

WILLOW WEEKLY

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January 11, 2019

NEXT WEEK AT A GLANCE/PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR

01/14-Monday- Homework Club 3:13-4:13pm

Access 3:13-4:13pm

Beginning Band Rehearsal (Woodwinds) 3:13-4:13pm

Jr. High Cheer at home game

2nd Grade Get Your Game On

Boys Basketball vs Park Blue-HOME

Yearbook Club 3:13-4:13pm

01/15-Tuesday- Glee Club 7:50-8:20am

Homework Club 3:13-4:13pm

Access 3:13-4:13pm

Concert Band Rehearsal (Woodwinds) 3:13-4:13pm

4th Grade Art Club 3:15-4:15pm

Last day*2nd Grade Cheer Club at home game

Last day*Jr. High Cheer at home game

PACK THE HOUSE-BOYS BASKETBALL vs Pleasantdale

Study Stars 3:13-4:13pm

Tutoring Club 3:13-4:13pm

01/16-Wednesday- Homework Club 3:13-4:13pm

Access 3:13-4:13pm

Concert Band Rehearsal (Brass/Percussion) 3:13-4:13pm

5th Grade Art Club 3:15-4:15pm

Study Stars 3:13-4:13pm

Boys Basketball vs Sahs-AWAY

2nd Grade Get Your Game On

3rd Grade Go Zearn Noodle 3:13-4:13pm

Student Council 3:13-4:13pm

01/17-Thursday- Glee Club 7:50-8:20am

Homework Club 3:13-4:13pm

Access 3:13-4:13pm

Beginning Band Rehearsal (Everyone) 3:13-4:13pm

Study Stars 3:13-4:13pm

Boys Basketball vs Gurrie-AWAY

Tutoring Club 3:13-4:13pm

Yearbook Club 3:13-4:13pm

01/18-Friday- Early Bird Mandatory Rehearsal Concert Band 7:50am (everyone)

Jr High Incentive Trip to Funtopia 9:00am-1:00pm

Nacho Day

8th Grade Basketball vs Staff 2:00pm

The time is always right
to do what is right.

**Martin Luther
King, Jr. Day**

NO SCHOOL
Monday, Jan. 21 • District Closed



01/14-Monday-Chicken Nuggets
01/15-Tuesday-Taco on a Soft Shell
01/16-Wednesday-Mini Corn Dogs
01/17-Thursday-Mini Beef Ravioli
01/18-Friday-French Bread Pizza



PFC NEWS

**SUPPORT
OUR SCHOOL...**

**CLIP
BOX TOPS!**

Nacho Day-Friday, January 18th **EXACT CHANGE ONLY**

Name: _____ Homeroom: _____

Nachos \$1.00 _____

Extra Cheese \$0.25 _____

Salsa \$0.25 _____

Hot peppers \$0.25 _____



All forms must be in by **Thursday, January 17th** at 9:00am.
No late orders will be accepted.

Library News

Congratulations !!!!!

On Wednesday, January 8, 2019 four snowflakes were pulled from a blizzard of flakes that cover the library reading tree this winter. For their reading efforts, four prizes were awarded.

Kaylynn Lukas in 8 A was awarded the \$50. in gift cards.

Eli Tortorella in 1A received the Lego set and book.

Kathya Pagan in 8A won the Kindle Fire.

Avery Wendt in 5B won the Unicorn pillow, necklace and book.



Thanks to all those that made a contribution to the Library Activity Fund. Special thanks to all those students that did a tremendous job of reading! The more you read, the more you know and the more you know, the better you become! All readers are winners! Congratulations to all!

Around Town

Have you noticed the new pathway from the playground to Ravine Street? Thank you to Willow's Public Works for improving the area! The students now have a safer and more secure way to walk to school!





Monday, January 14, 2019, school will be in session. It is a full day of school with students in attendance from 8:25am-3:13pm. Stickers for your calendars were offered at the start of the year. If you still need one with the corrections added, please request one by calling Ms.Flores at 708-839-6828.

Monday, January 21, 2019, school is closed in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. day



On Monday, January 28, 2019 we will celebrate the 100th Day of school. It is also School Improvement Day students will be dismissed at 11:30am.



Due to the emergency weather day on Monday , November 26, 2018, school will be in session on Monday, March 4, 2019. This will be a full day of school with students in attendance from 8:25am-3:13pm. Please mark your calendars.

February 11, 2019 is School Improvement Day. Students will be dismissed at 11:30am.

February 18, 2019 is Parent /Teacher Conferences from 12:30-8:00pm. There is no school for students. Conference time slips will go home with your student the 1st week of February





VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



WHEN: Monday, January 7th through Tuesday, January 29th

WHAT IS NEEDED: I need people to help organize the skates, to help lace up skates, and guide students as they learn to skate.

