

Jan. 4, 2023



WSD Family/Guardian Belonging and Culture Survey Now Open | Take the Survey Now!

As part of the WSD's ongoing efforts to meet the goals within the Comprehensive School Improvement Plan (CSIP), district surveys will be administered to students in grades K-12, families, and staff. The surveys are designed to solicit feedback about the sense of belonging created within each building as well as perspectives regarding building/departments culture. Each school and department within the district will use this survey data to understand the current reality and to make improvements moving forward.

Take the family/guardian survey now by [clicking here](#). The family/guardian survey will remain open through Jan. 20.

Take the WSD Family Belonging and Culture Survey

This survey link is specifically for parents/family/guardians ONLY. Student surveys will be done at school.

The district windows for students to take the surveys will be Jan. 30-Feb. 10 and May 1-19.

For more information regarding these surveys, including logistics about the administration of the surveys, a preview of the surveys, and information on how to opt-out, please check out our [WSD Belonging and Culture Survey page](#).



Kindergarten Registration Event Dates Set

All children who will turn five before Aug. 1, 2023, are eligible to attend kindergarten for the 2023-24 school year. View registration event dates for each school, starting as early as Jan. 12, and get more information [here](#).



2023 Film Festival Submissions Open

Calling all student filmmakers, submissions are now open for the April 19 WSD Film Festival. Submissions are due on Fri., Mar. 31, 2023. [Read more](#).



WSD Announces 2022 District Teacher of the Year

The WSD announced Matthew (Matt) Barker, a teacher at Liberty High School, as the 2022 Wentzville School District Teacher of the Year. [Read more and see the full list of WSD building teachers of the year](#).



- **Jan. 12** | Finals Early Release | 9-12
- **Jan. 13** | Early Release | K-12
- **Jan. 16** | No Classes, PK-12 | MLK Day
- **Jan. 17** | No Classes, PK-12 | Professional Development day

DISCOVER WSD

WSD Mercy Clinic Now Offers Online Appointment Scheduling Tool

Families can now easily schedule an appointment at the WSD Mercy Clinic online. Make an appointment using the [new online tool](#) today at bit.ly/wsd-mercy.



More Than 1,000 Students Served By WSD Holiday Assistance

Each year in December, the WSD Holiday Assistance Program helps to provide gifts for students whose families are in need. This year, over 370 families and over 1,000 WSD students received gifts in the coordinated effort. [Read more.](#)



Progress as Promised: Wentzville South Middle School

Wentzville South Middle School's (SMS) new classroom wing expansion was completed on time and under budget this year thanks to the support of taxpayers and Proposition C funding. [Read more.](#)



Wentzville Community Band

The Wentzville School District is proud to offer a community band for all former/current students, parents, staff, and community members to make music together. This ensemble will

meet for four rehearsals beginning in February, then will perform a concert on March 13, 2023, to celebrate Music in Our Schools Month.

The purpose of this ensemble is to create an experience that focuses on creating music together as a community. We welcome all members, regardless of the time that has passed since you have played your instrument. This ensemble will be a relaxed and fun experience of making music! Come join us! [Sign up link](#). [Read more](#).



ATHLETICS



Timberland Wolves Class of 2023 Leaves Lasting Legacy with THS Football

Timberland High School (THS) Wolves Football had what some have classified as the best season of football in recent THS history. Their success wasn't the only great thing to happen in WSD Football this season. Read a recap of the 2022 football season in the WSD [here](#).



WSD Sends 14 Swim & Divers to Boys' State Meet

The WSD sent 14 swimmers and divers to the state swim meet this year! These boys did fantastic all season breaking school records and hitting personal best times. Read a full recap of the 2022 Boys' Swim & Dive season in the WSD [here](#).



Holt HS Claims Division Championship in Girls' Golf

Holt High School girls' golf took home the GAC North Central championship title this season! The WSD saw many golfers make the trek to compete in the state competition as well. Read a full recap of the Fall 2022 Girls' Golf season in the WSD [here](#).



Softball Sets Individual, School, State Records this Fall

Records were set at the state, school, and individual levels in the WSD this softball season. Kudos to these hardworking athletes for adding another successful season to the books. [Read the full season recap.](#)



Female Cross-Country Runner is First in Timberland History to Qualify for State Three Times

The cross-country teams in the District achieved major accomplishments this season. Timberland had its first female cross-country runner qualify for the State Championship for the third time, and all four high schools had state qualifiers this year. Read the full [WSD season recap](#).



First Tennis Player in Holt's History Becomes Medalist in State Tournament

Girls' Tennis in the WSD had a record-breaking year! Holt had their first State Tournament medalist in its history this year. [Read the full Fall 2022 tennis recap.](#)



North Point High School Girls' Volleyball Takes Conferences Titles at All Three Levels

For just the second time in WSD volleyball history, a District high school walked away with conference titles at all three team levels. North Point High School (NPHS) made it happen this year – winning Freshman, JV, and Varsity titles. [Read the full WSD season recap.](#)

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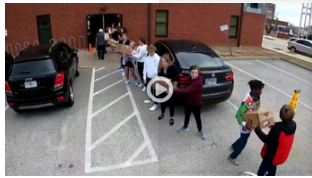
Hannah Flacke, 2022 Holt grad, came home early from her U.S. Army service to surprise her little sister Adelyn at her Peine Ridge class party. [Watch the video.](#)



The Barfield Early Childhood Center had a special visit from Santa during their annual Polar Express event last week. [See more.](#)



Charlie, a Journey Elementary student, was picked for a full-paid trip to Orlando to go to Disney, Universal, and any other park he wants through Baking Memories for Kids. [See more.](#)



Mr. Jerry Cannon from Wentzville Middle was featured on [KMOV](#) for his and his students' astounding fundraising efforts that benefit the Salvation Army each year. [Watch the story.](#)



Liberty High School's pre-vocational classes are hard at work learning essential skills — like managing their own small business — that will help them transition into the workforce. [See more.](#)



Damian Fay, Ed.D., principal at Crossroads Elementary, was presented with the Marine Corps Patriot Award as schools district-wide celebrated our community's veterans. [Read more.](#)

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

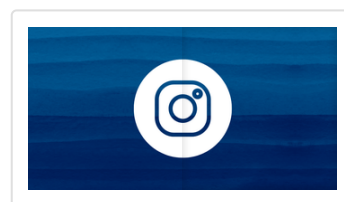
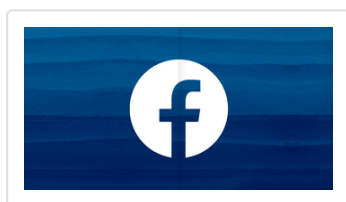
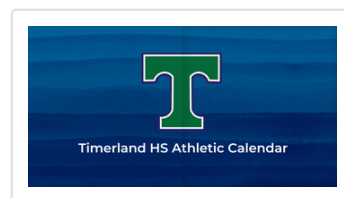
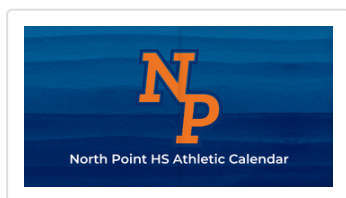
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Superintendent Holiday Message | Dec. 20, 2022

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ATHLETIC CALENDARS



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