

# Warrior Weekly

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## IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

**Monday, October 25th:** Teacher Workday (No school for students)

**Tuesday, October 26th:** PowderPuff Game (see below for more information)

**Tuesday, November 2nd:** Make-Up Picture Day

## GRADUATION 2022: SAVE THE DATE!



CONGRATULATIONS MR. LUKEY!



Congratulations to Mr. Lukey on being selected as Weddington High School's 2021-2022 Teacher of the Year! Good luck to Mr. Lukey as he moves on to the next step of the UCPS Teacher of the Year process!

## MAKE-UP PICTURE DAY



Underclassmen Makeup Picture Day will be on Tuesday, November 2nd during first and second period. Any student who was absent on picture day or would like a retake will get their picture taken on this day. This is the last chance to get your picture taken for the yearbook. Please contact Anna Waldrup ([anna.waldrup@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:anna.waldrup@ucps.k12.nc.us)) with any questions.

## POWDERPUFF 2021

Powderpuff will take place on Tuesday, Oct 26th at 6:30 pm. [andrea.cook@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:andrea.cook@ucps.k12.nc.us). Tickets are \$2.00 and are now available to purchase online: <https://www.ucpsathletics.com/weddingtontickets>



# GREEN MACHINE SPIRIT WEAR ORDERS

All Green Machine spirit wear has now been distributed. Please see Mrs. Waldrup in the media center if you have not received an item as soon as possible.

## PANORAMA STUDENT SURVEY

Union County Public Schools values the feedback of our students, parents and staff. In an effort to continue high-quality, rigorous learning experiences and social-emotional support for students, the school district has partnered with Panorama Education to administer a survey to third – 12th graders.

The survey window is Nov. 3 -16, 2021 and will take approximately 15 - 20 minutes to complete. The link will be sent via Canvas and students will need their Student ID for access. Panorama safeguards student privacy and all responses will be kept confidential.

The survey results will be used to improve support and resources at the school and district levels.

You may access the survey questions via [this link](#). Parents will have the opportunity to view the survey questions from Oct. 21 – 30. If you would like your child to opt out of taking the survey, please complete the opt-out letter that is attached below and turn it in to the front office.

If you have questions, please contact [tracey.carney@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:tracey.carney@ucps.k12.nc.us) or 704-296-6392.



Opt Out Letter Panorama Fall 2021.pdf

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219.4 KB

## ARRIVAL & DISMISSAL REMINDERS

Just a friendly reminder that the building is open to students at 7:15am each morning in an effort to alleviate some of our morning traffic. We kindly ask that students are not dropped off or picked up in the student parking lot or in the bus lot. All student drop-offs in the morning and pick-ups at dismissal are to be done in the car rider line.

Students are not permitted to park at the elementary or middle schools. Vehicles that are parked at the elementary or middle schools may be towed at the owners expense.

Our local neighborhoods have contacted the school asking that students not park or be dropped off/picked up on the streets in their neighborhood . Vehicles can be towed by the neighborhood at the owners expense.

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

The North Carolina Forestry Association is hosting its 5th annual Forest Products Week Essay contest for NC students in 3rd-12th grade. Click [HERE](#) for more information.



**Prizes:**

Top essays will be selected from the elementary, middle, and high school categories. • Students will receive a \$200 Visa gift card. • The sponsoring teacher will also receive \$100 Visa gift card for classroom materials and a scholarship to attend the Sustainable Forestry Teachers Experience the next calendar year.

**Due Date:**

Essays will be due on the last day of National Forest Products Week (October 22, 2021).

Future Prep will be offering both ACT and SAT Review Classes for the December 2021 tests starting this weekend. All classes are provided online through Zoom. All classes are priced at only \$399, and include a course book, 6 lessons, and 2 full length proctored practice test sessions.

