

OCTOBER - 2019 School News

Wahoo Middle School

Inspiring our students to thrive, **BE AWESOME & Kind!!**



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OCTOBER DATE REMINDERS:

- 1:30 PM DISMISSAL - October 9th
- MS PTO Meeting - October 14th / 7:00 PM
- Parent/Teacher Conferences - October 16th & 17th
- NO SCHOOL - October 18th

ATHLETIC & ACTIVITIES DATES:

- MS Cross Country @ Lincoln Lutheran - October 3rd / 4:00 PM
- MS Volleyball - @ Arlington - September 7th / 4:00 PM

Check out full schedules on the school website under "Activities Calendar"



STUDENTS TAKE OFFICE!!!

New Student Council Officers elected for the school year!

Wahoo Middle School rapped up the 2019-20 student council elections that placed five students in new leadership roles. ALL student candidates did a fantastic job of campaigning and worked very hard to promote themselves as great leaders. *This year's officers include: President- Jase Maly, Vice President- Barrett Lavaley, Secretary- Cassidy Beavers, Treasurer- Hannah Herrera, and Historian- Lilly Obert.*

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Campaigning was in full force at WMS

One of the most exciting week's of the school year at Wahoo Middle School is student council campaign week. Students put a tremendous amount of work and effort to promote their campaigns. From flyers to posters on the walls, some students went to no expense to make sure their messages were loud and clear to the student body.

Students ran their campaign for one week and finished with a three to five minute speech to the student body. With voting taking place the next day, students had to really sell their plans and how they would help lead Wahoo Middle School for the new school year. Students had to market themselves well early, building solid reputations, and maintaining positive relationships.



TEACHER SPOTLIGHT – ERIK EMERSON (6TH & 7TH GRADE SCIENCE)

Years of Teaching: 15 years

Hometown: Franklin, NE

College/University Attended: University of Nebraska - Kearney

Hobbies: College Football, Travel, Reading and watching his kids play sports

Interesting fact about Mr. Emerson: He and his family moved to Wahoo three months ago.



PRINCIPAL'S PAGES

Digital Technology Citizenship



What is Common Sense and why is Wahoo Public Schools using this curriculum?

How can parents use it at home?

GOAL: To call attention to the outsized influence of media and technology on kids' lives and to empower families with the information they need to be advocates for their children.

Our kids are on the front lines of a digital revolution. Devices, social networks, and media are changing childhood in radical ways. We all want kids to grow up healthy and happy as the world accelerates around them. It's much harder to keep up with how kids use technology now that the lines have blurred and moving from real life to digital life is as easy as asking your phone a question.

Common Sense helps parents, schools, and policymakers navigate accelerating technology landscape. Today, the mission is to ensure that kids' digital well-being is more relevant and vital than ever.

Common Sense is the go-to source of information about kids' well-being in the digital age. Click on the link below to see all of the great resources and tips about technology usage that can help you at home. If you have any questions or concerns about technology please feel free to contact the school office.

<https://www.common sense media.org/>



AWESOME Board Awards.... Students being awesome and kind!



NEW - Wahoo Middle School Spirit Committee

Welcome to the Wahoo Middle School Spirit Committee! I'm so glad you're here to help support your fellow classmates and the activities they participate in!

We will be using our time together to decorate posters to cheer on our athletic and musical performers. We will meet in the middle school commons area on these days and times!

Tuesday, October 1st @ 3:30pm-5:00pm (Band, Choir, Show Choir)

Tuesday, October 8th @ 7:00am-8:00am

Monday, November 11th @ 7:00am-8:00am & 3:30pm-5:00pm (Basketball, Wrestling)

March TBA (Track)

You're free to bring any supplies you'd like to use and/or share. If you have any questions, please let me know via email @ julie.warford@hotmail.com or by texting me at 402-616-5779.



****MS OFFICE NEWS FLASH****

▶ *Reminders from the office:*

- *If your child is leaving early or coming in late please remind them to sign in or out in the office.*
- *Please make sure you notify the office if your address, email or phone numbers changes.*
- *Any questions? Never hesitate to call, if I don't know the answer, I will find someone who does! (402)443-3101*

▶ *Reminders from Nurse Trutna:*

- *If your child is feeling ill we request that they come to the Nurse's office before contacting a parent. We ask for your help by encouraging them to go to the Nurse's office before you come to pick them up.*
- *Students need to be fever free without reducing medics for 24 hours before returning to school.*
- *If your 7th grader has not received their Tdap immunization or physical, please do so immediately and return the paperwork to the office.*
- *If at any time during the year your child is diagnosed with a communicable disease, please let Nurse Trutna know.*

Please try and read email messages sent home from the school.... always important to keep updated

HELPFUL INFORMATION & LINKS

www.wahooschools.org

Middle School Daily

**Announcements: [https://
goo.gl/6aSJ63](https://goo.gl/6aSJ63)**

**Lunch Calendar: [https://
goo.gl/DqnEYB](https://goo.gl/DqnEYB)**

**IXL Link: [https://www.ixl.com/signin/
wahoops](https://www.ixl.com/signin/wahoops)**

**Twitter: Wahoo Public Schools
@wahoopublic**

**More Wahoo Middle School
information: [https://goo.gl/
gyYdap](https://goo.gl/gyYdap)**

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**“Activities Calendar”: [https://
goo.gl/ZwCaju](https://goo.gl/ZwCaju)**

**Power School: [https://
wahoo.powerschool.com/public/](https://wahoo.powerschool.com/public/)**

Reminder!

**Keep collecting Box
Tops and receipts
from Corner
Market and
SunMart. There is a
collection point in
the office.**

Free Clothing Closet

**Calvary Church - 558 W.
16th Street, Wahoo
2nd Sunday of Each Month
**Free clothes, shoes,
hats, coats, books, etc.
No donations are being
taken at this time.**