

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF UPDATES

JOHANNA Mracna will serve as the Assistant Superintendent of School Administration and Innovation/Interim Talent Development and Management.

This position was established to develop, support, supervise, coach, and evaluate the principals. She will support school and District school improvement planning; administer provisions of labor agreements; manage the employment life cycle; manage the employee and student handbooks; and oversee benefits, unemployment compensation, worker's compensation, and complete grant writing. Mracna will also serve as the interim for Talent Development and Management.

Mracna earned her Bachelor of Science from the University of Michigan with a focus on biology, chemistry, and classical archaeology. She earned her master's in teaching with a concentration in educational leadership from Marygrove College, and her education specialist with

a concentration in curriculum and instruction from Wayne State University.

Previously, Mracna served in the following roles: assistant superintendent of curriculum and instruction, high school principal for University High School, and

instructional lead teacher and high school teacher for Ferndale Public Schools.

Jen Teal has been selected to serve as the new principal of Gretchko Elementary School. Jen has been an administrator for the past two years, serving as the principal of Bloomfield Virtual K-5 and the associate principal at Bloomfield Hills Middle School. Prior to that, she served as instructional coach and IB teacher leader for

grades four through eight in Bloomfield Hills.

Jen earned her Bachelor of Arts from Albion College and her Master of Arts from Wayne State University. She holds a secondary professional teaching certificate and most recently earned her school administrator certificate.



Johanna Mracna



Jen Teal

JOIN US FOR FAMILY FUN NIGHT!

ONE of the annual traditions WBSD celebrates is Family Fun Night! Help us salute our military, police, and fire frontline workers who keep us safe daily! Each year, students, staff, and families from across the District enjoy bounce houses, face painting, the dunk tank, a photo booth, bubble soccer, a video game truck, police, fire, military vehicles, and so much more.

Please join us on September 16, 2022, from 5 - 7 p.m., and then help us cheer on our State Championship WBHS football team as they face-off against Clarkston at 7 p.m.

All activities are FREE! Learn more at www.wbsd.org.

WEST BLOOMFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

11th Annual

**FAMILY FUN
NIGHT**

**FRIDAY, SEPT. 16
5 P.M.**

★★★ Saluting our U.S. Military, Police, & Fire Heroes ★★★



DISTRICT STRATEGIC PLAN UPDATE

A District's strategic plan is an opportunity for the Board of Education, administration, staff, parents, families, students, and community to come together to express their goals for the future of our District. The strategic planning process evaluates



and changes the school district's direction in response to an ever-changing environment.

Through a systematic approach, strategic planning produces essential decisions and actions that form and guide District initiatives intended to serve our stakeholders. It is our opportunity to collectively create a roadmap that will guide our continuous improvement for the next five years.

In February 2021, Superintendent Hill and the Board of Education made a commitment to create a three-to-five-year strategic plan. The School Board formed a partnership with the

Michigan Association of School Boards to serve as facilitators for this project. The District, under the leadership of the School Board president and superintendent, completed a process that was data driven, inclusive of District stakeholders and focused on the priorities that will help the District succeed.

Eight community, parent/guardian, and staff forums and an electronic survey resulted in 805 people providing input for the planning process. A Strategic Planning Team of 63 community members, parents/guardians, staff, and students participated in an all-day planning retreat on April 9, 2022. The 29-member implementation team met to (a) review the demographic, achievement, and perception data; (b) formulate district goals; and (c) identify areas of strength and improvement. By the end of the retreat, the team had formulated goals and priority objectives for:

- Academics/Programs
 - Learning Environment and Culture
 - Personnel and Leadership
 - Communication and Community Involvement
 - Operations and Finance
- Throughout the planning process

the community expressed high expectations of West Bloomfield School District becoming a world-class school district and having all students graduate from high school. Even though some of the goals are

MISSION

To support each student's needs by providing the opportunities, experiences, and educational tools for their journey.

