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Special Olympics Basketball Team: Gold Medal Winners

Westside's Special Olympics Basketball Team travelled to Arlington, Texas last week for the Special Olympics Texas 2018 Summer Games. The University of Texas at Arlington campus was transformed into the Olympic Village for the four-day event, hosting over 2500 athletes from around the state of Texas.

Westside High School was represented by 11

Wolves, who were accompanied by teachers Ms. Kodlubanska and Ms. Suleimanji, Coach Dion Williams, and two parent chaperones.

The Westside basketball team played hard and took home Gold Medals in their bracket. Additionally, four Wolves participated in the Individual Skills competition and earned medals as well.

The Westside team is grateful to the HISD Special

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Calendar

May 29-June 1

See detailed Final Exam and Bell Schedule on Page 3

May 30

Senior Spirit Shirt Day

Senior Check-Out,
1-3 PM

May 31

Senior Panoramic Photo, 8:30 AM in the Gym

Grad March, 10:30 AM

Spring Jazz Band Concert, 6:30 PM in the Mini-Theatre

June 1

Last Day of School

Graduation Rehearsal,
8:30 AM

Senior Picnic, 12 Noon

Special Olympics Continued from Page 1

Education Office for providing support for their trip to Arlington. Ms. Renata Kudlobanska shared that the experience gives her students an opportunity to be independent and build relationships with their friends. Ms. Suleimanji also commented that the social benefits of travelling out of town as a team are remarkable for these young athletes.

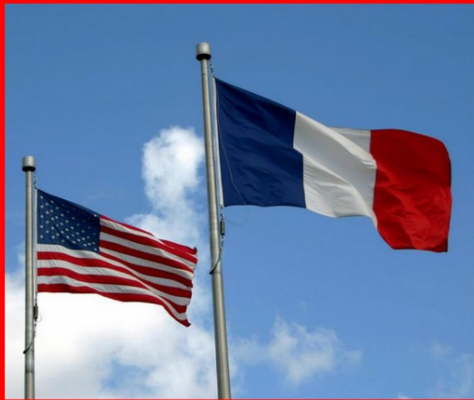
Congratulations to our Wolves! Thank you for representing Westside High School so well and we are proud of your accomplishments.



Last Week of School

| Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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French Exchange



Last Call for Westside Families!

Take advantage of an opportunity for your family to experience an amazing cultural exchange program. Host a French student from October 17-29 and your student will be invited to Angers, France in the summer of 2019.

No French language required.

Contact our French teacher, Mr. Alexander, by Wed., May 30

ralexan6@houstonisd.org

Last
Day
Of School

Friday
June 1st

Have
A Fantastic
Summer!



Summer Assignments

Westside students are required to complete assignments during the summer for many courses, including all English classes. Please click [here](#) for the current listing and check back for updates soon.

Don't forget to check the school website for your Summer Assignments!

Westside Senior 3rd in Nation in Junior Olympics



Ian Gunther, pictured 2nd from right

Earlier this month, Westside senior, Ian Gunther, placed third in the United States in Junior Olympics Men's All Around Gymnastics. Ian competed in the 2018 Men's Junior Olympics National Championship in Oklahoma City and took home a collection of hardware.

In addition to earning the Bronze Medal in All Around, he also got Gold Medals for both Pommel and Parallel Bars, Bronze on Still Bars, and a fifth place medal on High Bar.

Ian will be attending Stanford University in the fall and will be a member of the Cardinal Gymnastics Team. He is graduating with Honors from Westside and was the recipient of a Heart of the Wolf Award presented at Senior Honors Night last week.

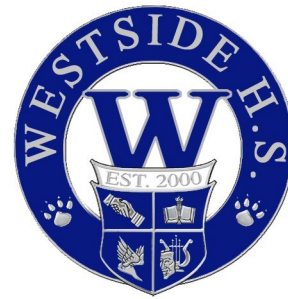
Congratulations to Ian! We look forward to following him in the future!

Westside High School All State Waterpolo Players

Congratulations!

