

# Westbrook Walnut Grove Charger Report

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## STUDENTS

We will now have school on Mon., Feb. 15.

Happy birthday to Nou V.

01. **Lunch today:** Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes w/gravy, vegetables w/dip, fruit, bread & milk.

**Lunch tomorrow:** Chicken nuggets, baby cakes, carrot sticks, fruit, bread, & milk.

02. **Life 101** on Wed., Feb. 24 at 12:50-11:30. All 9-12 will eat lunch at 11:31.

- 10<sup>th</sup> gr. meets in the auditorium.

03. Remember to sign up for the late shuttle by noon each day that you ride.

### 04. College/Military Reps

### 05. FFA NEWS:

- MT. Kato ski trip on FEB 15th is ON AGAIN. See Mr. Barron if you have questions.
- FFA **Job Interview** Practice - **Fri, 2/12 @ 3:05** pm Ag Room.
- FFA **Farm Management** Practice - **Fri, 2/12 @ 3:15** pm Ag Room.
- FFA **Floriculture** Practice - **Fri, 2/12 @ 3:15** pm Ag Room.
- FFA **Meats** Practice - **Fri, 2/12 @ 5:15** pm Ag Room.

### 06. FCCLA NEWS

### 07. SENIOR NEWS:

08. Check out the new books at the Media Center.  
Purple Heart Author- McCormick, Patricia  
Lexile-800

While recuperating in a Baghdad hospital from a traumatic brain injury sustained during the Iraq War, eighteen-year-old soldier Matt Duffy struggles to recall what happened to him and how it relates to his ten-year-old friend, Ali.

09. The cheer team will not be attending the Target Center game on Monday so they can continue to expand their brilliant brains here at school.

10. Jazz band practices on Tuesday mornings at 7:30 AM.

11. They're done! The cookbooks are ready to be purchased at a \$10.00 per book.  
See Mr. Lee, only 200 printed.

12. On Thursdays Mrs. Peg Olsem will be available from 3:30 to 5:30 to assist students with homework. She will be in the Media Center.

13. A dance for 7th and 8th graders to be held **Feb 19** 6:00-9:00 PM, in the auditorium. Bus will be provided from and back to WG.

Admission - \$2.00, includes food and punch  
\$1.00 for pop or water

14. Junior High jazz band after school Monday, Feb. 15.

15. Congratulations to the following students on being selected for the 6-8, 9-10 Southwest Minnesota Honor Band Festival in Marshall on Sat., Feb. 20: Megan D., Amy N., Maddie F., Katie D., Michael P., Xong Y., Jarett H., Tyson B., Shimeng V., Andrew P., Caleb D. and Steven Y.. Students please see Mrs. Derickson sometime before the festival.

16. Speech Team members grades 7-12: Remember we have a speech tourney at Redwood Falls on Saturday. Bus leaves Westbrook at 7:00 a.m. and Walnut Grove at 7:20 a.m. Please see Mrs. Enstad Friday after school for a practice session. Registration is also being set for the speech tourney in Pipestone for Saturday, February 20.

### 17. Scholarship deadlines

Feb. 20- Redwood Elec. Coop

Feb. 28- [www.mnsoybean.org](http://www.mnsoybean.org)

March 1- Sammy [www.bodymilk.com](http://www.bodymilk.com)

Valley Will Fund  
American Legion Aux.

18. Knowledge Bowl - Next meet is Feb. 22 in Redwood, weather permitting. The Sub region is Mar. 8. Three teams are registered.

19. One Act Play cast will be on a trip on Thurs., 2/11 and Fri., 2/12. Caleb M., Nathan O., Shane S., Sara S., Sena V., PaNou V., Elsie V., Ia Ong V., Katie X., Malia Y.

20. Musical auditions for grades 7 & 8 will be done for those available on Monday, 2/15 at 4 pm.

21. Students who are not on the basketball team but who wish to attend the game at the Target Center on Mon., 2/15 must meet the following criteria: Are you

going with your parents? Have your parents given prior notice to the office that you will be absent that day? Are you academically on track? If you can answer "yes" to all these questions, then you are absent excused. Karen **MUST** have parent permission by 3:00 PM on Friday, Feb. 12.

22. Dress Sale for the American Cancer Society at SMSU on Feb. 27 & 28. See bulletin board outside HS office for details.

23. Cafeteria Use -  
Sat., Feb. 20, 8:30-3:30 - Elem. BB Tourney Concessions

24. The Lions Club will be hosting a soup and sandwich supper at the boys' basketball game on Tues., 2/16 beginning at 5:00 PM.

#### 25. **National Honor Society -**

If you meet the criteria, you may be interested in being a member of the NHS. To qualify you must be in grades 9-12, have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0, and be involved in school and community activities. If you think you may qualify, pick up an information form from the HS office. You need to fill it out and return it, signed, to the HS office by Fri., 2/26.

