

Warrior Weekly

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Weddington High School



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@WHSWarriors

Office Hours: 7:30am - 4:00pm



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2021-2022 Bell Schedule

[2021-2022 Bell Schedule with Lunches](#)

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

Tuesday, August 31st - Thursday, September 2nd: Club Walk during lunches (see information below)

Friday, September 3rd: College Colors Day

Friday, September 24th : School Forms should be completed in FamilyID. (see information below)

MEET OUR FRONT OFFICE STAFF

We are fortunate to have an incredible staff at Weddington High School and that includes our amazing front office staff. We wanted to showcase our front office staff in this weeks Warrior Weekly to give you an opportunity to put a face with the name.



Mrs. Melinda Price - Receptionist

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Mrs. Glenna Bowen - Attendance Secretary

glenna.bowen@ucps.k12.nc.us



Mrs. Tina Starnes - Bookkeeper

tina.starnes@ucps.k12.nc.us



Mrs. Elizabeth Sejas-Gangadeen - Data Manager

elizabeth.bostic@ucps.k12.nc.us



Mrs. TC Yost - Administrative Support

tammy.yost@ucps.k12.nc.us

FROM THE NURSES OFFICE

Request for Health Information Form

The Request for Health Information Form can be found on Family ID along with the other required school forms. Clicking the link below will take you directly to the FamilyID page for Weddington High, where all forms can be easily accessed.

[Weddington High School FamilyID](#)

The due date to complete all required school forms is Friday, September 24th by 11:59pm.

Medical Content Forms

We will continue to need a Medication Consent form completed and signed by a physician for any meds needed at school (over the counter or prescription meds- other than hand sanitizer, Chapstick or cough drops). We require a new one every school year. They are found on the School Health Department webpage which can be accessed by clicking [here](#).



I look forward to this year at Weddington High School! Please let me know if you ever have any questions or concerns. My phone number here is 704-296-6319 ext 1905.

Thanks so much, Susan Mastin, RN

JOIN THE WHS PTSO

Parents, we need your help. You can help pave the way for everyone to experience the Weddington Way by joining the PTSO! To join, please go to www.whsptso.com. Please visit the weekly PTSO section of the Warrior Weekly which can be found below. The weekly PTSO section of the Warrior Weekly contains important information for students and parents.

PICKING UP YOUR STUDENT EARLY?

If you are picking up your students for an appointments, etc. , please be sure that you send a note with your student the morning of for them to give to Ms. Bowen, our attendance counselor. In doing so, they will get a ticket to be dismissed from class at the appropriate time. In holding our students accountable to this process, we can protect class time.

HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN

This school year, Weddington High School will follow the UCPS Health and Safety plan. The UCPS Health and Safety plan follows recommendations from the StrongSchoolsNC Public Health Toolkit and UCPS will continue to consult with the local public health department. For information regarding the

Health and Safety Guidelines that all UCPS schools will be following this year, please visit the UCPS Back to School website which can be accessed by clicking [HERE](#).

If you have questions regarding COVID protocol or other health related issues, please contact our school nurse, Susan Mastin. She can be reached at susan.mastin@ucps.k12.nc.us

ARRIVAL & DISMISSAL/TRANSPORTATION

We recognize traffic is causing delays in the morning and the afternoon. We continue to encourage students and parents to allow extra time to get to school in the morning. We kindly ask that students are not dropped off or picked up in the student parking lot or in the bus lot. Only students with a valid parking pass will be permitted to park in the student parking lot.

Students are not to park in the church parking lot across from the school or on the streets in surrounding neighborhoods. All student drop-offs in the morning and pick-ups at dismissal are to be done in the car rider line. We also ask that all cars pull all the way down in the car rider line as directed by staff. This allows more students to access their rides at one time, thereby speeding up the pick-up process

CAFETERIA (BREAKFAST & LUNCH)



Per USDA and NCDPI waivers, ALL students during the 2021-2022 school year will receive free meals, regardless of their benefits application status. If you have any questions regarding the cafeteria or your child's account, please contact our cafeteria manager at 704-708-6266.

