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Winslow Township High School Newsletter



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Chromebook Use



WTHS has transitioned to 1-to-1 Chromebook use, and 90 percent of the students are on board. The transition was put in place by Mr. Marella and his team and has been smooth so far. Parents of students who still need Chromebooks are requested to go into genesis and complete the required forms. Distribution moving forward will be completed via grade-level secretaries, Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Tucker. Also, students whose chrome books need repair are to contact Technology via the following link:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScE02qls8gNFT2EWSKKUvQZ134g9mQTwaKCEScx0a1CkOBzg/viewform?usp=dialog&authuser=0>



Attention:

Parents-Teacher Conferences will be held on March 18th and 19th. Please note that parents must access their students' genesis accounts and schedule conferences using the web desk. On both conference days, the instructional schedule will follow the half-day protocol. Further details are forthcoming.

Annual Giving Tree



WTHS SGA's Annual Giving Tree, in partnership with Winslow PRIDE, successfully brought gifts and smiles to Winslow Township families this year. The SGA would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to every faculty member and student who took a tag and bought a gift for a child! With the generous donations from Winslow PRIDE, SGA was also able to provide each family with essential household items, food, and gift cards.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

-  Elective Fair- Middle School Visit: January 22, 2026, 8 AM – 12 PM
-  Athletic National Signing Day-February 4, 2026, 2:30 PM in Main Gym
-  Open House Expo: February 12, 2026, 6 PM
-  Transition Fair: February 12, 2026, 8 AM – 12 PM
-  NJSLA & NJGPA Night: Feb. 24, 2026, 6 PM
-  NJGPA Adaptive Test: Monday, March 16th to Friday, March 20th
-  Senior Trip: Thursday, April 16th to Monday, April 20th
-  NJSLA Adaptive SCI/M/ELA Testing Window: Monday, April 27th to Friday, May 22nd
-  NJSLA Adaptive SCI/M/ELA Make up Testing Window: Tuesday, May 26th to Friday, May 29th
-  Honors Recital: April 29, 2026, 9 AM
-  Spring Concert: May 5, 2026, 6 PM
-  Thespian Awards: May 14, 2026, 6 PM
-  Senior Awards: May 19, 2026, 6 PM
-  Director's Cut: May 21, 2026, 8 AM – 1 PM
-  Small Ensemble Concert: June 9, 2026 — 6 PM
-  Senior Class Brunch: June 18, 2026, 9 AM – 11 AM
- * Graduation: June 18, 2026 — 6 PM



Guidance Updates:

On January 21, 2026, select students will take the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) in the high school library. While the ASVAB is most widely known as a military entrance exam, it is also the starting point of a career exploration program (CEP) that is available to all students regardless of military status. Students who take the ASVAB receive skill scores in nine content areas (science, math, mechanical comprehension, and more!) along with career exploration scores for verbal, math, and science/technical skills. After taking the ASVAB, students are also given access to Occu-Find, a career search tool for teens, and the Find Your Interest (FYI) career quiz, which helps identify careers with high job satisfaction rates. All students are encouraged to take part in the ASVAB CEP to learn more about themselves and their career interests

ATC- On Friday, January 16th, students who are passionate about cars or boats are invited to meet with a representative from Auto Mechanic Training School (ATC). The representative will be available in the cafeteria during all four lunch periods. Please review the following link for further details: <https://autotraining.edu/?authuser=0>

Symposium on Race at Princeton University- The mission is to identify and recognize high school students who, through action and service, have demonstrated leadership in advancing racial equity or promoting racial understanding in their schools and communities. Prize recipients receive a cash prize of \$2,500 and an all-expense paid weekend to a Symposium on Race at Princeton University. https://princetonprize.smapply.io/prog/princeton_prize_in_race_relations/?authuser=0

Tufts Tuition Pact- This is an opportunity for accepted students to attend college for FREE! All admitted students, regardless of citizenship, will have their full demonstrated financial need met, up to the full cost of attendance. <https://admissions.tufts.edu/tuition-and-aid/tuition-and-aid/?authuser=0>

Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship Details

- Up to \$40,000 in college funding (\$10,000 per year for up to 4 years)
- Paid summer internship at Amazon following the freshman year of college
- Access to industry mentors and professional development

<https://www.scholarships.com/scholarships/amazon-future-engineer-scholarship/?authuser=0>

Soaring with Winslow

Model UN

On Friday, December 5, 2025, Winslow's Model UN students attended a trip to New York to visit the JPMorgan Library and the United Nations Headquarters. The Morgan Library and Museum started as the personal library of financier J.P. Morgan and today is a museum and research library in Midtown Manhattan.



Students viewed an extraordinary collection of rare books, illuminated medieval and Renaissance manuscripts, historical documents, and literary manuscripts, including early drafts and letters by famous authors. The museum also displays old master drawings, prints, paintings, and unique art objects from ancient to modern times. Highlights often include treasures like Gutenberg Bibles, finely bound early printed books, and beautifully decorated manuscripts, all shown in elegant, Gilded Age interiors that blend art, history, and architecture. In the afternoon, students participated in a guided tour of the United Nations Headquarters in New York where students gained a firsthand look at how global diplomacy works in action. During the visit, students were given access to iconic spaces such as the General Assembly Hall and the Security Council Chamber, where representatives from countries around the world meet to address international issues. Guided by knowledgeable, multilingual tour leaders, students learned about the history, mission, and role of the United Nations in promoting peace, human rights, and global cooperation. The experience brought our classroom lessons to life and helped students better understand the importance of international collaboration in today's world.

