Friday, May 5, 2023

Anthony Wayne Families,

Thank you for the many ways that you took the time to show your gratitude and support for our staff during Teacher Appreciation Week. Each of our teachers goes above and beyond to provide outstanding educational experiences for our students, and your gratitude goes a long way in providing encouragement. ***If you haven't already, I ask that you take a few moments to send a note of thanks to your child's teachers.***

District Facilities Planning: Further Input Needed
The Collaborative presented its facilities planning recommendations at a public meeting earlier this week. A recording is available for your review on the District website. **Also on this webpage is a link to a survey requesting your feedback on their proposals. *Please take a moment to share your thoughts with us before May 10.*** Your input will help the District plan for maintenance, updates and upgrades to our school facilities for the next several years.

Board of Education Meeting: Monday, May 15
The Anthony Wayne Board of Education will hold its regular meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, May 15 at the AWHS Auditorium. Meetings are also streamed live on YouTube for those who cannot attend in person.

Spring Fine and Performing Arts Events
- Fallen Timbers Solo Recital: Monday, May 8 at 7:30 p.m.
- Whitehouse Kindergarten Music Program: Monday, May 8 at 7:30 p.m.
- Grades 6-8 Choir Concert: Tuesday, May 9 at 7:00 p.m.
- AWHS Band Concert: Thursday, May 11 at 7:00 p.m.
- 51st Annual District Spring Art Show: Saturday, May 13 from 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
- 8th Grade Band Concert & Chicken BBQ: Tuesday, May 16 at 6:30 p.m.
- 7th Grade Band Concert & Chicken BBQ: Wednesday, May 17 at 7:00 p.m.

Class of 2023 Graduation
Commencement for the AWHS Class of 2023 will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 20 in the Stroh Center on the campus of Bowling Green State University. More information is available on the Class of 2023 webpage. Congratulations to each of the graduates and their families!

Last Day of School
The last day of school for students is Friday, May 26. In the meantime, the last few weeks of school are filled with activity. Please check the District calendar for a full listing.

Thank you for helping to make this an outstanding school year!

Sincerely,
Dr. Jim Fritz, *Superintendent*
Anthony Wayne Local Schools

April Highlights from Anthony Wayne Local Schools:

NEWS
- AWLS earns Ohio School Public Relations Association award for annual publication
- Waterville Primary OT Honored by Martha Holden Jennings Foundation
- AWHS Architecture students win over $11k in local competition
- AWHS students named Art Students of the Month by AW Area Arts Commission
- AWHS Community Engagement students announce service projects
- AWHS Inducts 58 new members into National Honor Society
- AWHS Students celebrate 419 Day by learning about local agriculture-related businesses
- Symphonic Winds and senior band members tour Cincinnati, Dayton
- Save the Date: The AWLS Spring Art Show is May 13

VIDEOS
- VIDEO: Class of 2023 celebrates What's Your E? Day
- VIDEO: AWLS is hiring food service workers
- VIDEO: AWLS is hiring bus drivers
- VIDEO: AWLS is hiring custodial staff
- VIDEO: Waterville Primary students tackle design challenges in LEGO Club
- VIDEO: Anthony Wayne High School presents *Clue*
- VIDEO: Welcome to Kindergarten at Waterville Primary School
- VIDEO: Welcome to Fallen Timbers Middle School

MEDIA COVERAGE
- 13abc: Bathroom policy causes backlash among some parents at Anthony Wayne
- Highland County Press: Auditor Faber announces Auditor of State Award recipients
- WTOL: Anthony Wayne's Andy Brungard to lead TEAM North in All-Star Game
- WBGU: Brain Games - Patrick Henry vs. Anthony Wayne
- The Mirror: Whitehouse Primary 5K/1K marks 15th anniversary on April 15
- The Mirror: Carolyn Vogtsberger's career included state softball title
- The Blade: Architectural design competition tests students' talents
- The Blade: Anthony Wayne to share proposed facility options

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- Adaptability and Flexibility
- Communication and Collaboration
- Critical Thinking
- Empathy
- Learner's Mindset