If you filled out a form last year but did not make it, you may pick up the form and update it for this year.

Those who are already members of NHS should pick up their form from past years and update it with current information.

26. Juniors-pick up bar pans from Whopper Feed in Mrs. Duerksen's room.

27. Mountain Lake Chess Tournament will be held March 6 from 9-1. Entry fee \$10 includes meal. Registration by Feb. 26th. Please get form from Mr. P.

#### 28. **Athletics Update -**

Girls bb vs MLBO moved from Tues., 2/9/10 to Friday, Feb. 19 at 6:15 at Westbrook

Boys bb vs SWC moved from Tues., 2/9/10 to Thursday, Feb. 18 at 6:15 at SWC(Edgerton)

29. These students will be absent all day Mon., 2/15 to play basketball at the Target Center. Mason C., Mitchell C., Pat S., Jon L., Spencer K., Dalton T., Aaron T., Jake C., David M., Dylan J., Taylor L., Aaron H., Reed B., Nathan B., John E., Dana M., Andrew M., Matt O., Shane B., Alex K.  
Coaches: Mr. Jenniges, Mr. Merrick, Mr. LeBoutillier

30. The Wrestling Triangular that was postponed last Friday has been rescheduled for Thursday (Today) at Tracy VMC. Teams participating are Montevideo, MACCRAY and TMB/WWG. Wrestling will start at 5:00pm.

5:00pm - MACCRAY vs. Montevideo  
6:30pm - MACCRAY vs. TMB/WWG  
8:00pm - Montevideo vs. TMB/WWG  
Times are approximate.

31. Congratulations to the band and choir on a job well done. Many thanks to all who helped and a special thanks to the administration, custodians, faculty and coaches for help in set up, tear down and use of the gym.

## **STAFF**

01. Weekly Progress Reports are due on Thursday. They are printed by 7:45 AM on Friday.

02. American Cancer Society DAFFODIL DAYS. Order a bunch of daffodils for \$10. Deadline is Friday, February 19th. Sign up in the staff workroom.

03. Parent/Teacher conferences are on Tues., 2/23 from 4:00-8:00 pm. Please let Karen know if you will not be available for the entire time period. (There is a boys' BB game that evening.)

04. We need a supervisor for the boys' bb game on Mon., 3/1/10. See Karen if you can help.

05. All invoice/expenses to be paid this month must be in by Thurs., noon, 2/11/10.

06. Due to the snow day Tuesday, the game that I was supposed to supervise was moved to Friday, February 19. I have already registered and committed to an Education MN President's Appreciation that weekend in the cities. Is anyone able or willing to supervise this basketball game or is anyone willing to switch games with me? Any help would be greatly appreciated. Mrs. Duerksen

## **OTHER HAPPENINGS**

**Fri., 2/12** - Youth wrestling at WG.

**Mon., 2/15** - ECFE at WB, 6:15.

**Tues., 2/16** - School Board at WG, 7:00.

**Wed., 2/17** - Adult VB, 7:00 pm, gym

**Thurs., 2/18** - Values & Choices parent meeting, 6:00 PM.

## **WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Thurs., 2/11** - BB at Okabena, 6:15.

WR at Tracy VMC, 5:00.

7/8 BB & GB Conf. Trny, 4:30. GB at Adrian, BB at Mtn. Lake.

**Fri., 2/12** - GB, RRC at Jeffers, 6:15. Bus leaves WB at 5:00.

WR at Worthington, 6:00 PM. Van leaves WB at

2:50.

**Sat., 2/13** - BB (Varsity only), RTR at SMSU, Marshall, 2:30. Bus leaves WB at 11:00.

GB (Varsity only), RTR at SMSU, Marshall, 1:00.

Bus leaves WB at 11:00.

WR, Plum Creek Trny at Tracy, 10:00 AM.

7/8 BB & GB Conf. Trny.

Speech at Redwood Valley.

**Mon., 2/15** - BB (Varsity & B) vs Royalton at Target Center, Minneapolis, 12:00 noon. Bus leaves at 7:30 AM.

4-6 gr. BB vs MCC at WB, 6:00 PM.

**Tues., 2/16** - BB Parents' Night at WB, 5:00. Pep band plays. Cheer Team at 1/2 time. Concessions-One Nation, Supervisor-Theisen.

WR, Team Section at Marshall.

**Thurs., 2/18** - BB, SWC at Edgerton, 5:00.

GB, Edgerton at WB, 6:15. 5/6 GB at 1/2 time.

Concessions-Seniors, Supervisor-Knott.

**Fri., 2/19** - BB at Edgerton Public, 6:15.

GB, MLBO at WB, 6:15. 5/6 GB at 1/2 time.

WR Team Section Final at Tracy.

**Sat., 2/20** - BB, Ellsworth at WB, 5:00.

6<sup>th</sup> gr. GB & BB tourney at WB, 8:30 AM.

Speech at Luverne.