

TROJAN TALK

Home of Champions

Grandparents' Breakfast

We invited the grandparents to enjoy a nice breakfast with their grandchildren because we focus on inclusivity. We feel as though this breakfast creates a more comfortable environment for the kids. Using this breakfast we promote strong family values and security in our school. Our school strives for a better bond with the students as well as the student's families. We ensure to the grandparents that their grandchild is safe in our buildings as well as eat a nutritious breakfast during the week. Students normally feel more welcome in school if they know the people whom they look up to feel welcome as well. Thank you grandparents for showing up and supporting our awesome students.

-By: Raelyn Bussey



TEACHER FEATURE

*Brenda Doyal,
High School Art*

By: Keaira Fillingim

Brenda Doyal returned to our school and, in the process, brought our art program back to our curriculum. After teaching the program ten years previously at Windthorst, she has begun to share her creative art process with 19 students. With a Bachelors of Fine Arts, double major in Graphic Design, photography, and minor in ceramics, she plans to have all her students let their creativity flow. She stated, "My goal is for ALL students in the Art program to realize that they ARE artists. I hope each student recognizes his or her creative abilities and talents and uses them for self expression and emotional well being."



Students enrolled in this class can expect the multiple opportunities to showcase their talents using various types of media and art processes to create self expressive artwork. Also, students will be able to learn the Elements and Principles of design to create artwork. Lastly, she would like to tell other interested students to not be afraid to take art because there is an artist inside everyone!

From the Desk of Mrs. Forsythe, Secondary Principal

ParentSquare

Windthorst ISD began using ParentSquare for teachers, campuses, and district communication to parents for the 2022-2023 school year. ParentSquare can be also used to communicate with faculty, staff, and students.

Here's what you can do with ParentSquare:

- Choose to receive information as it comes or all at once with a daily digest at 6 pm
- Receive messages from the school via email, text or app notification
- Communicate in your preferred language
- Comment on school postings to engage with your school community
- Direct message teachers, staff and other parents
- Participate in group messages
- Sign up for parent-teacher conferences
- Sign forms & permission slips, sign up to volunteer and more all from your desktop or mobile device



SHINING SPOTLIGHT



Thank you for the amazing way you guide, inspire, and love our students, community, staff, and faculty! There are a million words that we could write in an effort to show our appreciation, but those words just wouldn't do it justice. You are committed to supporting the whole student and empowering them to be their best. When we are in need of support, you are flexible and willing to stay to help in any way you can. Again, THANK YOU, for all that you do every day to support WISD.

COFFEE

with Mrs. Forsythe

Thank you for attending our first coffee and conversation with the principal. Our time spent together was productive, solution-driven, and most important a time to visit with each other and build relations. We discussed ParentSquare and streamlining communication. Each week in our Trojan Talk, I will share information regarding ParentSquare.

Please join me for the next coffee date.
October 7th at 8:15-9:15 am.

Join
Next
Time!

Coffee with Mrs. Forsythe

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7TH
8:15 A.M. TO 9:15 A.M.



All junior high
& high school
parents
welcome!

Trojan Thoughts

We asked a couple of students.

"What is your favorite cafeteria Lunch?"

"BAKED POTATOES!!!!!!"

-Brady Wolf, Sophomore

"THE WALKING TACO!"

- Aidan Stark 7th Grade

"Chopped Barbecue Beef!"

-Dossen Anderson, 3rd Grade



By: Malory Watson

Staff Shoutout

Savannah Pendergraft

She continuously goes above and beyond with a smile on her face supporting our students and faculty. Your willingness to go the extra mile is appreciated.

THIS WEEK IN SPORTS

Volleyball

On Friday, The Trojanettes went to Millsap for a pre-district matchup. Trojanettes swept the Lady Bulldogs in three sets with scores of 25-17, 25-16, 25-21. The Trojanetes also faced Iowa Park on Tuesday and won in four sets with scores of 25-21, 23-25, 26-24, 25-22.

Kills- Tara Tackett 22, Annikah Frank 20, Rylee Wolf 16, Bree Kirk 12, Abby Schroeder 9, Keaira Fillingim 4.

Digs- Bree Kirk 32, Megg Lindley 31, Tara Tackett 30, Rylee Wolf 20.

Blocks- Tara Tackett 6, Annikah Frank, 4, Keaira Fillingim 3, Abby Schroeder 3.