VISION

That all Students will be:
Communicators
Contributors
Critical Thinkers
Collaborators

....empowering each for life ahead.

BELIEF STATEMENTS

- All students can and will learn.
- Education is a shared responsibility between students, staff, and families.
- Equitable education is essential.
- Diversity enriches the community and education.
- Positive community, experiences, and relationships are key to student success.
- Everyone deserves to be seen, heard, and respected for who they are.

lofty, they represent the strong desire that has been expressed to embrace significant change and dramatically improve the school system academically, socially, and emotionally.

A critical component of a strategic plan is to document the philosophy via goals, objectives, and strategies. The plan also builds a systematic structure for accountability. The District will use data to provide measurements or indicators to evaluate the plan and implement



adjustments where needed. Our goal is to personalize the learning experiences with exceptional results for every student so that they are ready for career and/or college and

are ready to make health-enhancing life decisions.

This strategic plan will serve as our roadmap to this goal.

The world is ever-evolving, although the school setting in many places looks the same as it did 40 years ago. Currently, much of our workforce is employed in positions that didn't exist 20 years ago. The

challenge before our community in creating this plan was great: how can we prepare our students for a future that doesn't exist yet? We teach them to be lifelong learners, giving them the capability to think critically, solve problems, and meet new demands as they happen. The system and practices set forth in this plan allow for continuous improvement of our students academically, socially, and emotionally.

This strategic plan is a living document. It will serve as the guiding map for future planning, resource allocation, staff development, and decision-making over the next five years. We look forward to providing the community quarterly updates with regards to our progress.

Caps off to you!

CONGRATUATIONS, WBSD Class of 2022, on achieving this significant milestone in your life. We are extremely proud of our

Lakers! This year, the West Bloomfield High School graduation was held at Pine Knob Music Theater, and Oakland Early College celebrated at

the Smith Theatre at Oakland Community College. Both graduations were magnificent! Paddle hard to your next challenge, mighty Lakers!



WEST BLOOMFIELD
SCHOOL DISTRICT

A NEW HOME FOR ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

FOR the 2022-2023 school year, Roosevelt Elementary School will call the old West Bloomfield Middle School, also known as Abbott Middle School, home.

The District has been diligently working over the summer to update the building, adding new signage, painting classrooms, re-carpeting the hallways, and adjusting bathrooms to help meet the needs of our students more effectively. In addition to updates, additional building logistics were determined, such as moving furniture from one building to the other, updated transportation routes, combinations removed from lockers, and the relocation of the Kids Klub to the new space.

Once the updates were complete, Roosevelt teachers came in and put the

final touches on the building, creating beautiful classrooms for our students to learn in. During the fall, you will continue to see additional improvements, including a fenced-in playground.

The Roosevelt staff has done a remarkable job moving an entire school to the new location for this school year. WBSD is grateful for the support of our community. Thank you for helping us make this a wonderful new learning space for our students!



SUMMER LEARNING FUN

SUMMER learning has come to a close and our staff concluded with some tremendous capstone activities.

At the elementary level, we hosted two family fun days where families engaged in fun, student-driven activities. Students shared their favorite stories, pieces of writing, math games, and enjoyed the playground and outdoor spaces.

At the middle-school level, the Oakland Schools STEMi Mobile Innovation Station provided

opportunities for students to program traffic routes, interact with a CAT Excavator simulator, program a robotic arm, and participate in other innovative STEM career experiences. Students also shared their project-based learning presentations, which included business plans for food trucks and some amazing service-learning projects.

At the high school level, the summer learning staff focused on helping students improve their academic abilities and standing

as they approach graduation. With smaller class sizes, teachers were able to more effectively focus on individual needs and interests. As a result, students that were overwhelmed by certain tasks during the school year found a great deal of success during summer learning.

It was energizing to see so many students and families in our learning spaces. Thank you to all of our amazing students for putting the time, effort, and energy into summer learning!

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WEST BLOOMFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL Grand Opening

THE West Bloomfield School District (WBSD) is thrilled to announce that the new West Bloomfield Middle School (WBMS) opened its doors to students for the first day of school on August 29, 2022.

