Wilmot Union High School



WUHS TODAY



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WELCOME BACK, PANTHERS!

Welcome back to another incredible school year! We've missed your energy, curiosity, and all the amazing moments that make our school a vibrant community. Whether you're returning as seasoned upperclassmen or stepping into a new chapter as freshmen, we're thrilled to have each and every one of you with us.

Over the summer, you've all grown in unique ways, and we can't wait to hear about your adventures, new hobbies, and discoveries. As you reenter these hallways, remember that you're not just students, but explorers of knowledge, creators of friendships, and architects of your future.

This year promises fresh opportunities to challenge yourselves, delve into exciting subjects, and create lasting memories. From engaging lessons to captivating extracurricular activities, there's something for everyone. Let's embrace the challenges and triumphs that lie ahead, knowing that every step you take brings you closer to your dreams.

As you reunite with old friends and forge new connections, remember that you are part of a supportive community. Lean on each other, collaborate, and lift one another up. Together, we can make this school year one of growth, compassion, and success.

So, welcome, and welcome back, Panthers! Let's make this year the best one yet. Here's to the journey ahead and all the incredible achievements waiting to be unlocked. Shine brightly and make your mark!

THE NEXT BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS WILL BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 11TH AT 4:30PM & SEPTEMBER 27TH AT 6:00PM IN THE WUHS LIBRARY .

THE ANNUAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON OCTOBER 18TH AT 6:00PM IN THE AUDITORIUM.

CLICK HERE FOR THE 2023-2024 BOARD
OF EDUCATION CALENDAR OR FOLLOW THE QR CODE.





WILMOT UHS NEWSLETTER

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A MESSAGE FROM DR. PLOURDE



New WUHS Staff from L to R: Dave Dvorak, Cortney Youngblood, Benedict Behrens, Elizabeth Rebollar, Cindy Duecker, Hannah Brendel, Kristen Pye, Austin Delgado, and AJ Frisby. Not pictured: Dave Betz, Mike Dannis, and Jennifer Obertin.

I am thrilled to introduce the newest members of our Wilmot UHS staff, who will undoubtedly contribute to the continued growth and success of our school. Each of these individuals brings a wealth of talent and expertise to their respective roles, and we are excited to have them join our team! Please take a moment to extend a warm welcome to these outstanding individuals when you meet them. We believe their contributions will greatly enrich our school community, and we look forward to the positive impact they will make on our students.

- Benedict Behrens German, English as a Second Language, English Language Arts: With a passion for languages and a deep understanding of education, Mr. Behrens will be sharing his love of German, ESL, and ELA to enrich our students' linguistic and literary skills.
- Dave Betz Business Manager (Interim): Mr. Betz steps into the role of Interim Business Manager, bringing his many years of experience to ensure the efficient management of our school's financial and operational aspects.
- Hannah Brendel Family and Consumer Sciences: Ms. Brendel's knowledge of the service and hospitality industries as well as culinary arts will empower students with practical life skills, nurturing their understanding of various aspects of home and family life.
- Mike Dannis Chemistry: Mr. Dannis joins us to ignite a passion for chemistry in our students, fostering curiosity and scientific inquiry in the world of atoms and molecules.
- Austin Delgado Math: Mr. Delgado's passion for mathematics will inspire our students to explore the world of numbers, equations, and problem-solving, fostering a strong foundation in this critical subject.
- Cindy Duecker Registrar: As our Registrar, Ms. Duecker will play a pivotal role in managing student records and ensuring the smooth functioning of our administrative processes.
- Dave Dvorak Band: Mr. Dvorak's musical talents will resonate through our school as he leads our band, nurturing students' artistic expressions and fostering a sense of unity through music.
- AJ Frisby PE/Health: Mr. Frisby's commitment to physical education and health will guide our students toward active and healthy lifestyles, promoting well-being and self-care.
- Jennifer Obertin Art: Through Ms. Obertin's guidance, our students will delve into the world of artistic creativity, exploring ceramics and foundational art skills.
- Kristen Pye School Counselor: Ms. Pye's experience in counseling and guidance will provide our students with the support they need to navigate academic and personal challenges, fostering their holistic development.
- Elizabeth Rebollar School Nurse: With a caring touch, Nurse Rebollar will ensure the health and well-being of our students, offering medical expertise and a nurturing presence.
- **Kelly Schumacher Special Ed Specialist:** Ms. Schumacher's background in special education and office management will provide essential support to ensure the smooth operation of our comprehensive programming for students with disabilities.
- Cortney Youngblood Associate Principal of Student Services: As Associate Principal of Student Services, Ms. Youngblood will work to enhance the overall student experience, ensuring a safe, supportive, and inclusive

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL:

BACK TO SCHOOL

Dear Students, Parents, and Staff,

As we approach the beginning of another academic year, I want to extend a warm welcome to each and every one of you. Whether you're returning students or a new student I am excited to embark on this journey of learning and growth together. Wilmot is more than just a building; it's a community where we come together to explore, discover, and inspire. I am looking forward to my second year at Wilmot and am excited for another wonderful school year.