Model Senate Program

WTHS Model UN delegates also participated in a Model Senate Program on Wednesday, December 17, 2025, at Temple University. Model Senate is a high school role-playing program focused on the discussion, debate, and presentation of policy solutions to pressing global issues facing the United States. Students step into the shoes of a United States Senator or expert witness to address pressing global challenges. 2025 Model Senate focused on the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. The next competition for this team will be at Moorestown High School on Saturday, January 31, 2026!



Congratulations



Congratulations to Coach Bill Belton and the WTHS Football team for being the first to be recognized in CBS Philadelphia's new series titled **Hometown Hustle**.

The first episode was aired on Friday, January 9th and produced by WTHS alumni Krystle Rich. It also included Coach Belton's journey from Winslow to Penn State and then his calling to return and give back to his community. Thank you, Coach. The full episode may be viewed by clicking on link below:

<https://youtu.be/VuiZyOMxbXY?si=ygUi5rHXPuT1N9QJ>



Congratulations to Laila Wake and Julian Peterson, our Students of the Month for the month of November. Continue to keep up the great work!



Congratulations to the incredibly awesome WTHS Girls' Track Team on a dominant performance at the Millrose Games Trials! The 4x200 relay team of Jasmine Jackson, Olivia Okaro, Jordyn Cato, and Cinniya Robinson powered their way to a 1st-place finish, clocking in a fast 1:40, ranking them #1 in New Jersey and posting the 6th-fastest

time in the nation this year. The 4x400 relay team of Amariah Arango, Jasmine Jackson, Olivia Okaro, and Cinniya Robinson punched their ticket to the Millrose Games as the top qualifier, running 3:49.48, earning them the #1 ranking in both New Jersey and the United States. Next up is the NJSIAA Group III State Championship on Sunday, January 18, where these talented athletes will look to defend their 7-year championship streak.



SPORTS



Spring Sports

Spring sports registration opened January 12th and closes March 6th. All sports registration for Middle and High School are done using your parent account on Genesis Parent Portal. The high school Spring sports available are: girls/boys track, girls/boys lacrosse, softball, baseball, boys tennis, girls flag football and band.

Signing Day

The NCAA National Signing Day will be on February 4, 2026 @ 2:30 pm. It will be held in the Jordan Burroughs Gymnasium. All are welcome to attend.

Assembly

The Winter Sports assembly will take place on April 28, 2026 during 8th period (for students only).

Community Day

The Athletic Spring Community day is scheduled for April 28, 2026. This is a day where all the spring sports teams play at home. Come out and root for your favorite Winslow Team!!

Girls Track

Congratulations to the girls track team who won the 4x2 and 4x4 qualifiers for the Millrose Games Trials...Amariah Arango, Jasmine Jackson, Olivia Okaro and Cinniya Johnson.



Boys Track

Congratulations to the boys track team who won the 4x4 qualifiers for the Millrose Games Trials...Prince Owusu-Twum, Jacoby James, Elijah Deanley, Keyon Ali and KaRon Ali.



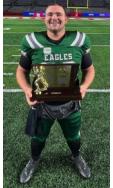
Winslow Eagles Honored



Winslow's football team was honored on the Assembly floor at the NJ State House for their championship wins, earning the title for the second year in a row. Thank you Senator Paul Moriarty and Assemblymen Hutchinson and Miller.



A Few Good Men Award



Congratulations to Phillip Hatfield who won the "A Few Good Men of the Year" award. It is a mentoring program held in 16 schools and only one player is picked every year for this award. He was honored on Sunday, January 18, 2026 at Saint Johns Baptist Church.



A Day at Winslow High School

Student Government

On January 7, 2026, the Winslow Township High School Student Government Officers attended the 100th Annual New Jersey Association of Student Councils (NJASC) Winter Convention at The College of New Jersey. The conference brought together student leaders from across the state for a day focused on leadership development, collaboration, and student voice. During the workshops, WTHS officers participated in student-led sessions covering topics such as school spirit events, community service initiatives, inclusive leadership, fundraising, and effective event planning. These workshops provided practical ideas and real-world examples that student leaders can adapt and implement at WTHS.



Nurse's Corner



As we move through cold and flu season, it is important to take simple but effective steps to reduce the spread of common infections such as norovirus, flu, and COVID-19. These viruses spread easily in shared spaces, but prevention starts with everyday habits. Frequent handwashing is one of the most effective ways to stop the spread of illness. Wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after using the restroom, before eating, and after coughing or sneezing. If you are experiencing symptoms such as fever, vomiting, diarrhea, cough, or sore throat, you should remain home until you are symptom free. This helps protect others and reduces outbreaks in schools and workplaces. Covering coughs and sneezes with a tissue or the inside of the elbow helps limit the spread of respiratory droplets. Wearing a mask when experiencing mild symptoms or during periods of high illness activity can also help reduce transmission. Regular cleaning and disinfecting of frequently touched surfaces, such as doorknobs, desks, keyboards, and shared equipment plays a key role in prevention. Finally, staying up to date on recommended vaccinations, including flu and COVID-19 vaccines, helps reduce the severity of illness and protects vulnerable individuals in the community. By practicing good hygiene, staying home when sick, and looking for one another, we can help keep our school and community healthy throughout the year.



Cover your cough and sneeze

