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Awbury Weekly Wissahickon 6/3/2022

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Message from Dean Kristi

Dear Families,

As we head into the last week and a half of school, it's an important moment to think about your hopes for summer with your children. Summer is a moment to take advantage of their more relaxed schedules if you can. The more experiences you can have with your child, the better! Go to parks, free libraries, city pools. Visit museums (many of which have free admission days) or make your own field trip to a part of the city you don't usually visit. All of these experiences build on what they know about the world and actually help make them better learners when school starts back up. Speaking of learning, your child will also have summer work so keep an eye out for those assignments and make a plan for getting that work done.

Here's to a great week and a half left of school with many exciting moments to share together. We can end our safely by remembering to mask up, complete RUVNA, and keeping children home who are sick.

Many thanks,
Kristi

Essentials

Important Dates

May 31st - June 6th - Scholastic Book Fair

June 6th - Celebration of Learning **(IN-PERSON)**

June 14th - **FUN DAY!!!!** Early dismissal at 12:45

June 15th - **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!!!** Early dismissal at 12:45

Celebration of Learning this Monday Night!

This Monday at 6-7pm come see your child's classroom and celebrate all their hard work this year! 1st-8th Grade Classes will be presenting their culminating work. Everyone must be masked and healthy to attend.

Special Events

BOGO Book Fair- Library 6-7:00

Food samples outback provided by Vetri

6:30 Arts Showcase

8th Presentation of a Raisin in the Sun-Cafeteria

6th Guitar Presentation-Gym

2022-2023 Student Re-Enrollment

Dear Awbury Families,

We are nearing the end of the 2021-2022 school year. If you have not already completed the Student Intent to Return form please do so as soon as possible. Please see below.

We need your assistance in projecting our student enrollment needs for Fall 2022. WCS intends to open for full five (5) day a week in-person instruction with no option for remote instruction. Please complete the short survey and let us know if your child(ren) will or will not be returning to WCS in the Fall.

[Student Intent to Return 2022-23 -AW](#)

Thank you for your prompt attention and completion of the re-enrollment survey.

The After School Program 2022-2023 School Year:

Need After School Care Next Year for your Kinder- 5th Grader? From now until June 13th, you can register your student early at the discounted price of \$15. Our After School Program is designed to feel like home away from home for our students. Our teachers are experienced in assisting students with homework, developing social and emotional skills and integrating creative activities to maintain a fun, safe and loving environment for everyone! Click [here](#) for more information on how to register your student, or email the ASP coordinator at m.pendleton@wissahickoncharter.org.

Scholastic Book Fair

Our Scholastic **Buy 1, Get 1 FREE Book Fair** will connect your kids to fun books and inspiring characters — helping them become lifelong readers while doubling their reading fun! Not only will your child be able to choose from a wonderful selection of titles before summer vacation starts, they'll also get one free book for every book they buy!

Here's what you need to know about the Fair, which will take place from May 31st to June 6th in our Library:

- Each class will visit the book fair during their
 - library class and have the opportunity to browse and buy with cash, card or eWallet.
 - **If you send your student with CASH please send it in an envelope with their name and \$ amount clearly labeled.**
 - Our Book Fair offers **eWallet**, a safe and secure alternative to cash. Simply create a free account to add funds and/or invite family and friends to contribute so your child can select their own books. Any unused funds can be spent at The Scholastic Store Online or to fund a future eWallet.

- **Families can shop IN PERSON during the Celebration of Learning on June 6th** or at our school's Online Book Fair. Online orders ship directly to your home, and shipping is free for book orders over \$25. Your online orders will also benefit our school.

Lastly, we are looking for fully vaccinated volunteers to help out with student book selection and check out, if you are interested you can sign up [here](#) or contact Ms. Efi at e.narliotis@wissahickoncharter.org.

Visit our **Book Fair homepage** to learn more and get started with eWallet and online shopping:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/wcsawbury>

We're excited to celebrate our love of books together at the Book Fair. We look forward to seeing your child there!

Happy reading,

Lovelee Polite & Kate O'Shea

****Flat Rate Program Payment for 2022-2023 School Year****

The School District of Philadelphia ("SDP") is continuing the **Flat Rate Program for the 2022-23 school year**. If you are not familiar with the program, it pays eligible families a monthly payment for transporting their child to school. The program is specific to families who are eligible for District-provided bus, cab or van services, and in-lieu of these services, choose to participate in the program. **Please note -** Participating families must provide their automobile's Vehicle Information Number (**VIN**) in order to qualify for payment.

Please see the attached communication that provides a detailed description of the program and what is needed from both the school and the families who wish to participate.

Please note - There will be two enrollment periods. The attached communication provides a link for the **Enrollment Form**. The Enrollment Form will not be accessible on the Flat Rate webpage until **May 15, 2022**.

If you have any questions please email Parentrans@Philasd.org. Also, please see below for the **Flat Rate Webpage** which also provides all information pertaining to the program.

Flat Rate Webpage:

<https://www.philasd.org/transportation/parent-flat-rate-pilot/>

Current Flat Rate Program Payment

Many of our families that have enrolled in the flat rate program have not received a confirmation email. Please complete the Parent Payment form found [HERE](#). Please note you must complete this form **each month**. The school must also complete a payment form each month. The school payment form will be submitted by the 8th of each month. The school payment forms for September and October will be submitted by November 8, 2021. Please refer to the FAQs document found [HERE](#) for more information. All question should be emailed to [Ms. Shonda](#).

On Radar

The front office will be **CLOSED** the month of July. The office will reopen on Monday August 1, 2022.

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