

Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz

301 E Main St. Wauzeka, WI 53826

November 2024

Homecoming 2024

The 2024 Wauzeka-Steuben homecoming was a success. Sunday night officially started the homecoming week, with hallway decorating. The 6th grade was Shrek, the 7th grade was Glow, the 8th grade was Mario World, the 9th graders' was Spongebob theme, 10th grade was Disney, 11th grade was Mario World, and 12th grade's theme was Wheel of Fortune. Throughout the week there were dress up days, lunch games each grade 9th-12th put on, and then Wednesday was Powderpuff football in which the senior girls won, followed by the glow run.

Friday was class float decorations, games and pep rally. During the pep rally grades 6-12 got to participate in either a lip sync or a skit. Seniors were announced spirit stick winners of homecoming this year. Following that at 5:00 pm Friday there was the parade, where the class floats, sports floats, homecoming representatives, and different community members were present. At 7pm the Blue-Golds played Blackhawk for the homecoming game, but ended up losing 14-52.

Following that Saturday was the dance, in which Austin Bunders was the DJ. Freshman reps were Hayley Mitchell and Joshua Martin, Sophomore was Brynlee Benoy and Daniel Bryant, Juniors were Molli Hooker and Andrew Mezera, and Seniors were Parker McCullick and Kylie Manning. Your honorary representatives were Zoey Jelinek, Pau Delgado, Julian Stueber, Kacper Szygenda, Francesco Ragosta, and Carol Ambrosio. The King was Ruger Paetz and the queen was Emma Wall. The miniatures were Cam Bunders and Jocelyn Mara. Everyone had a great time!



Interim District Administrator-Dr. Gary Albrecht
Nikki Asleson-President Jessie Bird-Vice President

Board of Education
Tom Martin-Clerk Ken Buck-Treasurer

District Principal-Mrs. Tiffany Dums
Brandon Millin-Member

PBIS ASSEMBLY

The 4K were awarded the Golden Spoon, 2nd Grade was awarded the Silent Slipper, and 3rd grade was awarded the Buzzing Broom. We introduced our first Behavior Buddy of the year, the Positive Pig. Students will be working hard in October to find a positive in every situation, think happy thoughts, cheer other people up, and look on the bright side.



Elementary students of the month

Kindergarten

Emmett Stuka, son of Derrick Stuka and Samantha Stuka. Emmett is a wonderful hardworking student. He is friendly to everyone. Emmett has great manners and is respectful to his friends and teachers. He uses his words so nicely when he gets big emotions or something or someone is bothering him. He is mindful of the choices he makes and considerate of others too. Mrs. Cathy is so proud of Emmett. He is a wonderful role model in the classroom. Way to Go Emmett!

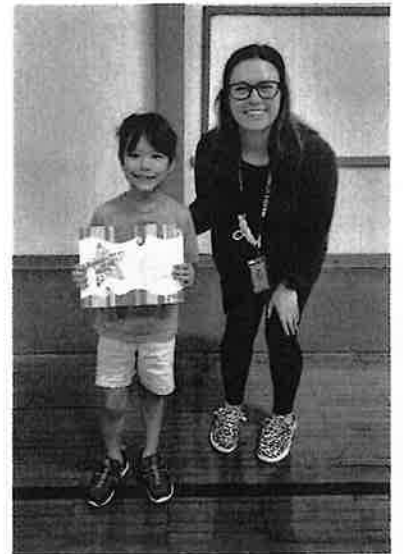


First Grade

Brooks Huber, son of John (Savannah) Huber and Katrina Swatek. Brooks has shown great leadership skills in and outside the classroom. He is doing great academically and socially being nice to his friends and classmates. Brooks is always there to help others when needed, whether it be with work, a problem, or issue they may have. Brooks has been working so hard in reading and math everyday. He shows qualities of a great example and leader in our classroom.