The site has been under construction since 2019. This state-of-the-art middle school will provide staff and students with opportunities to utilize the 4Cs: Collaboration, Communication, Critical Thinking, and Contribution.

Every student has been hand-scheduled and placed in a "house" where their English Language Arts, Social Studies, and Science teachers all have classrooms. Each house contains six classrooms, a science lab, and also a conference room for students to use. All of these classrooms open up into a large "family room", where students will have many opportunities to collaborate.



WBSD invites the community to join us for the Grand Opening/ Ribbon Cutting Ceremony of the new WBMS. The WBMS Grand Opening will be held on Thursday, September 22, 2022, from 6 - 8 p.m., with a short program beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the auditoria. WBMS is located at 6000 Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield. We hope to see you there!

Each House is comprised of sixth-, seventh-, and eighth-grade students. The intentional scheduling of students and structure of the houses creates opportunities for students to become leaders, provide mentorship to other students, and engage in meaningful discussions and debates.

**SUPERINTENDENT
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& GREET**

Dr. Daria H. Bazzi

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**Thursday, September 15
10 a.m.**

**Wednesday, September 28
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Do you know of any West Bloomfield High School alums you'd like to see in the spotlight? If so, please email alicia.chase@wbsd.org with their contact info and a brief background.



JACOB PODELL
WBHS Class of 2013

Jacob Podell is currently working in Chicago as a staff law clerk for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit. His role there is to advise federal judges on how to resolve federal appeals from Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin – with an emphasis on criminal and prisoner-rights cases.

Jacob received his J.D. from the University of Michigan Law School (2021). While in law school, he wrote voraciously, serving as an editor of the Michigan Law Review, where he published an academic piece on the availability of lawsuits for private parties to recoup the costs of cleaning hazardous waste sites. He also participated in the Moot Court Competition and won the Best Brief Award, interned for the Environmental Law Institute in Washington, D.C., and interned with the U.S. Attorney's Office for

the District of Alaska.

Prior to his legal studies, Jacob received his B.A. in Environmental Studies from the University of Michigan (2017). There, he was a competitor on the Mock Trial Team (captaining the team to Nationals), was appointed as the Chief Justice of the University of Michigan Student Body Government, volunteered for the University's LGBTQ+ Center, and served as the #1 grilled cheese fan in all of Ann Arbor.

When he's not in the courtroom, Jacob is an avid outdoor enthusiast. He took a post-bar-exam road trip from Chicago to Anchorage, Alaska – visiting, among others, the Badlands, Yellowstone, Banff, and Jasper national parks.

How has WBHS helped you on your current path?

By far, the most notable opportunity I took advantage of at WBHS was applying for the United States Senate Youth Program, with the help of my teacher. This program accepts only two high schoolers from each state and involves travel to Washington, D.C. to get a behind-the-scenes look at public service. Through this program, I personally met public servants at the

highest level of the federal government, including Justice Elena Kagan, Secretary of State John Kerry, and President Barack Obama.

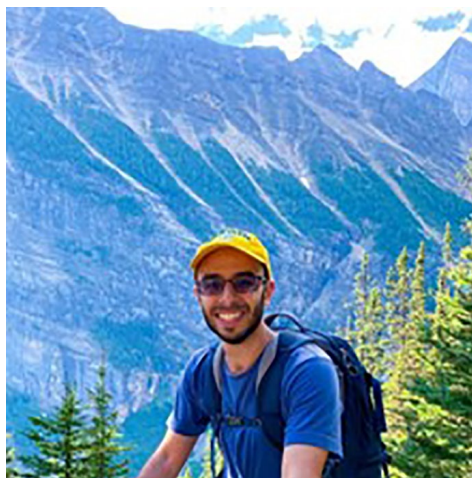
This amazing experience served as both inspiration to and guidance on how to become a public servant.

What advice do you have for our current students?