This year, our focus remains on providing an exceptional education that not only equips our students with knowledge but also nurtures their creativity, critical thinking, and character. Our dedicated team of educators is committed to fostering an environment where curiosity thrives, and every student feels valued and empowered. As we continue to transition to Standards Based Grading we feel that we are able to help support all students to ensure academic success.

Students, I encourage you to approach this year with an open mind and a positive attitude. Embrace new challenges, ask questions, and take the initiative to make the most of your time here. Remember, your education is a journey, and each step you take brings you closer to your dreams.

Parents and guardians, your partnership is invaluable to us. We appreciate your trust in us to guide and support your children's educational journey. We promise to keep the lines of communication open and work together to create the best possible learning experience for your children.

As we start this new chapter, let's keep in mind that learning goes beyond the confines of the classroom. Let's embrace the opportunities for personal growth, community involvement, and the development of lifelong skills.

I look forward to seeing familiar faces and getting to know the new members of our school community. Together, we will make this year one of achievement, discovery, and memorable moments. Here's to a successful and enriching school year ahead!

Warmest regards, Robert Kreil - Principal

COLLEGE & CAREER NIGHT



Wilmot invites you to attend <u>College & Career Night</u> on Wednesday, September 27th, from 5:00-6:30pm.. This event will allow students and families to explore College and Career options. You will have the opportunity to meet with Public, Private and Technical College Admissions Staff, Military Representatives, Area Businesses and Labor Unions.

This event is not just for Wilmot students. If you, family members or friends are looking for employment opportunities or considering a career change, please join us on the 27th.

We look forward to seeing you at this event!

ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

THE ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES DEPARTMENT ARE NOW SELLING WUHS ALL SPORT SEASON PASSES & INDIVIDUAL TICKETS THROUGH GOFAN.

TICKETS FOR HOME EVENTS CAN NOW BE PURCHASED AHEAD OF TIME OR AT THE GATE.

PLEASE SEE THE INFORMATIONAL FLYER BELOW.

CLICK HERE TO LEARN HOW TO BUY, USE, AND

TRANSFER TICKETS ALONG WITH A QR CODE TO

OUR GOFAN WEBSITE.





COMMUNITY OUTREACH

<u>Pickleball @ Wilmot Union High School</u>

Begins Sept. 1st and is FREE to everyone in the community! All ages welcome.

Please bring your own paddle and extra balls if you have them.

Nets will be set up every moring starting at 6:00am and every night after tennis practice at 5:30pm.





FALL PAINTING
CLASSES

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER



OUR NEW COMMUNITY
PODCAST

CLICK HERE TO LISTEN & CHECK OUT OUR YOUTUBE CHANNEL

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

WILMOT UHS SHOWCASE

CLICK HERE TO REGSITER
OR EMAIL
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YOU ARE INVITED

WILMOT UHS SHOWCASE

FOR LOCAL CHURCH LEADERS AND MEMBERS



DATE

Tuesday, Sept. 26th



TIME

8:00AM - 10:00AM



LOCATION

Wilmot UHS Room 180 11112 308th Ave. Wilmot, WI 53192

BREAKFAST - REFRESHMENTS -DISCUSSION - SCHOOL TOUR -MEET THE STAFF

RSVP ONLINE OR EMAIL



WILMOT UHS FITNESS CENTER

MORNING HOURS:

MONDAY - FRIDAY 5:30 A.M. - 7:00 A.M.

EVENING HOURS:

MONDAY - FRIDAY 2:45 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.

WEEKEND HOURS:

SATURDAY 8:00 A.M. — 12:00 P.M.



WILMOT UHS FITNESS CENTER

CLICK HERE TO VIEW OUR PRICING
AND MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS
(OPEN TO AGES 12 & UP)

CLICK HERE TO VIEW OUR
UPCOMING FALL 2023 FITNESS
CLASSES
(OPEN TO AGES 12 AND UP)



A MESSAGE FROM STUDENT SERVICES & CTE

Call (888) 515-0595

or go to

caresolace.com/

wilmot

It's *okay* to ask for help

Care Solace connects students, staff, and their families to care. At no cost to you, Care Solace will quickly and confidentially find available mental health and substance use providers matched to your needs.

Find the right help at the right time.

24/7/365 Multilingual support

A multilingual team is available 24/7/365 to help
you understand options, call providers on your
behalf, and schedule an appointment.

Care regardless of insurance
Connect to care with any coverage including
Medicaid, Medicare, and sliding scale options for
those without insurance.

Easy access to care
Use Care Match, the self-serve website, to find a provider or services on your own.

Please note: Care Solace is not an emergency response service or mental health services provider. In the event of a life threatening emergency, call 9-1-1 or the National Suicide Hotline 9-8-8.

CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFO!