Second Grade

Apollo Steinhorst, son of Jessica Steinhorst. Apollo has been a star student during this first month of school. He loves to participate in class and speak up during class conversations. He always offers help to his teacher and other students. He is focused and respectful and a good friend to others. Keep up the good work!





Third Grade

Brayden Trautsch, son of Brian and Ashley Trautsch. Brayden has been a wonderful role model both in and out of the classroom. He can be trusted to do the right thing even when no one is watching. During class instruction, he takes it upon himself to ask questions when he is unsure about something which helps him clear up any confusion he may be having. He also uses work time given in class wisely without any redirection. Mr. Smith has been very pleased with Brayden's overall progress this month. Keep up the good work!

Fourth Grade

Amelia Roth, daughter of AV (Christine) Roth and Staci (Josh) Wilson. Amelia is such a delight to have in class. She is a student who wastes no time. She gets busy working on her assignments, participates in class, and follows instructions. As a result of her outstanding work habits as a student, she excels academically as well. On top of being a great student, Amelia is also a great person. She's friendly, kind and always helps others. She often volunteers to help out in the classroom. Amelia is a student who exhibits the characteristics of being respectful, responsible, and safe. As a result, her classmates see her as a leader and someone they can count on. Amelia's hard work, passion for learning, and desire to be great show why she's successful.



Fifth Grade

Blake Delgado, son of Lisa Frigo. Blake exhibits many great qualities, but the thing that stood out the most was that he is ALWAYS saying please, thank you, and you're welcome. Blake gives a great amount of effort in his work. He follows classroom expectations at all times. He isn't afraid to ask for clarification if something doesn't make sense. He also compliments his peers and encourages his classmates when they are struggling. Keep up the great work, Blake.

MS/HS Student of the month

Ruger Paetz (12th Grade), son of John Paetz and Colette Paetz Ruger has done well taking class seriously and putting forth his best effort. He is prepared for class and gets assignments in on time. He has had a very positive attitude as an athlete, student, and Homecoming King. When others tend to stuff off due to "senioritis," Ruger continues to push ahead and put his best foot forward.

Cooper Lomas (11th Grade), son of Todd (Kelsey) Lomas and Tiffany (Ben) Durns. Cooper is taking several AP courses and pushing himself to excel in all of them. His work is completed on time and done well. He contributes in class, is organized and ready to learn. He is a leader on the athletic fields/courts and a genuine nice student. He has goals and is committed to accomplishing those goals.

Brody Bunders (8th Grade), son of Ryan and Misty Bunders. Brody has done well to start the year by working hard in class and doing his best to focus on each task at hand. He works hard to make sure his homework is done completely and to the best of his abilities. Brody asks great questions in class. Brody is respectful to his peers and teachers, and he takes pride in his academics by consistently using his work time wisely.

Brooklyn Monroe (7th Grade), daughter of Cliff and Jennifer Monroe. Brooklyn is a quiet leader. She can always be counted on to complete her work well and go above what she is asked to do. She perpetually sets a good example for her peers and is a delight to have in class.



OCTOBER EMPLOYEE RECOGNITIONS

There were several school employee/leadership recognitions during this past month. Please join me in thanking these important people in our school district who proudly contribute to the success of our school!

National Custodians Recognition

Our maintenance/custodial crew perform many duties. Besides keeping the building clean on a daily basis, they solve ongoing maintenance issues. They are responsible for assisting with the countless athletic events that we have inside and outside the building - lining fields, mopping gyms, mowing ball diamonds, playground areas, and the football field.

During the summer, they complete a "deep-cleaning" process in the building so that the building is clean and ready for students and staff on the first day of school.

Your efforts are appreciated!

National Principals Recognition - Mrs. Tiffany Dums

Mrs. Dums is currently in her tenth year as Wauzeka-Steuben School District Principal. She carries a great deal of responsibilities and tasks in many different areas such as curriculum leadership, instructional leadership, student activities, parent communications, building operations, and others.

The principalship is a position that is very demanding in terms of both time and energy. New challenges await every day and consistently our principal, Mrs. Dums, steps up to meet them!