Write persuasively. It may seem like such an evergreen statement from a lawyer but this essential skill is just that. Any career you go into will have at least some component that requires you to research and then organize that evidence clearly – all with the goal of convincing someone of your point. Seek out opportunities to write, and, as importantly, seek out feedback on your writing. Solid writing skills are a good way to stand out early on in your post-high-school education or career.

Also, take a break. I took a gap year between undergrad and law school and a few months off between the bar exam and my first legal job. School can be tiring and the time off between transitions

can help you come back feeling refreshed and ready to tackle the new challenges that await you.



WBSD PERFORMING ARTS CALENDAR

PERFORMANCE	PLACE	DATE
WBHS Prism Concert	@ WBHS	Wednesday, October 19 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Fall Choir Concert	@ WBMS	Tuesday, October 25 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Fall Strings Concert	@ WBMS	Thursday, October 27 – 7 p.m.
WBHS Fall Play Performance	@ WBHS	Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 3-5 – 7 p.m.; Nov. 5 matinee – 1 p.m.
DCINY Holiday Choir Performance w/ Eric Whitacre Conducting	@ Carnegie Hall	NO TIME PROVIDED
Children's Play Performance	@ WBHS	Saturday, December 2 – 2 p.m.
WBMS Orchestra Concert	@ WBMS	Thursday, December 8 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Band Concert	@ WBMS	Tuesday, December 13 – 7 p.m.
WBHS Band Concert	@ WBHS	Thursday, December 15 – 7 p.m.
WBHS Choir Winter Concert	@ WBHS	Tuesday, December 20 – 7 p.m.
WBHS Orchestra Concert	@ WBHS	Thursday, January 12, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBSD Voice Day Concert	@ WBHS	Tuesday, February 7, 2023 – 12:30 p.m.
WBSD Pre-Fest Band Concert	@ WBHS	Thursday, February 9, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBSD Pre-Fest Strings Concert	@ WBHS	Thursday, February 16, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Musical	@ WBHS	Friday, March 3 and Saturday, March 4, 2023– 7 p.m.
Pre Fest Choir Concert	@ WBHS	Tuesday, March 7, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBHS MUSICAL	@ WBHS	Thursday-Saturday, April 27-29 – 7 p.m.; April 29, 2023 matinee – 1 p.m.
WBHS Spring Choir Concert	@ WBHS	Wednesday, May 11, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBHS Spring Band Concert	@ WBHS	Tuesday, May 16, 2023 – p.m.
WBHS Spring Orchestra Concert	@ WBHS	Thursday, May 18, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Musical Theater Performances	@ WBMS	Tuesday and Wednesday, May 30 and 31, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Choir Concert	@ WBMS	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Orchestra Concert	@ WBMS	Wednesday, June 7, 2023 – 7 p.m.
WBMS Band Concert	@ WBMS	Thursday, June 8, 2023 – 7 p.m.

**Performance dates and locations are subject to change or cancellation. Please check the District website calendar for the most updated information at www.wbsd.org.*

2022 VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Thursday 8-25-22	Stevenson	Away - Wayne State University	7 p.m.
Friday 9-2-22	Harper Woods	Home - West Bloomfield High School	7 p.m.
Friday 9-9-22	Stoney Creek	Away - Stoney Creek High School	7 p.m.
Friday 9-16-22	Clarkson - Family Fun Night	Home - West Bloomfield High School	7 p.m.
Friday 9-23-22	Rochester Adams	Away - Rochester Adams High School	7 p.m.
Friday 9-30-22	Lake Orion - Homecoming	Home - West Bloomfield High School	7 p.m.
Friday 10-7-22	Oxford	Home - West Bloomfield High School	7 p.m.
Friday 10-14-22	Southfield A & T	Away - Southfield A & T	7 p.m.
Friday 10-21-22	Eisenhower - Senior Night	Home - West Bloomfield High School	7 p.m.