TIMES: You are welcome to come as often as you can or would like. Come all morning, afternoon, or just for your child's skating time. Come everyday, every other day, or just once. Whatever works for you, will be a great help to the students and myself.

REQUIRED: Anyone interested in volunteering must fill out paperwork in the office for a **background check**. The paperwork must be completed by Dec. 21st in order for it to be approved prior to volunteering. We do not use volunteers for Jr. High Students.

5 th grade	8:35 – 9:00am	“A” Classes will skate on Jan. 9, 14, 16, 23, 28, TBD “B” Classes will skate on Jan. 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29
4 th grade	9:00 – 9:25am	“A” Classes will skate on Jan. 9, 14, 16, 23, 28, TBD “B” Classes will skate on Jan. 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29
3 rd grade	9:25 – 9:50am	“A” Classes will skate on Jan. 9, 14, 16, 23, 28, TBD “B” Classes will skate on Jan. 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29
1 st grade	10:15 – 10:40am	“A” Classes will skate on Jan. 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25 “B” Classes will skate on Jan. 10, 14, 15, 17, 22, 24, 28, 29, TBD “C” Classes will skate on Jan. 9, 11, 15, 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 29
8 th grade	10:53 – 11:38pm	Will skate for 5 days – dependent on Health and Fitness
7 th grade	12:47 – 1:32pm	Will skate for 5 days – dependent on Health and Fitness
6 th grade	1:34 – 2:19pm	Will skate for 5 days – dependent on Health and Fitness
2 nd grade	2:35 – 3:00pm	“A” Classes will skate on Jan. 11, 14, 15, 18, 22, 25, 29, TBD “B” Classes will skate on Jan. 10, 14, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, TBD “C” Classes will skate on Jan. 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25

The most help is needed with the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd graders although the 4th and 5th graders could use some help with tying the skates, so they have more time to skate.

PROTECTIVE GEAR

Again, knee guards and helmets are not mandatory for indoor skating, if you feel more comfortable having your child wear them, that's just fine! Please have your child's name on all of their equipment so that if it is lost it can be returned. Wrist guards will be provided to all the students.

Thank you very much for your help! I am sure that you will have a great time sharing this experience with your child and the students at Willow Springs School!

Jason Noble and Emily Moses, Physical Education Teachers

FREE Adult ESL & GED

Register
Now!

courses offered by SD104 & ACHS

Spring courses starting the week of January 22nd for residents of:
SD104 and ACHS 217.

Please check, date, location and time for registration!

English as a second language

DEVELOP YOUR READING, WRITING, LISTENING AND SPEAKING SKILLS.

Daytime ~ ESL Classes at Summit Library

Mondays and Wednesdays BEGINNERS
Tuesdays and Thursdays -INTERMEDIATE
From 10:00 -12:30pm

Registration will be on First Day!

Tuesday- January 22, 2019
at 10:00 am
At Summit Public Library

Evening~ ESL Classes at Argo Community High School

Mondays and Wednesdays -BEGINNERS
Tuesdays and Thursdays- INTERMEDIATE
From 5:30 -8:00pm

Registration will be on First Day!

Tuesday- January 22, 2019
at 5:30 pm
At Argo Community High School

Earn your GED in SPANISH

Preparation course for the General Educational Development exam.

Evening ~ GED Prep course in Spanish at Argo Community High School
Monday through Thursday
From 5:30-8:00pm

Registration will be on Frist Day!

Tuesday- January 22, 2019 at 5:30 pm at Argo Community High School

SPACE IS LIMITED!! Courses are January through May

For more information, please contact the ELL Department (708) 458-0506

CONEX

Conservation Expo

**FREE EVENT
ALL AGES**

**SATURDAY JANUARY 12
NOON - 4PM**

**A.A. STAGG HIGH SCHOOL
8015 111th St, Palos Hills IL**

**Exhibits - Food/Craft Vendors
Kids Activities - LIVE ANIMALS**

**For more info email
conex4me@gmail.com**

*** Not a District Sponsored Activity**

WINTER WEATHER

A friendly reminder to parents to bundle up their student(s) for school

8:10am Morning Supervision is it indoor or outdoor? The target temperature is 20 degrees. Students will stay indoors if the temperature is 19 degrees or lower. Students will remain outdoors if the temperature is 20 degrees or above.

Recess indoors: The temperature is 19 degrees or lower. K-5 Students will have recess in the gymnasium.

