



# WOLF E-NEWS

*from Westside High School*

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April 1, 2024

## Calendar Notes

### Spring Testing Dates

April 11—English I  
April 16—English II  
April 18—US History  
April 24—Biology  
May 1—Algebra  
May 6-17—AP Exams

## SPRING HOLIDAY

April 10

No  
School

## Calendar

### April 6

Saturday Tutorials,  
9 AM-12 Noon

### April 10

Spring Holiday,  
No School

### April 20

Class of 2024 Prom

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2025  
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## Save the Date!

# VAPING PREVENTION

Workshop for Westside Parents



Presented by:

HISD Family & Community Engagement and Crime Stoppers

**April 18 at 5:30 PM in S100**

Followed by the PTO General Meeting at 6:30 PM

## HCC/Dual Credit

Westside Houston Community College Dual Credit program is now accepting paperwork for the 2024-2025 school year.

**12th Grade Courses offered:**

- ENGL 1301/1302
- English 4

**11th Grade Courses Offered:**

- HIST 1301/1302
- U. S. History

**After you take PreCal at Westside HS:**

- MATH 1314/1316
- College Algebra and Trig (CANNOT count as your 4<sup>th</sup> year of required math)

**Science or Elective Credit:**

- GEOL 1305/1345
- Environmental Science/Oceanography

**NEW CLASSES FOR 2024-5 – we are looking into adding new courses!**

- American Sign Language
- Economics
- Business Law

For more information and required forms, click [HERE](#) to go to the Westside Homepage and then go to “Dual Credit” under Current Headlines.

Paper copies of forms are available in the Library and in all house offices.

For more information, please contact Mrs. Matlock at [smalock@houstonisd.org](mailto:smalock@houstonisd.org).

**Saturday Tutorials**

**April 6**

**9 AM–12 Noon**

# School News

## Orchestra News



Last week on Tuesday, March 26th the Chamber Orchestra (6th period) attended their Regional UIL and performed in concert and sight reading. The Chamber Orchestra prepared for months and received the highest possible scores in concert and in sight reading! We are extremely proud of this hardworking group and look forward to their future accomplishments!

Directors: Mr. Smith and Mrs. Pham

Violins: Andrew Blair, Nicolas DeSousa, Ethan Nguyen, Derek Robbins, Mary Stephens, and Tairkhan Timurly

Violas: Diego Gamboa and Diana Stephens

Cellos: Randy Anderson, Karis Chiao, and Brigham Smith

Bass: Grant Berry

Make sure to congratulate these teachers and students!

**SPRING CONCERT ON THURSDAY, MAY 23RD**



# Class of 2024 News

**WESTSIDE 2024 PROM**

**KING & QUEEN**

NOMINATIONS APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> & 5<sup>TH</sup>

VOTING APRIL 17<sup>TH</sup> & 18<sup>TH</sup>

\* SENIORS ONLY \*  
1 SENIOR = 1 VOTE

LOGIN TO CANVAS

*Moonlight in Monte Carlo*

CLASS OF 2024  
**PROM**

**WHO?**  
ALL QUALIFYING SENIORS & GUESTS  
PAID SENIOR DUES | HAVE NO NGs | NO SUSPENSIONS OR ACTIVITY EXCLUSIONS

**WHEN?**  
SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2024 | 7PM – 11PM  
NO ENTRY AFTER 9PM | NO EXIT BEFORE 10:30PM | NO IN-OUT PRIVILEGES

**WHERE?**  
HYATT REGENCY HOUSTON WEST  
13210 KATY FREEWAY

**NEXT?**  
**COMPLETE YOUR CONTRACTS**  
EACH SENIOR SUBMITS THEIR OWN CONTRACT ONLINE STARTING APRIL 1  
NON-SENIOR & NON-WESTSIDE GUEST PAPER CONTRACTS AVAILABLE FROM DEANS

*Moonlight in Monte Carlo*

MORE INFO:   
WESTSIDEHIGHPTO.ORG

 Westside High School's  
**Graduation Ceremony**

**Class of 2024**

- No tickets needed
- No limit on number of guests
- Fee for Parking (TBD)

**Saturday, June 8, 2023**

**12:00 Noon at NRG Stadium**  
1 NRG Park, Houston, Texas 77054

## Class of 2024 News

# Scholarships:

**For Westside Students ONLY**

**Application deadline: May 1**

### **The PTO Spirit Award**

Five \$1000 awards will be given. Must have a 2.5 GPA and demonstrate Westside spirit.