**WEST BLOOMFIELD
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

HELPING PRESCHOOLERS THRIVE IN SCHOOL



PRESCHOOL can be the first time a child is away from home; the first time children are cared for by someone other than family; and the first time children are engaged, playing with a large group of their peers. Preschool is a tremendous year of firsts, with the first major milestone of education. There can be many feelings going on with both the parents and the children.

How can we help ensure both are ready for this exciting time?

1. Talk to your child about what to expect, bring your child to see the classroom, and meet the teacher before the first day of school.
 - a. Explore the room and areas where your child will be learning.
2. Read about experiences your child will have in preschool. The following books are wonderful resources:
 - a. All Are Welcome by Alexandra Penfold

NEW! Join the West Bloomfield Preschool Academy Facebook page. Please follow us at <https://www.facebook.com/wbsd.org> to see all of the exciting things that are happening this year!



- b. Our Class is a Family by Shannon Olsen
 - c. The Night Before Preschool by Natasha Wing
 - d. Lola Goes to School by Anna McQuinn
3. Make it exciting! Let your child pick out their backpack, lunchbox, and something comforting for them to have at rest time. Give them choices of what they want to bring.
4. Children this age sense how their parents are feeling – they are perceptive. Do your best to be positive when speaking with your child about this new experience. Share your worries about this new milestone with other adults

when your child is not around.

5. When dropping off your child, give your child a big hug and say goodbye. Even if they are crying and stuck to your leg, give them a big hug and say goodbye one time. Please know that our teachers are prepared for this and they will comfort your child. Our teachers will let you know how they are doing and they will make sure your child is feeling safe, nurtured, and loved. We understand how difficult this is, however, it is extremely important.
6. Building relationships is imperative. Talk with your child's teacher about how things are going and what you would like to see your child accomplish this year.

Our goal is for our children to leave preschool with a love for school and a strong social and academic foundation for learning. We cannot wait to see their smiling faces again!





WEST BLOOMFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

PORTRAIT of a GRADUATE

Calendar ^{2022 - 2023}

August 29	First Full Day of School for Students	January 16	Dr. MLK Jr. Day - No School
September 2	No School for Students & Staff	January 18	Half Day - HS Only
September 5	Labor Day - No School	January 19	Half Day - All Schools
September 23	No School for Students	January 20	Half Day - All Schools
September 26	No School for Students & Staff	February 1	No School for Students
October 5	No School for Students & Staff	February 20 - 21	Mid-Winter Break
November 1	No School for Students	March 15	No School for Students
November 8	No School for Students & Staff	March 27 - 31	Spring Break
November 15	Evening Conferences - K-2 & HS Only	April 7	No School for Students & Staff
November 16	Evening Conferences - MS Only	May 29	Memorial Day - No School
November 17	Evening Conferences - 3-5 Only	June 13	Half Day - HS Only
November 18	Half Day - P.M. Conferences	June 14	Half Day - All Schools
November 23 - 25	Thanksgiving Break	June 15	Half Day - Student's Last Day
Dec. 26 - Jan. 6	Winter Break	June 16	Teacher's Last Day - Records Day

Daily Schedules

School	Start Time	Dismissal Time	Half Day Dismissal Time
West Bloomfield HS	7:30 a.m.	2:23 p.m.	10:40 a.m.
Oakland Early College	8 a.m.	3 p.m.	11:14 a.m.
West Bloomfield MS	8:20 a.m.	3:12 p.m.	11:22 a.m.
Roosevelt ES	8:20 a.m.	3:12 p.m.	11:22 a.m.
Transition Center	8:20 a.m.	3:12 p.m.	11:22 a.m.
Sheiko ES	9:10 a.m.	4:02 p.m.	12:12 p.m.
Doherty ES	9:10 a.m.	4:02 p.m.	12:12 p.m.
Gretchko ES	9:10 a.m.	4:02 p.m.	12:12 p.m.
Scotch ES	9:10 a.m.	4:02 p.m.	12:12 p.m.
AM Early Childhood SE	8 a.m.	11 a.m.	NA
PM Early Childhood SE	12 p.m.	3 p.m.	NA

