

Weare Middle & Center Woods Upper Elementary
NEWSLETTER

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Happy Spring!

Well, it certainly feels like Spring out there today! We are excited to have an opportunity to see buds on trees, bare ground and sunny skies. Our 2nd trimester ends today and we will be taking a close look at students who are struggling to demonstrate competency in any of their courses. We are in the midst of scheduling some after school tutoring sessions in our building for any student who needs support to revisit or complete work.

COVID Update:

We have returned to more traditional seating and small group work across our building since we have seen such a decrease in any positive cases. We will of course continue to monitor the health of our community and will reinstate mitigation strategies if the need arises. It is still vital for you to closely monitor the health of your student and family members and report any symptoms or positive COVID results to our amazing school nurse, marcia.magdziarz@sau24.org

Your admin team:

Mrs. Hilliard, Mr. Matzke & Mr. Morrill

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2021-2022 Yearbook orders

The online portal for yearbook orders is now open. Yearbooks are \$30 and must be ordered online through Lifetouch's portal. Click [here to reserve your copy](#) and use this code **14317222**.

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WMS ATHLETICS

Today is the last day to register for students in grades 6-8 to register for spring sports.

[WMS Spring Sport Registration closes March 18th](#)

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Weare School District Board Meeting

The Weare School Board will have their next meeting on March 22, 2022* at 6 pm in the WMS Cafe.

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7th Annual Fun Run 5K



Get Ready for the

7th Annual

Weare Fun Run 5K

Friday, May 13 at 4:00 PM

**Register by May 4 to qualify
for a Race T-shirt**

This is a Walk/Run Event

Registration Form Attached

[Click here for a registration form](#)

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Notes from the Nurse

We have seen a significant rise in cold symptoms this past week and would like to remind you that the guidelines for COVID testing remain consistent. Although we are not requiring masks, we still ask that you

keep your children home if they are exhibiting ANY cold, flu, or Covid symptoms:

- Runny nose or congestion
- Cough
- Sore throat
- Vomiting
- Headache
- Fever

If your child is having any of these symptoms, you still need to do a Covid test and provide me with the results prior to them being cleared to return to school. I still have a supply of rapid tests that I am happy to share with you if you do not have tests at home. If your child tests negative, they may return to school when their symptoms are resolved or significantly improved. Please help us to keep our school community healthy!

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GETTING COMFORTABLE FOR CLASS



Ms. Fitzpatrick takes a unique approach to making students comfortable in their workspace and activities.

Top pictures: WMS Theater students Blair Schou and Brynne Higgins participate in "Press Conference" to prep for rehearsal.
Left: Students use lap desks and bean bag chairs while working on a writing assignment.

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SAU 24 is Hiring!

It takes a community to keep our schools running smoothly. [Visit our website](#) to see our job openings. We are always looking for paraeducators and substitutes.

The Weare Bus Terminal is also looking for drivers! On-site job interviews take place every Wednesday from 10 am - 12 pm. Stop by our location for a walk-in interview and tour!
58 Carding Mill Road, Weare 603-529-4744

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PUP Default Plans

[WMS/CWUES Pickup Patrol Default Plans](#)

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Upcoming Dates - [full calendar can be found here](#)

March 18- Last Day to register for WMS Spring Sport Tryouts

March 29** - Early Release - dismissal at 11:30 (**This date was recently changed from March 7.)

April 25-29 - No School, Spring Break

May 13 - Weare Fun Run 5k

June 21 - Last day of school as of 3.21.22

[Weare Public Library](#)

Gaming at the Weare Library

Every Tuesday: 2:30 to 5:00

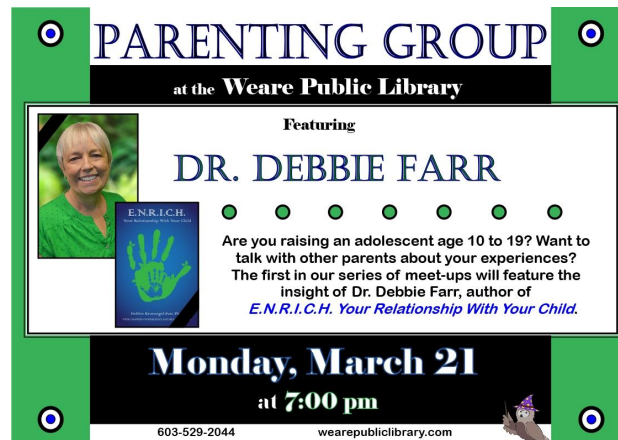
AND 2nd & 4th Thursdays (Mar 24 / Apr 14 & 28) 5:30 to 8:00

Challenge your friends with Super Smash Bros. Ultimate, Mario Kart 8, or another classic video game OR play one of our board games OR You can bring one of your own. All ages and skill levels are welcome!

Parenting Group at the Weare Library (feat. Dr. Debbie Farr)

Monday, March 21 at 7:00

Parents, are you raising an adolescent age 10 to 19? Want to talk with other parents about your experiences? The first in our series of meet-ups will feature the insight of Dr. Debbie Farr, author of *E.N.R.I.C.H. Your Relationship With Your Child*.



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Community News

Internet Safety Program Wednesday, March 23 at 6:30 PM at JSRHS Cafe **OPEN TO ALL EDUCATORS, PARENTS, COMMUNITY MEMBERS, AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

(NOT suitable for children under grade 9 due to content)

This 1.5-hour presentation is specifically geared towards parents, educators, and community leaders who are looking to better understand the technology available to teens today and the way in which child predators use it to exploit them.

Learn about the dangers that face teens every day. In doing so, we'll discuss how computers, cell phones, iPads, digital cameras, gaming systems, social networking applications, and internet blogs all play a role in placing students and families at risk.

Presented by The Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, Weare Police Department, John Stark Regional High School

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Community News

The NH Department of Education is partnering with NH camps and school-age summer programs across the state to offer students the unique opportunity to move beyond COVID-19 and be a kid again. For more information, [visit their website here](#).

Attention All Middle Schoolers:

YOUTH VOLLEYBALL CLINICS

Hosted by:
The New England College
Volleyball Team
Taking Place at Bridges
Gym, on the NEC Campus



**TAKING PLACE DURING FRIDAYS IN MARCH
AND APRIL (3/11, 3/18, 4/1, AND 4/15)
FROM 5:30-7:30PM**

Cost to Attend:
\$80.00 for all 4 sessions -or- \$25.00 per session

Come learn the basic skills of the game,
be active, and have fun!

What you should bring:
Water bottle, sneakers, comfortable athletic clothing
(ex. t-shirt and shorts), kneepads if you have them.



**PANCAKES FOR
SUPER HERO LINCOLN ANDERSON
APRIL 9, 2022 CENTER WOODS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL,
14 CENTER RD., WEARE, NH 8:00 am to 10:30 am**

Lincoln is a young boy going through his third round of brain cancer. Lincoln and his family are in need of assistance to relieve them of some of the major expenses relating to travel for treatments and medical expenses.



Please join us for a delicious breakfast and awesome raffles as we come together to help our friend Lincoln. We will be serving pancakes, eggs and sausage.

ALL DONATIONS ARE WELCOME!

If you cannot attend the breakfast,
**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS TO THE EXETER LIONS FOUNDATION
AND SEND TO Karen Baillargeon, 11 Michael Bennett Rd.,
Brentwood, NH 03833. For more information contact Mike D.
Baillargeon, (603)235-1260, or email: kebail@comcast.net**