1st Team All State
Dimosthenis Mintzardis

2nd Team All State
Georgios Mintzardis



Softball

2018 All District Honors

Newcomer of the Year- Clarisa Zapata

First Team All- District:

Alyssa Woods

Nailah Haywood

Second Team All-District:

Olivia Rovira-Rooney

Alexandra Diaz

Angel Chase

Honorable Mention:

Maley Gleason

Beatriz Flores

Melanie Guerrero

Powder Puff and Spring Game

By Coach Baxter



The Spring Football Bash was a success! The Senior girls were crowned Powder Puff 2018 Champions after defeating the Juniors 25 to 12. After that, the Defense was victorious over the Offense 30 to 24 in the Football Spring Game. Thank you to all those that came out to watch... see you in August .



Photo credit to Westside student, Javier Parra



Some Photos We Missed This Spring



Ms. Doxstater's AP Calculus BC Breakfast



Senior Wall in South 2. Shout-out to Ms. Roberts!

Some Photos We Missed This Spring



Student Leadership Team and the new Selfie Wall



Staff on White-Out Wednesday—bringing attention to Lung Cancer & supporting their colleague, Ms. Mahmassani



Perhaps....the "greatest of all time " Prom-posal!



Panda Express sends "Panda" to visit our SLL students and share food, culture, language & chopstix skills.

Announcements

Class of 2019 Senior Portrait Info

schedule

YOUR SENIOR SITTING

This will be your opportunity to have your Senior portrait taken for the 2019 Westside Yearbook. All Seniors will be wearing the traditional Tux & Drapes for your yearbook pose. When you schedule your appointment, there are sitting options that also include Cap & Gown, or outfits of your choice.

To make your appointment, log onto:

<http://seniors.legacystudios.com/westside-hs-houston/>

With Legacy Studios, you will only need to come to Westside for your sitting, and your portraits will be loaded directly to your school's yearbook. At the time of your sitting, you will also clarify how you want your name to appear in yearbook, *plus you can submit your senior quote.*

Please take advantage of the early dates in the summer!

If you have any questions please contact Ms. Roberts

srober2@houstonisd.org

Class of 2019,

It's time to set your appointment for your official senior portrait. New this year Westside seniors will have the convenience of scheduling their portrait sittings here on the Westside Campus!

Legacy Studios will be set up in the Mini Theatre:

July 31, August 1,2 - 9am - 5pm (last appt. at 4pm)

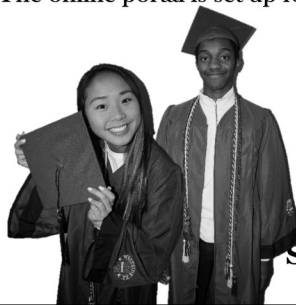
August 7-9 - 9am - 5pm (last appt. at 4pm)

\$10 online sitting fee

November 7,8 - 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

\$20 sitting fee at camera

The online portal is set up for you to schedule your sitting.



1.800.348.4360

Seniors.legacystudios.com



Congratulations

To our Class of 2018

Best wishes on all of your future endeavors!

Remember, once a Wolf, always a Wolf!

Class of 2018

Important Information

Senior Calendar

| | |
|-------------------|---|
| Tuesday, May 29th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regular-Length School Day Final Exam 7th PD for All Grades |
| Wednesday, May 30 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Senior Spirit Day! Wear your College, University, or Military shirts Final Exams 1st & 2nd PD for All Grades Senior Check-Out 1-3 PM. <p>~ Must have ID & completed Check-Out Sheet</p> |
| Thursday, May 31 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wear cap, gown, and regalia Senior Panoramic Photo 8:30 AM in the Lego Gym. Grad March 10:30 AM |
| Friday, June 1 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drop off uniform donations in collection boxes! Grad Rehearsal in the Commons 8:30 AM Senior Picnic 12 Noon Official completion deadline for graduation requirements 4:00 PM |
| Saturday, June 9 | Graduation Ceremony 3:00 PM, NRG Stadium |

Graduation Ceremony Details

Westside's Graduation Ceremony will take place on Saturday, June 9th, at 3:00 PM at NRG Stadium. To get all of the important details including maps, schedule, instructions, parking fees, family seating, security measures, etc., please click [here](#).

