shirt and your place in the race. The NHS is hoping to make this an annual race and be able to put money back for a scholarship fund.

Other activities planned for the year are the Homecoming Dance, after school tutoring, carnation sales, and other activities.

This past Friday, the NHS held a Junior High Semi-

Formal. Many students attended and we hope that everyone had a great time! See pictures to the right and below from the dance.



Athletic Events

- Oct. 12 7th Volleyball Tournament**
@ Eastern
- Oct. 13 8th Volleyball Tournament**
@ Eastern
- Cross Country**
@ Portsmouth Notre Dame
8:00 a.m.
- Oct. 16 Cross Country**
@ West Union
- Oct. 18 Sectional Volleyball Tourn.**
@ Whiteoak vs. Manchester
6:00 p.m. \$5.00. **No Passes.**

Lunch Menu

- 10/15** Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Applesauce, Milk
- 10/16** Soft Taco, Corn, Cake, Milk.
- 10/17** Egg/Bun, Hash Brown, Juice, Sausage Patty, Milk.
- 10/18** Chili/Cracker, P&B Sandwich, Cheese Stick, Carrot,
- 10/19** Pizza, Salad, Fruit, Milk.

Happy Birthday Wishes!

- 10/12** Tyler Osterloh
Chelsea Burnett
Erica Freehling
- 10/13** Rachel Russell
Ashleigh Ward
- 10/14** Jon Fox



Attendance Competition

Written By: Mrs. Forsythe

We had a very competitive week, October 1-5, for our annual attendance competition. The 7th grade won the competition for Tuesday and Thursday while the 8th grade took bragging rights Monday and Wednesday. The sophomores won with 100% of attendance

on Friday. Incentives each day were sponsored by one of the following groups: Teacher Sub Fund, National Honor Society, Journalism Class and the Task Force.

The 7th & 8th grades won the competition for the week with a tie of 97.3% of atten-

ceive a pizza party at the end of the day on Friday. All students who had perfect attendance for the week received an incentive as well. Thanks to all for making this a great week at Whiteoak!

Senior Spotlight

Written by: Emily Tolliver

This week our senior spotlight is on Sarah Neal. Sarah was born in Cincinnati on November 29, 1989 to her parents, Christine and David Neal and her 3 sisters. Sarah's favorite color is green and her

favorite animal is the white tiger. If she could go anywhere in the world she would go to Paris. Sarah is planning on going to a 4 year college after high school.



Sarah Neal

Jesse's Fun Facts

- The world's termites outweigh the world's humans 10 to 1!
- Recycling one glass jar saves enough energy to watch T.V for 3 hours!
- Most people do not know that Mount Everest is in China.

What's Up With That??



What's up with the Tolliver clan???
Emily and David...where's Brittany?

Education in Action



Journalism students are designing yearbook ads for the 2007-2008 yearbooks.

Announcements

The Task Force is in need of unused Christmas cards to send to Soldiers' Angels. If you would like to write any, bring them to Mrs. JvR's room in the envelopes, unsealed.

The Diehl Park Clean Up will be **Tuesday, Oct. 16th** immediately after school. A cook-out will follow.

Student organization picture day is **Friday, Oct. 19th**.

"Voices from the Titanic" will be presented by the Drama Club on **Friday, Oct. 26** at 7 p.m.

The next ACT date is **Saturday, Oct. 27th**. See Ms. Bach if you have any questions.

FFA National Convention will be held **Wednesday, Oct. 24th-Oct. 27th**.

Oct. 15th- Mandatory Meeting for parents of winter sports and cheerleading @ 7:30p.m.

Task Force Sends Brownies to Troops

Written by: Mrs. Janse van Rensburg

One of the main activities of the Whiteoak Task Force this year is supporting our troops. To date, over 100 soldiers have been written and about 150 packages have been sent. Right now we are making brownies and popcorn balls to send in packages to over 50 soldiers stationed in the Middle East. At Christmas we will send home-made cookies, home-made crosses and holiday treats. Through Holiday Greetings to our Troops, another organization under Soldiers' Angels, we are sending over one hundred Christmas cards to the troops. They hope to send one to EVERY soldier, sailor, marine and airman deployed in a combat zone.



Task Force Members

Local News— Fire in Field

Written by: Briana Hooley & Heather Brewer

This past Monday afternoon, a man named Kent Ayres from New Market Township, had his combine catch on fire in a soybean field. The harvester sparked and eventually caught fire while Ayres was on it. He immediately jumped off and got emergency personnel. There were nine firefighters and four fire trucks, and they had to refill a tank because the water was depleted. The field didn't suffer significant damage but his combine won't be supplying anymore harvest this season.

Ryan's Question of the Week

"What do you think?"



"Women."
-Chase & Matt



"I like Ryan's hair."
- Danielle Grooms



"π and I love my job."
-Ms. Weisner

The National Honor Society is holding tutoring and homework help sessions twice a week. If you need help, come to room 440 **Mondays or Wednesdays** after school from 3-4 pm.

The JOGs class is designing Whiteoak T-shirts and hoodies to sell. If you have a good design idea, please submit it to Mrs. Dietz.

2007 yearbooks will available for pickup on **Wednesday, Oct. 17th**. There are 25 extra books available for purchase if you did not pre-order yours. The cost is \$35.00 each. Please see Mrs. Juillerat.

NHS is holding a Carnation Sale **Oct. 19th**.

OGTs begin **Oct. 22nd** for Jrs. and Srs.

Thespian Troupe 6931 is sponsoring a canned food drive during October. The food will go to Samaritan Outreach. Please bring contributions to Miss Countryman's room. \$1 will be deducted from the price of your "Titanic" ticket.

Chicks Corner

The Chicks are now about 3 weeks old and weigh 2 pounds.