Student's parent must be a PTO member as of 1/15/2024

### **The PTO Challenge Award**

Awards are \$500. GPA requirement is a 2.0 and student must have overcome an obstacle.  
Does NOT require PTO membership.

**Both of these PTO applications can be found at:**

<https://www.westsidehighpto.org/scholarship>

### **#RAKDavid Scholarship**

Two \$1500 awards will be given. Must have a 2.0 GPA and be able to document strong community service or acts of kindness.

<https://www.rakdavid.org/kindness-scholarships>

### **The Pannila Foundation**

Two \$10,000 awards (pending finalization) will be awarded, to be dispersed at \$2500/year renewable. Must have a 3.0 GPA and have a gap in college funding. Application will be emailed soon to all seniors with a 3.0 GPA via students' HISD email.

## Announcements



# COMMON CLOSET

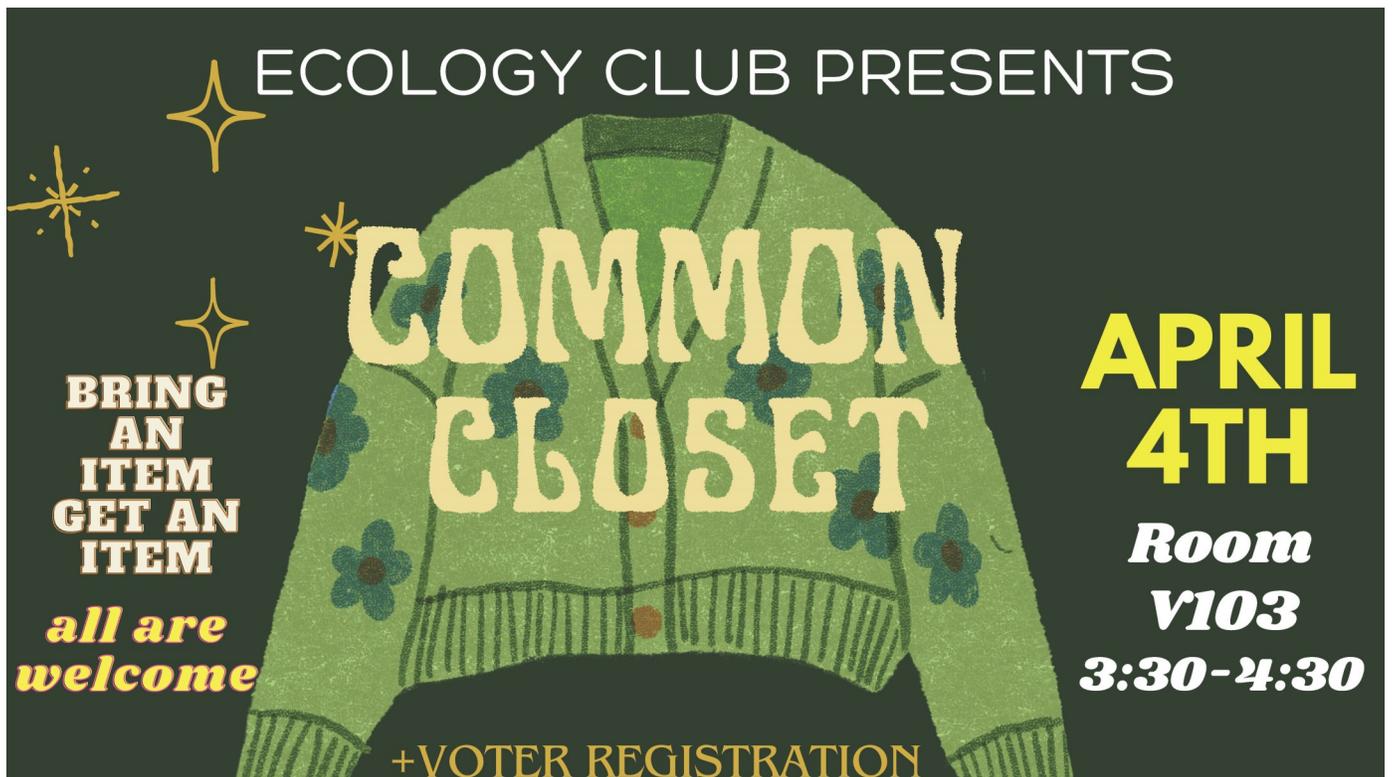
CLOTHING COLLECTION TIMES

**APRIL 1-4 DURING LUNCH**

**MTV HALLWAY**

**1 TICKET PER CLOTHING ITEM**

*MONDAY  
TUESDAY  
WEDNESDAY  
THURSDAY*



ECOLOGY CLUB PRESENTS

# COMMON CLOSET

**BRING AN ITEM  
GET AN ITEM**

*all are welcome*

**APRIL 4TH**

*Room V103*

**3:30-4:30**

+VOTER REGISTRATION



# PTO Announcements

**\$100 PER PAWPRINT FOR A FULL YEAR**

**\$20 OF THE LOGOS GOES TOWARDS THE ORGANIZATION CHOSEN**

**Pawprints**  
Make Your Mark at Westside

**MONEY GOES TOWARDS THE SENIOR CLASS FUND FOR YOUR STUDENT'S GRADUATING YEAR.**

**THE COST FOR EACH LOGO IS \$25, WITH A MAXIMUM OF 2 LOGOS PER TRANSACTION.**

SCAN ME

