# Community Conversation February 21, 2024



Together we are strong. Together, we unite. Together we soar. We are Westlawn.

"Individually unique...Together extraordinary"







February 29: Wolf Trap Presents a STEAM Focused Parent Workshop (for prek and kindergarten families) March 4-8: Read Across America Week

March 5: Student Holiday (Primary Election Day)

March 5: PTA Meeting

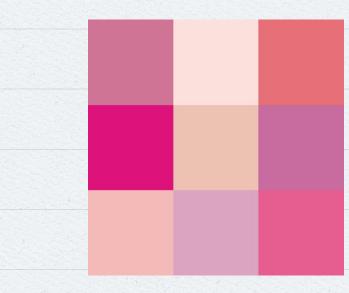
March 16: Westlawn Day!







### NOT-SO-SECRET STAFF (AND STUDENT) SPIRIT DAYS



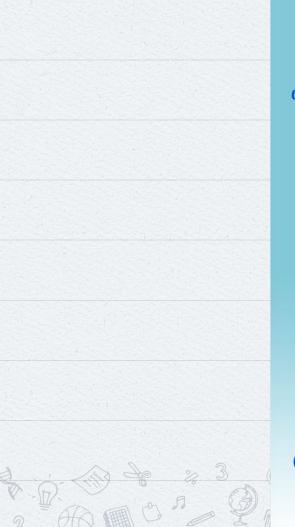
We will *continue* celebrating *Not-So-Secret* Staff (and Student) Spirit Days on Wednesdays!

Wednesday 2/28: Pink

A TalkingPoints message will go out on Tuesdays as a reminder.

### MARCH 5 PTA MEETING

- × Student holiday, still holding PTA meeting
- Simultaneous interpretation (attempt)
- × Links to come



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### GAMES! CRAFTS! SNACKS!

### OUR SCHOOLS, OUR FUTURE WITH DR. REID

Our Schools, Our Future: Community Conversations Continue Join Superintendent Dr. Michelle Reid for <u>Our Schools, Our Future – A Community</u> <u>Conversation</u>. Your voice matters! Share your thoughts about FCPS and bring your questions to a conversation on:

- Tuesday, April 16, 6:30-7:30 p.m., at Graham Road Elementary School.
- Tuesday, April 30, 6:30-7:30 p.m., at South County Middle School.
- Thursday, May 2, 6:30-7:30 p.m., at <u>Terraset Elementary School</u>.
- Wednesday, May 8, 6:30-7:30 p.m., at <u>Hybla Valley Elementary School</u>.
- Thursday, May 16, 6:30-7:30 p.m., at Poe Middle School.
- Tuesday, May 21, 6:30-7:30 p.m., at Katherine Johnson Middle School.

### KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

#### Kindergarten Registration: It's as Easy as 1-2-3...

There's an easy five-step process for parents wanting to register their child for kindergarten:

- 1. Determine eligibility.
- 2. Identify your local school.
- 3. Gather documents.
- 4. Fill out forms.
- 5. Schedule an appointment.

After the appointment at the school (the student and one caregiver must be present), the student will be ready for orientation, Bridge to Kindergarten, or any other introductory events each school may host. Read more about the <u>registration process</u>.

## UP NEXT: REMINDERS

## A CONTINUACIÓN: RECORDATORIOS



### FCHS OPEN HOUSE

### **Explore Our New Spaces**

February 22nd 7-8:30pm

Tours start from School Cafeteria (park and enter at doors: 1, 2, 3 and 4)

Exciting news! We're excited to announce the completion of several new/renovated spaces in our building. The cafeteria, library, science/math wing, culinary arts, automotive tech, and STEM lab are now finished and eagerly awaiting the enjoyment of our students and staff!

Join us in commemorating this significant milestone with a community open house, inviting you to explore our recently unveiled spaces. Although there's still a lot of work ahead, we're thrilled to share the progress achieved with our community!



## CONNERSTRONG FOUNDATION

### March 4 Coffee Connection topic: Social Media Awareness and Safety

### Link to foundation website



#### CAMPAMENTO ARTESANO

Los campamentos están asignados por edad: 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 años

#### Aplicacion se abre el 1 de Enero de 2024

#### Objectivo del Campamento Artesano

Despertar el interés en STEM a través de actividades prácticas mientras se muestra cómo las matemáticas y la ciencia se aplican al mundo que nos rodea. Este campamento construirá conocimiento mientras refuerza la conflanza en uno mismo y el liderazgo. Los campamentos de progresión por edad preparan a cada estudiante para la próxima fase.

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#### Detalles del Campamento en Persona El campamento es GRATUITO

- Excursion
- Recorrido por la base
- Oradores invitados
- Provectos en equipo
- Kit de Artesano
- Introduccion al Campo Profesional
- Demostraciones de STEM
- Proceso de Diseño
- Actividades prácticas de STEM
- Rompehielos para la construcción de equipos
- Duración: cinco días, campamento diurno
- · Las fechas del campamento están determinadas por la edad





### **CRAFTSMAN CAMP**

\*Camps are assigned by age: 11, 12, 13, 14, 15-year-olds\*

#### Application opens January 1, 2024

#### **Craftsman Camp Goal**

Build an interest in STEM through hands-on activities while showing how math and science apply to the world around us. This camp will build knowledge while reinforcing selfconfidence and leadership. Age progression camps prepare each student for the next phase.

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#### **In-Person Camp Details**

- Camp is FREE
  Field trip
- Base tour
- Guest speakers
- Team projects
- Craftsman kit
- Career field introduction
- STEM demonstrations
- Design process
- Hands-on STEM activities
- Team-building icebreakers
- Duration: five days, day camp
- Camp dates determined by age









Consulte el sitio web para conocer los detalles de solicitud y las fechas del campamento. wpafbstem.com/LEGACY/legacy\_overview.html

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#### Requisitos Cuidadano estadounidense

- GPA mínimo de 2.5
- Carta de recomendación
- Debe cumplir con el requisito de edad del campamento antes del 1 de junio de 2024.





- U.S. citizen

- Must meet camp age requirement by June 1, 2024



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See website for application details and camp dates: wpafbstem.com/LEGACY/legacy\_overview.html

#### Requirements



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### LET'S GO FACEBOOKING



### DO IT FOR THE 'GRAM



### Ways to Connect and Communicate Formas de conectar y comunicar

#### Weekly Family Message (Newsletter)



**TalkingPoints** 

Chat with Staff via Text Messages

#### Photos, Celebrations, & Announcements



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