Breakfast is served during this time: 7:40 - 8:10

Yearbooks for the 2021-2022 School Year on sale NOW

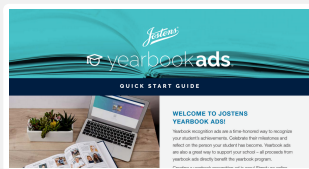
Yearbooks are now on sale for the 2021-2022. Purchase your yearbook now at [Jostens.com](https://www.jostens.com) to get the lowest price of the year along with free personalization.

Senior Recognition Ads for the Yearbook

Senior parents can now create a special ad celebrating their senior's milestones and successes. Ads are created by the parents directly through Jostens using the following link:

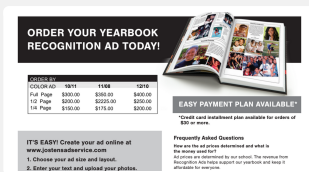
<https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/customer/1163950/Weddington-High-School/>

Purchase by October 11th to receive the lowest price of the year. Attached below is a pricing flyer and a Quick Start Guide to help parents get started.



[Yearbook Ad Instructions L...](#)

drive.google.com



[Weddington HS Senior A...](#)

drive.google.com

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS

[Student Handbook 2021-2022](#)

Dress Code: Please be sure you have referenced pages 14 and 15 in the student handbook for information pertaining to our school dress code. **Dress code will be enforced.**

BACK TO SCHOOL FORMS

We are utilizing the convenience of online form completion through FamilyID for required back to school forms! FamilyID is a secure registration platform that provides you with an easy, user-friendly way to complete forms, and helps us to be more administratively efficient. When you register through Family ID, the system keeps track of your information in your FamilyID profile. You enter your information only once for each family member for multiple uses and multiple programs.

[Weddington High School FamilyID](#)

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COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

Warrior School Counseling

For more information from the WHS Counseling Department, please visit the WHS School Counseling webpage at <https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/Domain/889>

FLEX Application

FLEX will be offered S2 of the 2021-2022 school year. Seniors, if you'd like to Flex semester two, please complete the application found at the link below. The Flex application closes August 31, 2021.

<https://www.familyid.com/weddington-high-school>

To learn more about the Flex day program

- <https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/cms/lib/NC01910453/Centricity/Domain/120/2021-2022%20Program%20of%20Studies%20Rev.%203.24.21.pdf>(Page 25)

SENIOR PARKING SPOT CHALKING EVENT

The event will be on **Saturday, September 18th from 8 am until 11 am**. The event will include breakfast, outdoor games, music, yearbook signing, and chalking your parking spot in the student lot (design approval required). This event is for Seniors only.

There will be a \$10 fee to participate in the event which can be paid through online school payments which can be accessed by clicking [HERE](#). Payment is due by Friday, September 10th. This is a senior student government sponsored event, and all proceeds will go towards this year's Senior Week events.


Additional details regarding the event including requirements for participating can be found in the document linked below.

A rain date will be provided if needed.

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 Weddington High Senior ...

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SENIOR PORTRAIT SESSION INFORMATION

CADY

Weddington High School is excited to announce that we will be working with CADY Studios this year. All senior portrait sessions will be held at their studio and not at the school as in the past. There are several portrait options that families can choose. The \$30 session is the most basic senior session offered and includes yearbook photo, cap/gown photo, choice of a casual scene photo. **Senior families can now book your sessions through December 14th.**

To book your studio experience, please go to www.cady.com/schedule or call the studio at the phone number below. If you do not schedule a studio session, then we will have a makeup day on December 15th for seniors at school. However, this session will only include the yearbook photo.

Please contact Anna Waldrup if you have any questions via email at anna.waldrup@ucps.k12.nc.us.

CADY Studios address and phone number.