**Weddington High School students receive a \$100 discount (reducing the price to \$299) by using coupon code "WHS2020" at checkout.**

**SAT Class Reviewing for the December 4th SAT Administration**  
**Tuesday/Thursday Evening Class**

**Practice Test #1** Sat, 10/23 8:30AM-12:00PM

**Math #1** Tue, 11/9 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #2** Thu, 11/11 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #3** Tue, 11/16 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Verbal #1** Thu, 11/18 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #4** Tue, 11/23 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Verbal #2 A** Wed, 11/24 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Verbal #2 B** Fri, 11/26 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Practice Test #2** Sat, 11/27 8:30AM-12:00PM

**ACT Classes Reviewing for the December 11th ACT Administration**

The ACT classes are preparing students to take both the test that is being offered to all NC public school students on February 23rd and the test being offered to the general public on April 17th.

**Monday Evening Class**

**Practice Test #1** Sat, 10/23 8:30AM-12:00PM

**English** Mon, 10/25 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Reading** Mon, 11/1 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #1** Mon, 11/8 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #2** Mon, 11/15 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #3** Mon, 11/22 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Science** Mon, 11/29 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Practice Test #2** Sat, 12/4 8:30AM-12:00PM

**Monday/Wednesday Evening Class**

**Practice Test #1** Sat, 11/6 8:30AM-12:00PM

**Math #1** Mon, 11/8 6:00PM-9:00PM

**English** Wed, 11/10 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #2** Mon, 11/15 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Reading** Wed, 11/17 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Math #3** Mon, 11/22 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Science** Mon, 11/29 6:00PM-9:00PM

**Practice Test #2** Sat, 12/4 8:30AM-12:00PM

Students may register at: <https://www.futureprep.com/all-act-classes> or by calling 704-307-8975.

### **Career and College Promise** - updates

1. CCP Textbook Reimbursements are due November 22nd and **will not be accepted after this date.**
2. Spring registration at SPCC begins November 1st. Students, please discuss interest and possible course selections with Mrs. Rajan, [mallika.rajana@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:mallika.rajana@ucps.k12.nc.us)
3. The link for Hardship Waiver Requests for Spring 2022 **will open on November 1st and close on December 13th**

<https://bit.ly/CCPHardshipWaiverRequest>

Questions? Please email Ms. Davis, [wdavis@spcc.edu](mailto:wdavis@spcc.edu)

### **College Application Q and A - 2021/2022**

Dear senior and senior parent, do you have a college application question? The WHS School Counselors have answers. Please share your thoughts. We're excited to hear from you! Each week the link to the question-and-answer list will be shared in the Warrior Weekly and on the WHS Counseling Canvas page.

<https://forms.gle/srjPHduoHRBBsdsJ9>

### **College Application Guidebook**

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/13RIORRHGCTO\\_ayShrvQCZb\\_Skx45IXOnqO7h\\_S0vjWY/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/13RIORRHGCTO_ayShrvQCZb_Skx45IXOnqO7h_S0vjWY/edit?usp=sharing)

### **College Visits**

On campus college visits are back! Wondering who will be on campus this week? Check the board in the cafeteria. Semester one visits are open to Seniors and Juniors.

Register in Scoir today!

1. Log into Scoir
2. Click on 3 lines in top right corner
3. Click on "Events and Deadlines"
4. Search for college of interest & sign up
5. Visits are in the Counseling Commons

### **Be in the room where it happens!**

Check Scoir daily. In the time it's taken to write this email, five colleges have signed up to visit WHS just to see YOU!

### **School Counseling Webpage**

<https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/Page/3845>

### **Senior Conferences** are in full swing!

Email your counselor today to set up an apt. to discuss college essays, applications, Scoir, Common App, Coalition, and much more!