Thank you, Mrs. Dums, for your steady and successful leadership!

National School Board Week

Nikki Asleson - President

Jessie Bird - Vice President

Tom Martin - Clerk

Ken Buck - Treasurer

Brandon Millin - Member

School boards are locally elected officials who meet once/twice per month for two primary reasons (1) budget oversight (2) policy oversight. They also work as a board directly with the district administrator who is responsible for oversight of all school operations, educational and otherwise. School board members deal with a considerable amount of information in preparing for each meeting. In their "representative" capacity to school district families, they also field many thoughts and opinions that weigh into their decisions as board members.

National Coach Day (October 6)

Thanks to the leadership of our coaches and athletic director,, our school has very successful athletic programs. We have a high percentage of student athletes who perform consistently at a high level. Coaching occurs after the school/work day, so it brings its own personal and unique challenges for the coaches.

National Lunch Week (October 14-18)

Join in thanking our Food Service staff for the outstanding job they do preparing school lunches! Our students and staff are presented daily options that are nutritious and tasty with a variety of choices!

CORRECT DATES FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS!

WAUZEKA-STEUBEN SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS:

November 11th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
December 16th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
January 20th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
February 17th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
March 17th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
April 21st	6:30pm	Regular/Library
May 19th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
June 16th	6:30pm	Regular/Library

School Board agendas will be emailed to radio stations WPRE and KADR, to the District's website manager, and to the Clerk of the Village Board of Steuben for posting. Copies of the agenda will be posted at the front and rear doors of the school, at Peoples State Bank, the Wauzeke BP, and the faculty/staff lounge". The meetings will also be noticed in the school newsletters.

The above are scheduled school board meetings. Special meetings will be called as needed and posted locally.

National School Bus Safety (October 21-25)

Clearly, our bus drivers serve a very important role in that for many students they are the first and/or the last to greet students and consequently, set the tone for the school day. They perform their duties in good weather and bad, on school routes, athletic and activity routes, and for field trips.

STEM Shuttle

Special thanks to Sharon Martin who arranged for the STEM Shuttle to be with us on October 7th!

WAUZEKA-STEUBEN SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS 2023-24

November 20th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
December 18th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
January 15th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
February 19th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
March 18th	6:30pm	Regular/Library
April 22nd	6:30pm	Regular/Library
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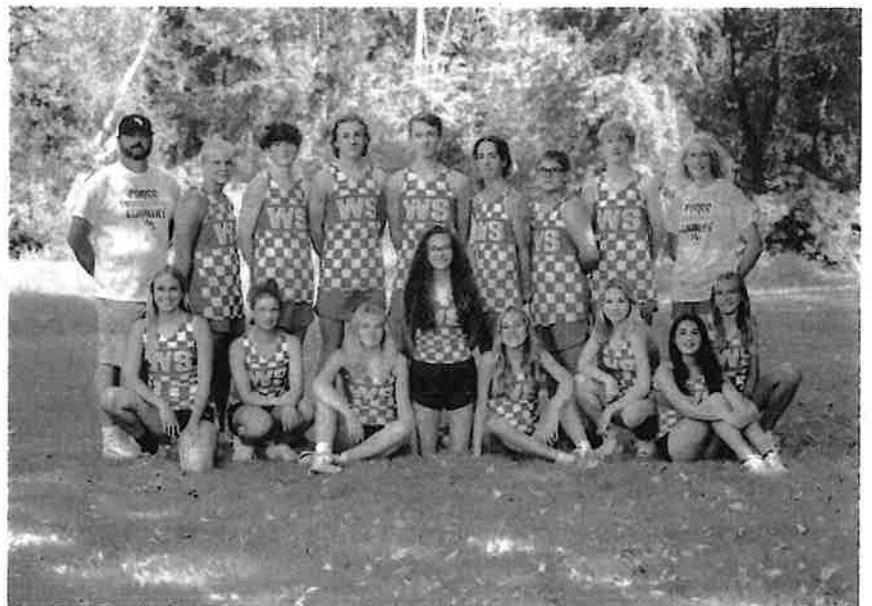
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High School Cross Country

Congratulations to Brett Wagner on breaking the School record previously held by Jake Reichmen with the time of 16:58. Also congratulations to Nolan Reed-Mullikin and Emma Udelhoven for breaking into the Hall of Fame. The girls and boys Cross Country team is succeeding as a team and for every runner individually. The team has traveled to River Ridge, Riverdale, Prairie Du Chien, and Kickapoo for recent meets. The cross country team has had a very successful and hardworking season.



