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Arts Academy Updates 05/23/2024

Updates from Dr. Mitchell and Mrs. Ignagni will be added to our [Daily Announcements](#) on our website. You can always find the most up-to-date news there!

Upcoming events

- 05/23 - Last day for Seniors
 - o Trap by Stephen Gregg will be presented by the drama department at 7 PM in the Cafegymatorium. No Ticket is required to attend.
- **05/24 -05/27 - No School Memorial Day Holiday**
- 05/31 - Graduation
- 06/07 - Last day of School BBQ

Have a Great Memorial Day - 4 Day Weekend!

Evening of the Arts Video Order

EoA was filmed this year by Lockwood Media Group. Please fill out the form linked below if you would like to purchase a recording of your students' performance at "Evening of the Arts" for \$30.00. Payment by cash or check (made out to Arts Academy in the Woods) can be made in the office or added to your eFunds for Schools account if requested. These are on a flash drive with a custom case and label. Once Mr. Wotherspoon has them in hand, an announcement will go out for pick up availability.

[EoA Video Order Form](#)

Last Day of School Barbecue

We will be hosting our annual last day of school barbecue on June 7. We will have hot dogs, pizza, snacks, and games from 12:00 – 3:30.

We would very much appreciate your support. If you can donate some time or items for kids, please let us know by visiting the link below

[Barbecue SignUp Genius](#)

Hangout Hours

The Hangout will be closed on the following dates due to after school activities.

Staff Luncheon - Wednesday, June 5th



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8th Grade Graduation - Thursday, June 6th

Last Day of School Picnic - Friday, June 7th

Finals and schedule for the last week of school

Monday 06/03 – Early Release

Tuesday 06/04 - 7th period final – 3:30 dismissal

Wednesday 06/05 1st and 2nd period finals – half day

Thursday 06/06 - 3rd and 4th hour finals - half day

Friday 06/07 - 5th and 6th hour finals – half day

PowerSchool Fees

Any outstanding student fees and balances are listed in PowerSchool. Please be sure to pay student accounts before the end of the school year. Seniors should have accounts paid prior to graduation to ensure there are no holds on diplomas.

Graduation Rehearsal

Graduates should report to the Academy on Thursday May 30 at 5:00 pm. Rehearsal will begin in the gym and will take about an hour.

Scheduling for Fall 2024

All students returning to our High School this fall have received an email from Dr. Mitchell that will let them select their Arts and Electives. This form can also be used to ask your counselors questions. If your student has not completed the form yet, there is a link for the GRADE THEY WILL BE IN DURING THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR. Students can sign in using their school email. If they are having trouble with the form, please email me and I will get the message to their counselor.

[9th Grade 2024 - 2025](#)

[10th Grade 2024 -2025](#)

[11th Grade in 2024 - 2025](#)

[12th Grade 2024 - 2025](#)



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PTO (PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION) Call for support

Help us show gratitude to our amazing teachers! The PTO is asking for donations of gift cards/certificates/prizes/themed baskets for an AAW appreciation event taking place for AAW staff in early June.

As we prepare for High School Graduation, we want to be able to support our artists and need:

- Donations (cash, snacks, and water)
- Ushers

We need 10 volunteers to report to AAW at 5:30pm on Friday, May 31st to assist with Graduation. Please click on the link below to sign up. Thank you!

[Graduation Usher SignUp Genius](#)

Please drop donations off at the office or reach out to aawpto@gmail.com

Venmo @AAWPTO

PayPal – aawpto@gmail.com