### **School Counselor Caseload Assignments**

Student last name beginning with: A-C  
Ms. Mallika Rajan: [mallika.rajana@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:mallika.rajana@ucps.k12.nc.us)

Student last name beginning with: D-H  
Ms. Rebecca Wiles: [rebecca.wiles@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:rebecca.wiles@ucps.k12.nc.us)

Student last name beginning with: I-M  
Mrs. Jackie Washington: [jackie.washington@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:jackie.washington@ucps.k12.nc.us)

Student last name beginning with: N-R  
Ms. Shelby Allen: [shelby.allen@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:shelby.allen@ucps.k12.nc.us)

Student last name beginning with: S-Z  
Dr. Mary Jordan: [mary.jordan@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:mary.jordan@ucps.k12.nc.us)



College Application Guidebook  
WHS class of 2022

College Application G...

[docs.google.com](https://docs.google.com)

## 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:

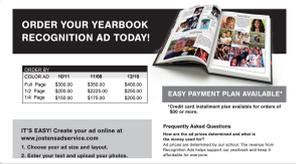
<https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/customer/1163950/Weddington-High-School/>

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 Instructio...

[drive.google.com](https://drive.google.com)



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[drive.google.com](https://drive.google.com)

BOOK	1001	1108	1214
Color	\$225.00	\$275.00	\$345.00
1st Page	\$205.00	\$255.00	\$325.00
1st Page	\$195.00	\$245.00	\$315.00

**EASY PAYMENT PLAN AVAILABLE!**  
Credit card installment plan available for orders of \$50 or more.

**IT'S EASY! Create your ad online at [www.jostensadservice.com](http://www.jostensadservice.com)**

1. Choose your ad size and layout.
2. Enter your text and upload your photos.

**Frequently Asked Questions**  
How are the ad prices determined and when is the deadline for advertising?  
Please refer to the frequently asked questions page on the Jostens website for more information.  
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## SENIOR PORTRAIT SESSION INFORMATION

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](http://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](mailto:anna.waldrup@ucps.k12.nc.us).

CADY Studios address and phone number.