October 17th 2024 was the Conference Meet held at the Wauzeka course, which is no easy course! The girls team and boys team both placed second overall. Earning first team all-conference: Nolan Reed-Mullikin, Isabella Bunders, and Brett Wagner. Earning Second team all-conference: Emma Udelhoven and Alayna Martin. Big congratulations to all runners and good luck at sectionals!





Wauzeka-Steuken Hornet House Presents:

The SOUND of MUSIC

7:00 Doll Gym

NOVEMBER

Thursday, 7 Friday, 8 Saturday, 9

Admission \$5.00 - 4 & Under FREE

Tickets available in the District Office.

Director Assistant Director Music Director

Shawn Zeek

Shannon Millin

Perry Löffler

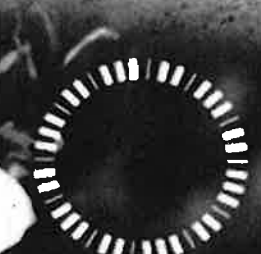
Music & Lyrics by ROGERS & HAMERSTEIN

Book by HOWARD LYND SAY & RUSSEL
CROUSE

Suggested by The Trapp Family Singers by
MARIA AUGUSTA TRAPP

Adaption by TOM BROGGS & TIMOTHY
ALLEN McDONALD

**CONCORD
THEATRICALS**



November

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1. End of 1st Quarter HSFB-Level 2 Playoffs	2. HSCC-State VB- Sectionals
3.	4. MSBB @ North Crawford 6:00 PM	5.	6.	7. VB State Play 7:00 PM Doll Gym	8. VB State HSFB- Level 3 Playoffs Play 7:00 PM Doll Gym	9. VB State Play 7:00 PM Doll Gym
10.	11. HSGB- 1st Practice	12. MSBB vs. LaFarge 6:00 PM	13.	14. MSBB vs. Ithaca 6:00 PM	15. HSFB- Level 4 Playoffs	16.
17.	18. HSWR 1st Practice HSBB 1st Practice MSBB vs Kickapoo 6:00 PM	19. HSGB vs Southwestern 6:00 PM MSBB @ Seneca 6:00 PM	20.	21. HSFB State HSGB @ Lancaster 6:00 PM	22. Trimester 1 Ends for Middle School HSFB State	23. HSFB State
24.	25. MSBB @ Desoto 6:00 PM	26. Early Release 1:30 HSBB @ PDC Scrimmage 5:45 PM	27. NO SCHOOL	28. NO SCHOOL HAPPY THANKSGIVING!	29. NO SCHOOL	30.

Hornet Cafe

November
2024

Breakfast

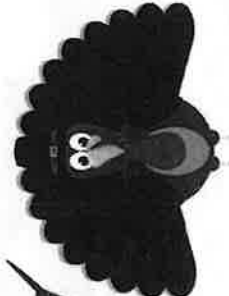
Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



4

Sausage Gravy

PBJ

5

Scrambled Eggs
w/sausage links

PBJ

6

School made
Muffins

PBJ

7

Breakfast Sandwich

PBJ

8

Combo Bar

PBJ



11

Cinnamon French
Toast

Muffins

12

Pretzel Bites

Muffins

13

Yogurt Parfaits

Muffins

14

Pancake sausage
Stick

Muffins

15

Frosted Long
John
Muffins



18

Breakfast Potatoes
w/sausage links

PBJ

19

Waffles w/bacon

PBJ

20

School made
Breakfast Pizza

PBJ

21

Sausage Gravy

PBJ

22

Cinnamon Roll

PBJ



25

Pretzel & Cheese

Muffins

26

Combo Bar

Muffins

27

No

School

28

No

School

29

No

School



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Menu is subject to change variety of milk, cereal, juice offered daily