2201 Crownpoint Executive Dr., Suite E

Charlotte, NC 28227

704-859-0737

GREEN MACHINE SHIRTS NOW AVAILABLE

Our student section is called The Green Machine. This was created over 15 years ago by one of our Warrior alumni. Each year student government designs and sells Green Machine shirts as the primary fundraiser for student ran events like powder puff, our annual talent show, dances, and prom. Help support student government and show your Warrior pride by purchasing your Green Machine Gear. All items can be purchased in the online store at <https://stores.inksoft.com/wed015/shop/home>. The deadline to order is Sunday, September 5th. All items will be shipped to the school and distributed to the students during the week of September 20th -24th. Please see the linked documents below for more information.



[2021 Green Machine.pdf](#)

drive.google.com

[WED015 - Weddington H...](#)

stores.inksoft.com

ATHLETIC INFORMATION



Athletic Department Update

Fall Sports are underway and off to a great start! Be sure to come out and cheer on the Warriors!

We hope to see you tonight at our home football game! All tickets have to be purchased online through HomeTown Ticketing. Please click [here](#) to purchase tickets for tonight's home football game against Providence Day at 7pm. You can purchase tickets ahead of time or at the gate, but no cash will be accepted.

For up to date athletic information, please visit: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/weddington>

To purchase game tickets, please visit: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/weddingtontickets>

To view game schedules: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/weddingtonschedules>

Questions about Athletics? Please contact our Athletic Director, Mr. Mike Hart, via email michael.hart@ucps.k12.nc.us or by calling the school.

[Coaches Directory](#)

[Eligibility Website](#)

Can't Attend Live? Watch it Live Instead!

Click [here](#) to learn more about our live stream partnership with the NFHS Network! Volleyball, wrestling, basketball, football, soccer and lacrosse will all be live streamed!



Shell Gas Station
13801 Providence Rd S
Weddington, NC 28104

W PUMP #5

The Weddington High School Athletic Booster club is excited to partner with Brewer Hendley Oil Company! Be sure to stop by pump #5 at the Shell Gas Station at Weddington Corners (Providence & 84)! 1 cent per gallon pumped on pump #5 will be donated to the WHSABC through September!

WEDDINGTON HIGH SCHOOL PTSO

WHS PTSO welcome General 21/22





WHS PTSO

You can help pave the way for everyone to experience the Weddington Way! Go to www.whsptso.com and join your PTSO.

You will create an account, verify your email address and then explore ALL of the opportunities for your involvement. In addition to your Membership we have Invest in Excellence (giving above and beyond without any fundraising), Volunteer Opportunities, linking up to our donation partners such as Harris Teeter, Publix, and Amazon Smiles, a calendar, and more!!

NEW this year: we will have a grade level competition to see which grade (9th, 10th, 11th, 12th) has the most PTSO memberships purchased! A special event will be provided in October to the winning grade. These numbers are very low...come on Warriors, Join your PTSO today!!

Here are our current standings:

9th Grade: 7%

10th Grade: 8%

11th Grade: 5%

12th Grade: 23%

Volunteers, you will be receiving some emails next week as we prepare for our first Staff Breakfast and Senior Breakfast of the year!!

Senior Families:

- T-shirt and sign pick up for those who purchased a Sr. Event Package and received an email with details will be August 30th and 31st. Look for that email!
- First Senior Breakfast will be held Sept 17th at 7:30a in Media Center

September Happenings:

9/1/21 PTSO Executive Board mtg

9/1/21 Staff meeting treats

9/10/21 Staff Breakfast

9/17/21 Senior Breakfast

9/24/21 Staff Breakfast

9/24/21 Teacher mini-grant submissions due

Meet the Teacher night will likely be this month

Follow us on Facebook @weddingtonhighschoolptso (WHS PTSO) and Instagram @whs_ptso. Email us at w.d.h.s.ptso.nc@gmail.com

Remember to re-link your Harris Teeter, Publix, and Amazon Smiles account to WHS so you can be giving money back all year long while shopping for your family.

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Neighborhood Food & Pharmacy

 **Publix**
PARTNERS

 **PayPal**



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Scan QR code for payment

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HERE!