Recess Outdoors: The temperature is 20 degrees and above. All K-5 students will go outside for a 20 minute recess. Students will be allowed to play in the snow if they are dressed appropriately.

DRESSING FOR COLD WEATHER

Adding layers will help keep you warm as the temperature drops

CHILLY
 1-2 layers
 long layer
 outer layer to keep out wind, rain
 warm shoes
 NOAA
 weather.gov/cold

COLD
 2-3 layers
 warm hat
 gloves
 outer layer to keep out wind, wet snow
 boots
 1-2 layers
 water proof

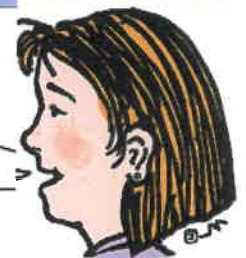
EXTREME COLD
 3+ layers
 1 insulating
 warm hat
 face mask
 outer layer to keep out wind
 gloves
 2+ layers
 boots
 water proof

Student : Can I play in the snow?

Principal: Yes, but you must have the snow 5s.

Student: What are the snow 5s?

Principal: The snow 5s are: Winter coat, winter hat, snow gloves, snow boots and snow pants



The SNOW 5s

1: Winter Coat

2: Winter Hat

3: SnowGloves

4: Snow Boots

5: Snow Pants



In need of a winter coat? Please see the staff in the office. We have a limited supply of coats for those in need.

**WILLOW SPRINGS LIONESSE CLUB
SCHOLARSHIP**

SELECTIONS WILL BE BASED ON:

- A- Current resident of Willow Springs, Illinois for at least one year.
- B- Applicants must have at least a 3.0 cumulative grade point average in a 4.0 system. A legible transcript must be included with application.
- C- Must be currently enrolled or accepted to an accredited college, university, or community college, as a full time student. (12 semester hours or more)
- D- Must show interest in outside academic activities (EX- school/community clubs, office held, awards etc)
- E- Financial need/academic performance
- F- Applications should be sent to
Cindy Layer
%Willow Spring School
8345 So. Archer
Willow Springs, Illinois 60480
Or email
Clayer@willowspringsschool.org

**** All Applications are due by Friday, February 15, 2019****

All applicants will be notified when selection is completed.

WILLOW SPRINGS LIONESS CLUB
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

TO THE APPLICANT: THIS APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED OR PRINTED AND RETURNED NO LATER THAN February 15,2019. NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN ON APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THIS DATE. THIS INFORMATION IS TO BE USED BY THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE AND AS SUCH IT IS CONSIDERED CONFIDENTIAL.

1. Name _____ Gender _____ Birthdate _____
2. Home Address _____
3. How long have you resided at this address? _____
4. Telephone number _____ Cell phone number _____
5. Father's Name _____ Father's Occupation _____
6. Father's Employer _____
7. How long employed there? _____ Full or part time? _____
8. Mother's Name _____ Mother's occupation _____
9. Mother's employer _____ How long there? _____
10. Full or part time? _____
11. Number of dependent children in family? Brothers _____ Ages _____
Sisters _____ Ages _____
12. What School do you attend? _____
13. What is your cumulative GPA? _____ in a _____ point system.
14. List the extra curricular activities in which you have participated while in high school including offices held and number of years participated.

15. If currently attending college, list the extra curricular activities in which you have participated including offices held and number of years participated.

16. In what clubs or activities (not directly connected with school) have you participated?

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17. What awards or honors have you received? _____
18. What college do you plan to attend? _____ Major _____
19. Will you be attending full time (12 semester hours or more)? _____
20. Have you applied? _____ Have you been accepted? _____
21. How much will it cost to attend this school for one year? _____
Tuition _____ Room and Board _____ Fees(books etc) _____
22. How much contribution do you expect from your parents? _____
From self? _____
23. What part time or full time jobs have you had in the past two years? _____ How many hours did you work? _____
24. Are you currently employed? _____ If so where? _____
How many hours do you currently work? _____
25. Will you accept work-study aid in college? _____
26. Do you plan to work this summer? _____ Where? _____
27. Please explain your qualifications for a scholarship and your financial needs:

28. List any scholarships, grants or loans you have applied for and/or been awarded and their value _____
29. List the number of persons in your immediate family that will be attending college or vocational school next year. _____
30. On a separate piece of paper, write 150-200 words on why you wish to continue your education and explain your career plans.

****PLEASE ATTACH ESSAY AND GRADE TRANSCRIPTS TO THIS FORM AND RETURN TO: Cindy Layer, Lioness Scholarship CO-Chairperson, % Willow Springs School 8345 South Archer, Willow Springs, Illinois 60480. Or email clayer@willowsschool.org**

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____