LUNCH

November 2024

Hornet Cafe

Question or Concerns
608-875-5311ex 227

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



4
Sausage Links
Hash browns
Pancakes
Juice cup

5
Build your own Taco
w/all the fixings
Buttered corn
Sidekick slush

6
Chicken Alfredo
Bread stick
Seasoned green Beans
Grapes

7
BBQ Rib Patty
Buttered Noodles
Baked Beans
Pineapple

8
School made Pizza
Corn on the cob
Cantaloupe

11
Meatballs w/gravy
Rice or Mashed Potatoes
Seasoned Corn
Bananas

12
Mac & Cheese
Chicken Strips
Buttered Carrots
Apple slices

13
Hot dog or Brat
w/bun
Fries
Pears & Peaches

14
Pizza burgers
Potato smiles
Strawberries

15
Beef Crumbles over
Mash potatoes
Seasoned Corn
Mixed Fruit

18
Spaghetti w/meat
sauce, Bread stick
Green Beans
Peaches & Blueberries

19
Grilled or Breaded
Chicken Patty
Baked Beans
Pineapple

20
Thanksgiving Meal
Chicken & Ham
Mashed potatoes
Gravy, Corn, Treat

21
Cheeseburger w/bun
Chips
Applesauce

22
Scalloped Potatoes
w/ham
Roll, Corn, Green Beans
Strawberry Cup

25
Hot Ham & Cheese
Hash brown
Green Beans ,Peaches

26
Chicken Strips
Seasoned Fries
Carrots, Banana

27
No
School

28
No
School

29
No
School

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Meet the foreign exchange students



Kacper

Where are you from?

Poland

What brought you to the US?

It has always been my dream to come to the US.

What are some cultural differences?

Some cultural differences include the cost of living and the types of cars people drive.

Julian

Where are you from?

Germany

What brought you to the US?

I love the United States, which is why I moved here. The country offers a vibrant culture.

What are some cultural differences?

One thing different about the US compared to my country is the food. They offer large portions and unique dishes.



Francesco

Where are you from?

Italy

What brought you to the US?

The main reason why I moved to the US is because of what I saw on movies and because of the culture.

What are some cultural differences?

The food and the lifestyle.

Caroline

Where are you from?

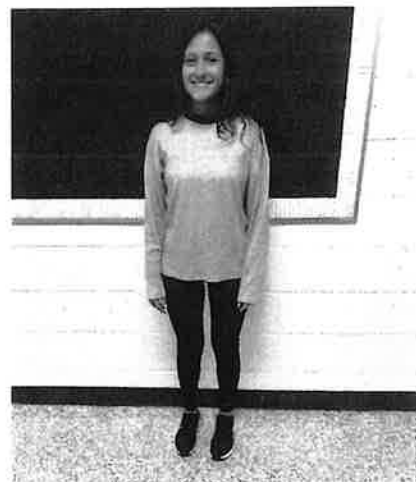
Brazil

What brought you to the US?

I came to the US for a new experience and to learn more about the language and the English culture.

What are some cultural differences?

One notable difference between the US and Brazil is that in the US, people tend to know each other much better.



COMMUNITY NEWS

301 E Main St. Wauzeka, WI 53826

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MINUTES OF WAUZEKA TOWN BOARD MEETING

October 7, 2024

The regular monthly meeting for the Town of Wauzeka was called to order at 6:30 pm on Monday, October 7, 2024 in the Town Meeting Room by Chairman Tom Jazdzewski.

Verification was made that the meeting was properly posted at the Town Meeting Room, Bush Hollow Road, Horseshoe Tavern, Oak Lane, and on WPRE Radio Station.