JV Blue also swept Millsap in two sets On Friday. On Saturday, they went 2-1 in the Windthorst Tournament. They fell to Holliday in the championship after three hard fought sets. On Tuesday, they got the win against Iowa Park after three back and forth sets, ending with a final set score of 20-19.

JV White went 1-1 in the Windthorst Tournament, racking up second place. They beat Old High in three sets, and fell to Holliday in the championship. On Tuesday, they lost in two sets to Iowa Park.

-By: Megg Lindley

Football

Last week was the bye week for our Varsity Trojans, but the JV team played Jacksboro last Thursday evening at home. The Trojans took the win over the Tigers with the score of 16-6.

Cross Country

Over the past two weeks, the Boys and Girls High School cross country teams competed in two meets.

Last Thursday, they competed in the Burkburnett Meet. The Boys Varsity team took third place overall. Crossing the finish line first for the Trojans, was Nolan Schreiber in 2nd place with the time of 19.27. Carson Anderele 12th, Bryson Berend 13th, Jack Noetzelman 21st, and Salvador Cervantes 22nd.

Cameron Belcher and Annikah Frank competed in the Varsity division for the girls. Cameron Belcher making her return after a State appreance last year, finished in 3rd place with a time of 12.39 and Annikah finished in 35th place. Savannah Cantu finished 17th in the JV division.

This week, all JH and High School competed at Lucy Park.

Varsity Girls- Cameron Belcher 2nd, Annikah Frank 9th, Maddy Johnson 57th, Kyah Frank 74th out of 120 girls.



THIS WEEK IN SPORTS CONTINUED

Cross Country Cont.

Varsity Boys- Nolan Schreiber 19th, Carson Anderle 52nd, Jack Noetzelman 54th, Salvador Cervantes 56th, and Bryson Berend 65th out of 103 boys

The Junior High had their first ever meet at Lucy Park on Wednesday and they made a strong showing.

The JH boys team has 7 runners that all finished in the top 60% of runners. Adam Barton crossed the line first for the Spartans in 11th place. Jackson Zicarelli 13th, Braiden Messineo 15th, Luke Zicarelli 33rd, Brodie Belz 39th, Evan Sanchez 46th and Danny McGregor in 66th.

The Spartanettes had a very strong showing as well. Makannah Frank, 7th grade, took first place in the meet competing against 7th and 8th grade girls. Charlie Bone 16th, Lily Johnson 18th, Ireland Alexander 45th, and Serenity Cantu in 99th out of 116 runners.



WISD HAPPENINGS

The 5th grade students completed a Meet the Counselor Mission to learn more about the role of the school counselor, Mrs. Hoffman. Students were very engaged in the lesson and did a great job of working as a team to complete each mission.



A LOOK FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK

Elementary School

This week is Celebrate Freedom Week for Elementary. In respect to 9/11, the students will celebrate the...

- Declaration of Independence
- United States Constitution
- Bill of Rights

Dress Up Days to Show Our Pride and Patriotism:

- Monday: Red, white, and blue
- Tuesday: Camo
- Wednesday: Stars and stripes
- Firecracker Day
- Friday: "Back the Blue" (wear blue)

PTG Meeting - 4th grade program Monday, September 12 at 4:00 PM

Board Meeting on Monday, September 12, at 6 PM

Junior High

- Volleyball will play against Olney at home on 9/12 starting at 6 PM
- 7th and 8th grade Football will play against Henrietta at home on 9/15 starting at 4:30 PM
- Cross Country will be competing against Seymour on 9/14 from 1 pm to 5 PM

High School

- Cross Country will be competing against Seymour on 9/14 from 1 PM to 5 PM
- JV Football will play against Era at home after the JH on 9/15
- Varsity Football will play against Wheeler at home on 9/16 at 7 PM. The pep rally dress-up theme is "anything but a backpack!"
- All HS Volleyball teams will play 9/13 at home against Christ Academy and 9/16 in Graham at 4:30.
- Friends of FFA Meeting on 9/14 from 6 PM to 6:30 PM

Lunch Menu

<p>Monday Cheese Pizza Ham/Cheese Hoagie w/chips</p>
<p>Tuesday Chicken On Bun PBJ w/cheese stick</p>
<p>Wednesday Steak Fingers w/roll PBJ w/cheese stick</p>
<p>Thursday Cheeseburger Turkey Wrap Cheese Doritos</p>
<p>Friday Walking Taco PBJ w/cheese stick</p>

By: Maddison Farris