2201 Crownpoint Executive Dr., Suite E

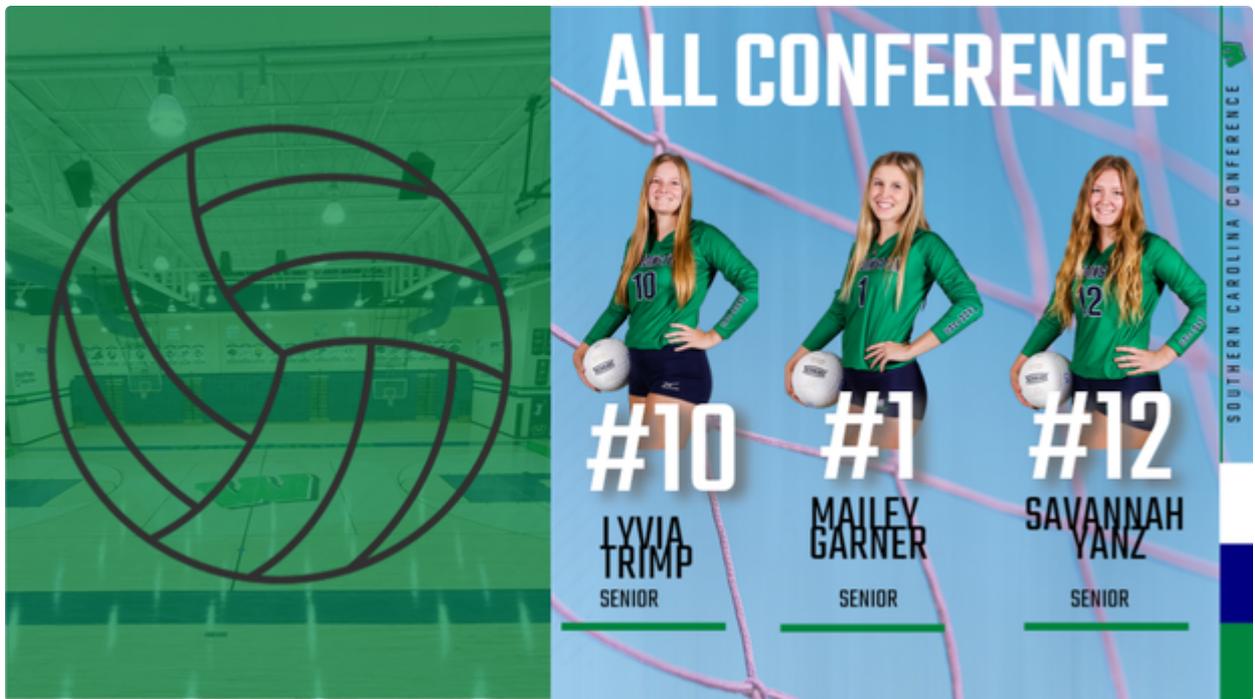
Charlotte, NC 28227

704-859-0737

## ATHLETIC INFORMATION



CONGRATULATIONS WARRIOR ATHLETES!



# ALL CONFERENCE!

SOUTHERN CAROLINA CONFERENCE



**MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

CHAUNCEY CHEN  
BEN TIMBERLAKE  
ISSAC CLARK  
JOSH WASHINGTON  
GAVIN BOUTWELL  
MASON GRANT

EMMA JONES  
ELIZABETH RITTER  
GRACE HANSON  
AUDREY WRIGHT



**WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

# 11

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

**IN A ROW!**



# BACK 2 BACK!



## CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS!

**SCC RUNNER  
OF THE YEAR!**

# EMMA JONES

**WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY**



**18:12.1**  
TIME



**SCC**

4A SOUTHERN CAROLINA CONFERENCE



## Athletic Department Update

Dear Community Members,

As we progress through the 2021-2022 athletic season, I would like to take this opportunity and reflect upon the many successes of our teams. It has been a great start to the year for our student-athletes and the future looks extremely promising!

With that said, I am contacting you to ask for your help. Our Athletic Booster Club is an integral part of our school community and serves as the fundraising arm of our athletic department. The current board members have done an outstanding job this year, making it one of the most successful years in school history. Unfortunately, some board and committee members will be leaving us as their children graduate from Weddington High School. As such, we are seeking interested individuals to assist in the following areas:

**Immediate Openings:**

- Committee Chair – Fundraising
- Committee Chair – Hospitality
- Committee Chair – Sponsorship
- Committee Chair – Concessions

If you, or anyone you know, is interested in serving the Athletic Booster Club, please reach out to WHSABC President Laurie Lewis ([whsabcpresident@gmail.com](mailto:whsabcpresident@gmail.com)) or myself. We would be more than happy to discuss the roles and requirements of each of the positions available for the next school year. As always, I appreciate your continued support of the Weddington Athletic Department and if I can ever be of any assistance, please let me know. We could not do it without you!

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](mailto: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!

## WEDDINGTON HIGH SCHOOL PTSO

**A Round of Congratulations!!!**

CONGRATULATIONS SENIORS!!! Your class won the PTSO Membership drive as the highest percentage of family participants, thanks for being a leader in the #weddingtonway! During the lunch periods today each Senior can come down to the bus lot and receive a FREE Kona Ice!

CONGRATULATIONS MS. McFARLAND and MS. PARROTT!!! Each submitted a proposal to the WHS PTSO to help provide their students with materials to enhance their student's learning experience while at WHS. Both teachers were awarded the maximum grant amount for the Fall Semester.

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*Harris Teeter:*

4232, Weddington HS

*Publix:*

888512510, Participating is easy! Simply sign up for [Club Publix](#) or log in to your existing account, click Publix Partners, and select a school. Then, every time you shop at Publix, pay with the Publix app or enter your phone number at checkout. We'll give back to the school of your choice—one of the many perks of being a Club Publix member!

### **October Happenings:**

10/22 Staff Breakfast provided by Carline Marie with Let's Fix your Score

10/22 Special PTSO membership treat!

10/29 Staff Grab and Go Breakfast (SUG is already out!)

Follow us on Facebook @weddingtonhighschoolptso (WHS PTSO) and Instagram @whs\_ptso. Email us at [w.d.h.s.ptso.nc@gmail.com](mailto: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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