Roll Call was taken with Mike McGuire being absent.

Casey Reising made a motion to approve the minutes of the last meeting, seconded by Tom Jazdzewski. Motion Carried.

Tom Jazdzewski made a motion to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Tom Jazdzewski to approve the monthly bills, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

Roads - Turkey Lane is completed. Flood repair on Rhein Hollow completed. Blading completed. A ditch on Rhein Hollow is on the list of things to do.

Building Permits: No Building Permits Public Comments: No Public Comments

A motion was made by Tom Jazdzewski to adjourn the meeting at 6:51pm, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

Shawna L. Walz
Wauzeka Town Clerk

**Minutes have not been approved by the board.*

HALL OF FAME BANQUET

February 1st, 2025

AT CENTURY HALL

DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

DINNER SERVED AT 6:00 PM

**\$12 PER
TICKET**

**MUST PURCHASE
TICKETS IN ADVANCE
BY JANUARY 10TH.**

**INDUCTEES INCLUDE THE 1993 STATE SOFTBALL TEAM,
COACH DAVE PETROWITZ, CERISE GIDDINGS, ARNOLD
PITZENBERGER, WALTER LATHROP JR., DOUG KRACHEY, JEREMY
KRACHEY, AND CONTRIBUTORS MARY AND LARRY KRACHEY**

**TICKETS SOLD OUT OF CONCESSIONS DURING
HOME BASKETBALL GAMES.**

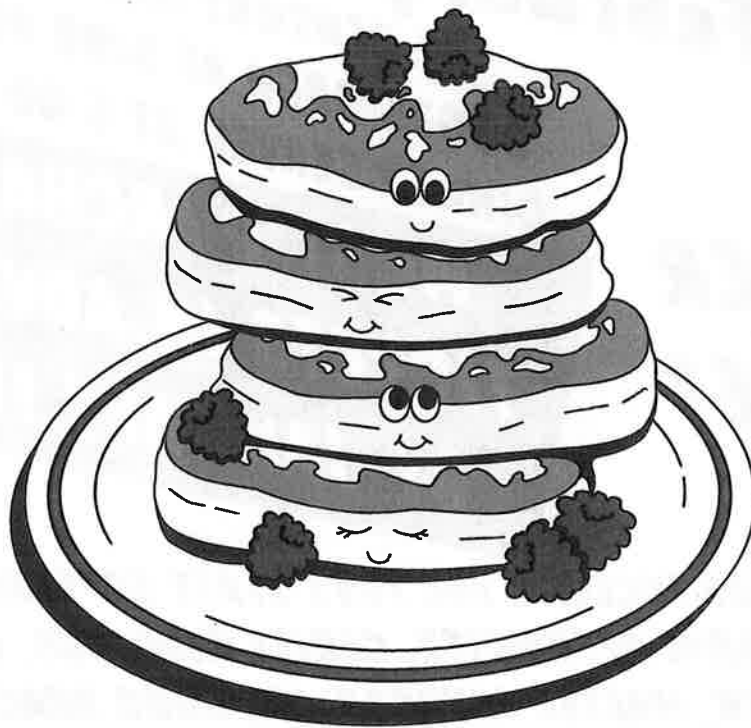
***IF YOU CANNOT GET TO A GAME, CONTACT ANGIE MANNING
AT 608-306-1894 FOR TICKETS.**

SACRED HEART CHURCH BREAKFAST

Come support the youth.

Pancakes, biscuits and gravy, eggs, meat, sweet rolls,
applesauce, juice, milk, coffee

QUILT
RAFFLE



BASKET
RAFFLES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

7:30 - 10:30 A.M.

SACRED HEART CHURCH HALL, WAUZEKA

Mark your calendars!

Saturday Dec. 7, 2024

**Wauzeka Global Methodist
Cookie Walk**

This cookie walk has been going on for
over 30 years!!

8 am til Noon (or cookies are gone)
at Century Hall, Wauzeka

Join us for some wonderful Christmas treats!

