

Weekly Wildcat

Athletic Events

2/18 HSBB vs. West Union
6pm

3/1 HSBB @ Valley vs.
Green 8pm



LUNCH MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE

2/21 No School

2/22 No School

2/23 Chicken Strips,
Mashed Potato,
Green Beans, Roll,
Fruit, Milk.

2/24 Salisbury Steak/
Bun, Mac + Cheese,
Lettuce, Milk.

2/25 Hot Dog/Bun, Co-
ney Sauce, Milk.



Power of the Pen

Written by: Jennah Lomske

Last Saturday Mrs. Wessner and her Power of the Pen team had a competition that was held here at Whiteoak. In total, fourteen schools from all over Ohio showed up to compete, with more than 140 kids. All the seventh and eighth graders were swarming around the small hallways getting lost and stressing to make it to their next session to write their stories. LeAnna Lomske, Savannah Meyers, and I had the opportunity to help with the "behind the scenes" work and got to see what work was put into these writing competitions. We were able to get together with another fellow

Power of the Pen writer and make "judges comments" on the papers of the Shadow Writers. These are people who didn't quite make the team but were still allowed to write about given prompts. We also ran around doing pretty much everything from taking coffee to judges, directing students where to go, and reading over short stories. We also want to congratulate the Whiteoak Power of the Pen team for making 4th place, for this has never happened before. Great job to everyone who participated!



Kiley's Brother

Written by: Christine Hamilton

Sophomore Kiley Davis's brother has recently been deployed to Iraq. The Task Force is preparing a box full of goods to mail to him and they could use help from everyone! Anyone can bring in items to Ms. Hahn to donate for the box. Things like candy, cookies, slim jims, popcorn,

and other snacks, baby wipes, soap, toothpaste, deodorant, magazines, deck of cards, DVDs, and even letters and pictures will be much appreciated! These things are usually shared among buddies so everything sent will be put to excellent use. These guys do so much for us. Let's show them how greatly we appreciate them and how thankful we are for all that they do!

Senior Spotlight

Written by: Clarissa Johnson

This week the spotlight is on Jennifer Couch. Her parents are Rex and Becky Couch. Jennifer has six sisters and their names are Lindsey, Amber, Millennium, Summer, Mary, and Jaymee Couch. Her favorite class is Home Ec. Jennifer's favorite sport is football and her favorite player is Jerome Bettis. Jennifer does not have a good or

a bad memory from Whiteoak High School.

She has future plans to attend college and major in early childhood development. The biggest goal to accomplish before she dies is to graduate from college then go swimming with dolphins.



Jennifer Couch

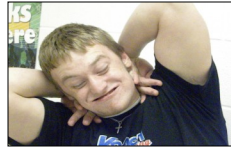
PRESIDENTS DAY

Thomas's Fun Facts

- Your foot is the same length as your forearm
- Lima beans contain trace amounts of cyanide.
- The lion costume in The Wizard of Oz was made from real lion skin.

Jesse's Question of the Week

What's the craziest thing you've done?



"Went 60 in a 55."
-Blake Stevens



"Wrestled a BEAR with my BARE Hands."
-Nick Eldridge



"Attempted to arm wrestle Jon Fox."
-Jesse Greene

Trivia On Presidents:

By: Jennah Lomske

1. Who was the first president of the U.S.?
2. Who had the longest term in office?
3. How many presidents have we had so far?
4. Which president had a cat named Socks?
5. Which president had a famous dog named Millie?
6. Who is the only president from Indiana?
7. Which president had 15 children?
8. Abe Lincoln was the tallest president, who was shortest?
9. Which President saw the first game played by the Yankees?

Presidents Day!

Written By: LeAnna Lomske

Presidents Day is a celebration of both George Washington's and Abraham Lincoln's birthdays. As we all know, it is celebrated on the third Monday of February, hence the reason for being out of school that day. Now you're probably wondering, why celebrate their birthdays? It's simple actually; they were two of the most important people to our country. Washington was our first president. He was a wise and courageous man admired for his honesty and strength of character. Lincoln was our 16th president and he is the finest example of what an individual can achieve with hard work and the ambition to learn and to lead. So this Presidents Day just take a brief moment to think about the great individuals in our country like these two men.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Feb. 18th- Senior Night- Boys Basketball.

Feb. 18th- No School- Waiver Day.

Feb. 19th- Texas Holdem Tournament Saturday at 12,4, and 8 at Sardinia Life Squad Building.

Feb. 21st- No School- Presidents Day.

Fed. 22nd- No School- Teacher In- Service.

Feb. 23-25-Cheerleading Tryouts.

Cheerleaders are selling t-shirts, sweatshirts, and hoodies. See Mrs. Gleim for order forms.

Mar. 1st- Boys Basketball Tournament at 8p.m. at Valley H.S. - Tickets \$5.00; see Mrs. Gleim.

Quote of the Week

Dreams are today's answers to tomorrow's questions.
-Edgar Cayce

Word of the Week:

Ambitious- To be greatly desirous or eager to get something done.

Birthday Wishes!!

Krista Turner- 2/12
Thomas Sullivan- 2/13
Manny Gilliam- 2/14
Patt Kuntanarumitkul- 2/15
Doc Seip- 2/15
Anna Sears- 2/18
Caitlin Frazer- 2/18
Morgan Knoblauch- 2/19
Vince Farkas- 2/19
James Allen- 2/19
McKenzie Martin- 2/19
Daniel Pierce- 2/20
Chelsey Carrington- 2/22
Dylan Gibson- 2/23
Ashleigh Harless- 2/25