Safeline Phone Numbers

Report absences between the hours of 6 p.m. and the start of the next school day by calling the **Safeline** listed below:

Doherty Elementary	(248) 865-6002
Gretchko Elementary	(248) 865-6572
Roosevelt Elementary	(248) 865-6620
Scotch Elementary	(248) 865-3282
Sheiko Elementary	(248) 865-6372
WBMS	(248) 865-4482
WBHS	(248) 865-6722
Oakland Early College	(248) 522-3541
Transition Center	(248) 539-0532



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OPPORTUNITIES ABOUND HERE

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Oakland Community College's resources and supportive professors helped sisters from Mexico achieve their goals, springboard to the next level

WHEN Valeria Lezama arrived in Michigan with her family in April 2019 after her dad's automotive job was relocated, she had just graduated from high school in Puebla, Mexico. As she looked at her college options in the U.S., she had no idea if she was capable of quickly transitioning to a completely different higher education system in the fall. She felt stressed and completely lost.

Valeria teamed up with her sister Jennifer, an incoming high school senior, to quickly research universities and learned about an opportunity they said isn't offered in Mexico – community college.

The concept of earning an associate degree in two years and then transferring to a university sounded intriguing to the sisters, who are now both Oakland Community College alumni.

"The OCC counselors explained everything to me, from the moment I wanted to apply to the college through graduation," Valeria said. "I always had that support from professors, counselors and staff. The professors are really good. I decided I wanted to go into finance because of them."

In the fall, Valeria and Jennifer's twin sisters, Rocio and Gabriela, will follow their lead and begin their post-secondary education at OCC. The twins graduated in May from West Bloomfield High School.

"I'm excited," Rocio said. "I'm sure I will have very good instructors and the opportunity to get involved in

activities. Jennifer was in the student recruiter program and I think I will do the same. English is not my first language, and this would give me the opportunity to practice speaking in front of more people."

Valeria received an associate in business administration from OCC in 2021 and now attends Oakland University.

Jennifer graduated in May with two degrees – an Associate of Applied Science and an Associate of Arts. In the fall, Jennifer will transfer to the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and major in mechanical engineering.

"What I like the most about OCC is all the resources and support the faculty and OCC community give you," Jennifer said. "I have found a lot of support and motivation from faculty at OCC because class sizes are small, we have a very good connection with instructors, and they can get to know you better. I think that is something I could not get at another institution."

After seeing her sisters' success, Gabriela said OCC became her college of choice for the fall.

"You can transfer to a university and save money," she said. "It also gives you time to decide which area of study you want to pursue."

Jennifer said OCC made the transition to a new and different

educational system easier.

"If your goal is to get a higher education degree, you can do that with just a different path and in the end, you will get more from that by going to OCC," she said.



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West Bloomfield School District

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Superintendent

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West Bloomfield Middle School

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248-865-6570

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248-865-3280

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248-865-6370

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The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies:

Johanna Mracna, Assistant Superintendent for Administration and Innovation/Interim Talent Developmental and Management. 5810 Commerce Road, West Bloomfield, MI 48324. (248) 865-6426



CELEBRATING TENURE

AT the June 27 Board of Education meeting, 18 staff members were recognized for their dedication to the West Bloomfield School District (WBSD). Sixteen educators achieved tenure status and two non-educators were recognized for their dedication to WBSD. These individuals received effective and highly effective performance ratings on their evaluations and were recommended by their supervising principals to be recognized.

"It is an honor to acknowledge the following individuals," said Kyle Anderson, assistant superintendent for Business and Operations. "We are grateful for their dedication and commitment to our students and our families."