CARESOLACE:
24/7/365 MENTAL
HEALTH CARE
COORDINATION
SERVICE FOR OUR
WILMOT UNION HIGH
SCHOOL STUDENTS,
STAFF, AND FAMILIES

<u>Promoting Mental Wellness — Seminar</u>



Promoting Mental Wellness for You and Your Kids

WED 8 NOV

LOCATION: WESTOSHA CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL (NEW COMMONS AREA) 6:00-7:30

Dr. Leah Featherstone, Clinical Administrator for Professional Service Group will be presenting some of her decades worth of experience supporting indiviuals in the area of mental health. Come enjoy a few snacks as we talk about different tools and tips to encourage mental wellness for you and your kids! Babysitting will be provided.



COMMUNITY PARTNERS SPOTLIGHT



BUILD MY FUTURE

EMAIL KARL RICHTER WITH QUESTIONS: RICHTERK@WILMOTHS.K12.WI.US



4-H EVENT

COMMUNITY PARTNER SPOTLIGHT.
FREE EVENT OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY!

2023-2024 BELL SCHEDULE

Bells Schedules for 2023-2024 School Year

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Monday, Tuesday & Friday		
Period 1	7:35	8:21
Period 2	8:26	9:12
Period 3	9:17	10:03
Period 4	10:08	10:54
Lunch 5A	10:54	11:24
Period 5A	11:29	12:15
Period 5B	10:59	11:45
Lunch 5B	11:45	12:15
Period 6	12:20	1:05
Period 7	1:10	1:55
Period 8	2:00	2:45
Wednesday & Thursday Block		
Period 1/2	7:35	8:53
Period 3/4	8:58	10:16
Homeroom	10:21	10:41
Lunch 5A/6A	10:41	11:11
Period 5A/6A	11:16	12:34
Period 5B/6B	10:46	12:04
Lunch 5B/6B	12:04	12:34
WARP	12:39	1:22
Period 7/8	1:27	2:45
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Tuesday Late Start		
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	12:25	12:58
5B 5B Lunch	11:55	12:28
	12:28	12:58
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2023-2024 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

WILMOT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
CALENDAR 2023-2024

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FOOD SERVICES



WHAT CAN I GET WITH FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH?

- PIZZA
- ANY ITEM ON THE DINER STATION EXCEPT FRIES (CHEESEBURGER, HOT DOG, CHICKEN SANDWICH, NUGGETS, ETC)
- ANY FRESH EXPRESS ITEM (GRAB AND GO SANDWICHES, WRAPS AND SALADS)
- INTERNATIONAL STATION
- FRESHWICH STATION
- BREAKFAST ITEMS: BREAKFAST SANDWICHES, HASHBROWNS, BAGELS, AND UNCRUSTABLES
- MILK

FREE AND REDUCED LUNCHES ALSO COME WITH A PIECE OF WHOLE FRUIT OR A VEGGIE SIDE

CLICK HERE TO VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE FOOD SERVICE FAO'S





HOMECOMING 2023 OCTOBER 2ND - OCTOBER 7TH

Dress Up days all week

Class spirit stick up for grabs

Homecoming Assembly Friday @ 2:00 PM
Homecoming Parade Friday @ 5:00 PM
Homecoming Game vs. Waterford Friday @ 7:00 PM
Homecoming Dance Saturday @ 7:00 PM

















SPECIAL ED RESOURCES



THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE PROVIDES
ADVOCACY RESOURCES IN
KENOSHA COUNTY RELATED TO
OLDER ADULTS AND PERSONS WITH
DISABILITIES. SOME OF THESE
ORGANIZATIONS MAY ALSO
PROVIDE INDIVIDUAL ADVOCACY
SERVICES AS WELL.

CLICK HERE!



262-862-2351 EXT. 150 HOPKINSB@WILMOTHS.K12.WI.US

STEPS TRANSITION COORDINATOR

Board of Education - Calendar:

https://www.wilmothighschool.com/BOE%20CALENDAR%202023 %202024.pdf

Physical Form - English:

https://www.wiaawi.org/Portals/0/PDF/Forms/PPE-form.pdf

Physical Form - Spanish:

https://www.wiaawi.org/Portals/0/PDF/Health/PPE-form-SPANISH.pdf

CVS Pharmacy - Minute Clinic:

https://www.cvs.com/minuteclinic/services/sports-physicals

Kenosha Urgicare:

https://kenoshaurgicare.com/

GOFAN:

https://gofan.co/app/school/WI19522

Fitness Center Membership:

https://www.wilmothighschool.com/about/fitness_center.cfm

Fall Fitness Offerings:

https://www.wilmothighschool.com/about/fitness_center.cfm

<u>Promoting Mental Wellness — Seminar:</u>

https://www.wilmothighschool.com/behaviors%20pic1.jpg

2023-2024 Application for Early Release or Late Arrival

https://www.wilmothighschool.com/Early%20Release%20Late%2 0Arrival%2023%2024.pdf

School Closure & Delay - Information:

https://www.wilmothighschool.com/Closing_Delay%20Information.pdf?fbclid=IwAR1XxRWNQVIOIj_LtfQX07aM4-bFw9iMBmXSx-QoBovePjjGgC_Rwo2yrHc

Advocacy Resources in Kenosha County:

https://www.kenoshacounty.org/1291/Advocacy-Organizations