Please note:

- Parking is \$12 in cash per vehicle, including graduates' vehicles
- All attendees will be screened, and bags and purses will be inspected by security



Westside High School 2018 Graduation Ceremony

Saturday, June 9, 3:00 PM

NRG Stadium

Class of 2018



Senior Spirit Day
Tomorrow
Wednesday, May 30th

Seniors Only!
Wear a shirt to rep
your college, university,
or military branch!



Seniors:
Donate your
school uniforms!

BRING YOUR WASHED/FOLDED
UNIFORMS ON FRIDAY AND
DROP OFF IN COLLECTION BOXES
WHEN YOU CHECK IN FOR
GRAD REHEARSAL

Announcements

NHS Patches for your
Letterman Jacket
\$10



See Mr. Schroeder

STUDENTS RIDE FREE! JUNE 1 - SEPT. 1 2018

METRO'S Summer FUN

Students (K-12, college and university) **RIDE FREE** with a Student METRO Q® Fare Card June 1 - Sept. 1 on METRO light-rail, local bus and Park & Ride service.

Already have a Student METRO Q® Fare Card? You're good to go! Ride as much as you want and your card will not be charged from June 1 - Sept. 1, 2018.

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ATTENTION: WESTSIDE JUNIORS

THE POSSE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION IS AVAILABLE

The Posse Foundation recruits outstanding high school students who have demonstrated leadership and academic excellence to receive four-year, full tuition scholarships at a partner college or university.



The folder on the HUB contains general Posse information, a spreadsheet comparing the available Posse Colleges, a Posse Timeline and the Application.

The Posse Foundation Scholarship Application is due:

May 31, 2018

Note:
Deadline
Extended

Announcements



HOUSTON AREA RECRUITER'S NETWORK

COLLEGE SEARCH SERIES 2018

HARN

North HOUSTON 11-1pm
JUN 19
THE WOODLANDS HIGH SCHOOL
 6101 RESEARCH FOREST
 THE WOODLANDS, TX 77382

Southeast HOUSTON 12-3pm
JUN 20
SAN JACINTO SOUTH CAMPUS
 13735 Beemer Rd.
 Houston, TX 77089

SUGAR LAND 1-3pm
JUN 21
UNIVERSITY LIBRARY
 14010 UNIVERSITY BLVD
 SUGARLAND, TX 77279

KATY 1-3pm
JUN 25
CINCO RANCH LIBRARY
 2620 COMMERCIAL CENTER
 KATY, TX 77494

Auburn University
 Baylor University
 Bradley University
 Dallas Baptist University
 Kansas State University
 Lamar University
 Louisiana State University
 Louisiana Tech University
 Midwestern State University
 Northern Arizona University
 Prairie View A&M University
 Rice University
 San Jacinto College
 Sam Houston State University
 Stephen F. Austin State University
 Texas A&M - Corpus Christi
 Texas Southern University
 Texas State University

Texas Tech University
 Texas Woman's University
 University of Denver
 University of Houston - Clear Lake
 University of Houston - Victoria
 University of Houston
 University of Houston - Downtown
 University of Louisiana at Lafayette
 University of Missouri
 University of North Texas
 University of St. Thomas-Houston
 University of South Alabama
 University of Tampa
 University of Tennessee
 University of Texas at Dallas
 University of Texas-Tyler
 University of Wyoming
 West Virginia University
 Wharton Co. Junior College

The Houston Area Recruiter's Network is hosting a College Search Series to provide you with all of the information you need to navigate the college search. Please join us for one of the events listed to learn more about admissions, academics, housing, financial aid, student life, and other important topics for prospective students to consider as you begin your journey.

Calling all high school students! Are you searching for the college that is right for you?

Starting on June 19th, 2018, the **Houston Area Recruiter's Network (HARN)**, will be hosting a College Search Series to provide you with all the information you need to navigate the college search. Learn about all of the most important topics prospective students should consider as you begin your college search!

Attend one of the events to learn about:

Admissions
Academics
Housing
Financial Aid
Student Life



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fees. [Instructions](#) if needed.
<https://www.schoolpay.com/>