Tenure

Amanda Anderson – West Bloomfield High School
Nicole Balintfy – West Bloomfield High School
Brooke Barker – Gretchko Elementary School
Melissa Bridges – West Bloomfield Middle School
Annette Cooke – West Bloomfield High School
Jennifer Frankowiak – Sheiko Elementary School
Andrea Henry – West Bloomfield Middle School
Adonis Jamison – Gretchko Elementary School
John Kucharek – Lakers Online Middle School
Melody Loeffler – Doherty Elementary School
Jaymee Meloy – West Bloomfield High School
Katelyn Sizemore – Gretchko Elementary School
Danielle Walker – West Bloomfield Middle School
Tessa Wilson – Sheiko Elementary School
Michelle Wright – Gretchko Elementary School

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Carly Bellairs – Oakland Early College
Mackenzie Hamby Peguese – West Bloomfield Middle School



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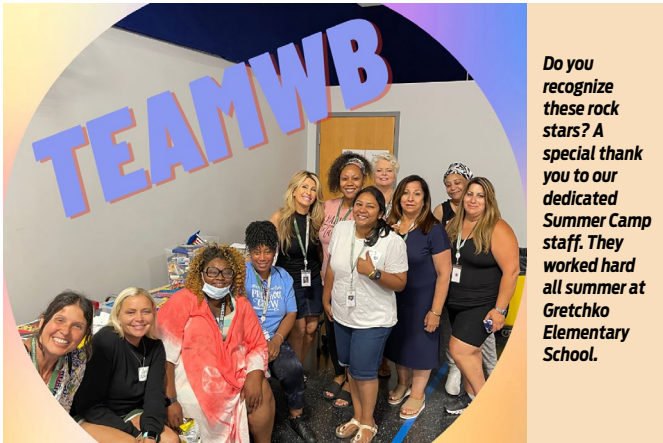
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*Entering 9th Graders who completed Algebra One in Middle School are eligible to apply.



Do you recognize these rock stars? A special thank you to our dedicated Summer Camp staff. They worked hard all summer at Gretchko Elementary School.

ADULT EDUCATION/ELL

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Sign up for Fall ELL Classes!

PM Levels I, II, III (in person),

Monday through Thursday 6:30-9 p.m.

AM Level I (in person and online)

Monday through Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Four months of classes, available 4 days a week!

Bring picture ID and Social Security Card (if you have one).

Registration fee is \$50.

Students 18 and older are welcome from any district.

Registration Days: Now through September 1, 2022

Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

After September 1, call for more registration times and class availability.

Class Schedule: Tuesday, September 6 – Thursday, December 22, 2022

Tuition Schedule

Fall ELL Session 1: September 12 – October 20 (6 weeks)

Advanced/Intermediate English

Mon./Wed. 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. \$225

Conversation/Pronunciation

Tues./Thurs. 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. \$225

1-1 Tutoring for Reading/Vocabulary

(6) 1-Hour Sessions by Appointment \$75

Fall ELL Session 2: October 24 – December 8 (6 weeks, Omit November 21-24)

Advanced/Intermediate English

Mon./Wed. 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. \$225

Conversation/Pronunciation

Tues./Thurs. 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. \$225

1-1 Tutoring for Reading/High Level I-II

(6) 1-Hour Sessions by Appointment \$75

Community Education Office

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Campers enjoyed the outdoor activities with Oakland County Mobile Recreation, onsite assemblies with the West Bloomfield Public Library, art and karate classes, and field trips.

"We asked, they answered – the field trip to Lily Pad Springs splash pad was their favorite summer camp memory," said Andrea Frank, community enrichment coordinator.



Oakland County Community and Adult Educators hosted an award luncheon recently at Edgewood Country Club. WBSD Community Education was proud to recognize parent and Math Pentathlon coach Rene Kubiak with a volunteer award and teacher Tom DeGrand with an instructor award for creating and coaching a wrestling club this year. Tom received a plaque and a monetary award. Kudos to all of the coaches!



FIRST Tech Challenge Middle School Robotics Team, the Husky Super Dabbers, celebrated an exciting day with a second-place Inspire Award and first-place Connect Award. Their team participated in the 2022 Kego Harbor Memorial Day Parade.