

PAW PRINTS

WA NEWSLETTER - FEBRUARY 2022

PRESIDENTS' DAY HOLIDAY – MON., FEB. 21

Congratulations to our Class of 2022 Superlatives!

Valedictorian – Ashleigh Overstreet

Salutatorian – Maddox Decker

Honor Students – Ashleigh Overstreet, Maddox Decker, Anna Crosswhite

Varsity Basketball Update –

The varsity girls and boys basketball teams will play at Southern on Tuesday, February 1st. The girls game begins at 5:00 and the boys will play at 6:30. The winners of these games will advance to the AISA State Tournament in Montgomery next week.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE JUNIOR HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM!

They defeated Chambers 50-21 and Lakeside 63-27 to win the Junior High State Invitational Tournament held at Lowndes Academy on Saturday, January 22. All-Tournament Team selections were JP Beck, Julian Curry, and Abe Crosswhite.

2022 Wilcox Academy Science Fair Winners

7th grade

1st place – Dirty Doors Can You Handle It – Marcee Dailey*

2nd place – Plop Plop Fizz Fast – BoBraeden Agee*

3rd place – Do Heavier Arrows Penetrate More – Andrew Malone*

Honorable Mention – Oxidation Station – Taylor Steen*; Champion Flavor – Raedyn Pope*; Gummy Bear Osmosis – Walt Etheridge*

9th grade

1st place – Effective Erosion Control – Cason Martens*

2nd place – Don't Be a Fool, Make Earth Cool – Turner Jordan*

3rd place – Infective Control Is in Your Hands – Lizzie Alford*

Honorable Mention – Let's Burn Some Calories – Ansley Parker

11th grade

1st place – For the Thrill Seeker in Us All – Mary Clayton Cooper*

2nd place – Race to Recovery – Barrett Travis*

3rd place – Scorching Cities – Alexander Malone*

Honorable Mention – It's Electric – Copelyn Vick

BEST OF SHOW – Mary Clayton Cooper – For the Thrill Seeker in Us All

*Advanced to the District Science Fair on January 20th.

District III Science Fair Winners –

Jr. High Biological Experiments – 1st Marcee Dailey; 3rd Raedyn Pope

Physical Experiments – 3rd BoBraeden Agee

Sr. High Physical Experiments – 1st Cason Martens; 2nd Alexander Malone,

3rd Turner Jordan

CONGRATULATIONS TO CASON MARTENS – 2ND PLACE STATE SCIENCE FAIR

CHEER TRYOUTS – Junior High and Varsity cheer tryouts will be held on Friday, February 25th.

ACT registration - WA is participating in the statewide school day ACT testing program and will give the ACT for all juniors on March 29 during school hours at the CUMC Fellowship Hall. Registration for this test will be done by WA – not on the ACT website.

SENIOR INFORMATION

- Scholarship Deadline reminders –
 - Wallace Foundation – February 15th
 - Rural Electric Cooperative – received by February 18th
 - Simpson Foundation – March 1 - online application
 - College Counts Scholarship – February 28

UPCOMING EVENTS.....

February 1, 2, 3	Region Basketball
February 7-9	Elite 8
February 10-12	Final Four Basketball Tournament
February 21	Presidents' Day Holiday – no school
February 18	All-Star Basketball Game

February 25	JV/Varsity Cheer Try-outs
March 4	End of 3 rd 9 weeks
March 4	Junior-Senior Prom
March 21-25	Spring Break
March 29	ACT at WA – Juniors only
April 15	Good Friday Holiday – no school
April 18	Easter Monday – Professional development – no school
May 13	Honors Day
May 15	Baccalaureate
May 16-18	Second Semester Exams
May 19	Graduation

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