SANTA'S SECRET WORKSHOP

Making Christmas one child at a time
at the

Gift Shop

Children will be able to purchase items for their family between \$.50 and \$5.00

Any donations for the Gift Shop, welcomed

hostessed by Wauzeka Global Methodist Church

More details coming!!!

If you have any questions or would like to donate, please contact
Rhonda Cerven 608.379.3091



**WAUZEKA
HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR
& BAKE SALE**

**DECEMBER 7, 2024
9AM-2PM**

**HORNETS NEST GYM
HOT FOOD & REFRESHMENTS**

District News & Information

301 E Main St. Wauzeka. WI 53826

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School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, in accordance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972 and other Federal and State regulations, hereby declares that it is committed to the principle of equal education and employment opportunity and, accordingly, does not discriminate as to sex, race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, or physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability. Any inquiries or complaints alleging non-compliance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972 or other Federal and State civil rights or nondiscrimination regulations shall be referred to District Administrator Dt. Gary Albrecht at the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, 301 E. Main St., Wauzeka, WI 53826, (e-mail) albregar@wauzeka.k12.wi.us (call) 608-875-5311 ext. 214 and/or Jamie Nutter, Title IX Coordinator of the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, at Cooperative Educational Service Agency #3, 1300 Industrial Drive, Fennimore, WI 53809, (call) 1-608-822-2148 (e-mail) jnutter@cesa3.org.

Note: All career and technical education opportunities will be offered on a nondiscriminatory basis (without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, disability, etc.) All students in qualifying grades are eligible for enrollment. For further information please contact District Principal Tiffany Dums (608)875-5311 ext. 211 or dumstiff@wauzeka.k12.wi.us.

Wauzeka Angels Fitness Center

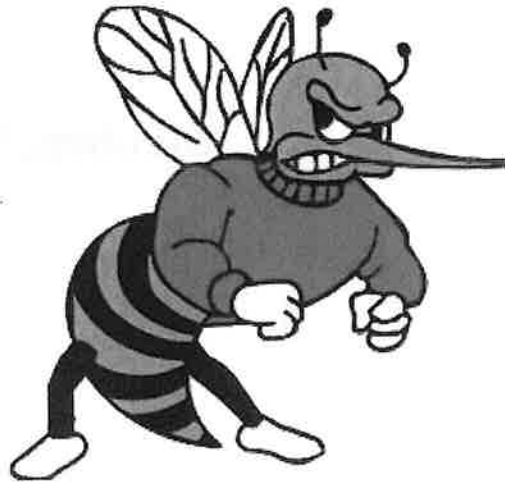
Monthly Rates

\$10 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident plus \$10 for key fob

Annual Membership Rate

\$100 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident plus \$10 for key fob

*Rates are to cover maintenance and supervision expenses.



Substitutes Needed

State law has recently changed allowing more flexibility on the requirements people need to be a substitute teacher or support staff. If you are interested in being a substitute please contact District Administrator Dr. Gary Albrecht via email: albregar@wauzeka.k12.wi.us or by phone (608)875-5311 ext. 214.

Substitutes needed:

- Food Service
- Bus Drivers
- Para professionals



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Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz

Send community events that you would like to be included in the newspaper to:

Alissa Mullikin at mulliali@wauzeka.k12.wi.us

Or drop off any information in the district office.

Next Submission Date: **November 15th**

Wauzeka, WI 53826

The Wauzeka-Steuben School District is utilizing a community-wide Resource Officer. Officer Liz Volten of the Crawford County Sheriff's Department will be available to the District during regular District hours. Officer Volten will also be available to the community and homeschooled families of the District on Wednesdays at the BP gas station from 1:00-2:00 p.m. Officer Volten can be reached via email at evolten@crowfordcountywi.org or via phone at 608-412-5184. In case of an emergency, please call 911.



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TWITTER: @Athletic_WS

INSTAGRAM: @wshs_sports