[www.westsidehighpto.org](http://www.westsidehighpto.org)

## 2023-2024

**The PTO Welcomes All New and Returning Westside Families!**

WHS PTO Website

Scan using your camera

**WAYS YOU CAN HELP:**

- JOIN THE PTO!
- VOLUNTEER!
- DONATE!
- SHOP OUR STORE!
- ATTEND MEETINGS!

**Join and become a PTO member today!**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**  
SEE THE PTO FLYER IN YOUR STUDENT'S FIRST DAY PACKET

[WESTSIDEHIGHPTO.ORG](http://WESTSIDEHIGHPTO.ORG)

ESTD 2000

**Calling all Parents!!**  
**Join the Westside PTO**

We are looking to fill several positions that will help with our Homecoming Dance, Teacher Appreciation events, Fundraising, and much more! This is a great opportunity to be involved in the school and get to know the Westside staff.

**Join the Team!**

Please complete this form for next year's opportunities.

**Scan Me!**

Contact: Meghan Hokom  
mehan98@hotmail.com  
for any questions.

## WESTSIDE SCHOOL STORE

A SERVICE PROVIDED BY PTO

**HOURS:**  
**TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS**  
**DURING LUNCH**  
&  
**3:30 - 4:00 PM**

**QUESTIONS: [WHSPTOSTORE@GMAIL.COM](mailto:WHSPTOSTORE@GMAIL.COM)**

**We  
Are  
Westside!**

# 23/24 Bell Schedule

Mon/Tues/Fri	Wednesday & Thursday
<b>1st Period</b> 7:45 - 8:38	<b>1st Period</b> 7:45 - 8:45
<b>2nd Period</b> 8:43 - 9:38	<b>3rd/2nd Period</b> 8:51 - 10:24
<b>3rd Period</b> 9:43 - 10:36	<b>Pack Time</b> 10:30 - 11:00
<b>4th Period</b> 10:41 - 11:34	<b>LUNCH</b> 11:06 - 12:06
<b>LUNCH</b> 11:38 - 12:31	<b>5th/4th Period</b> 12:13 - 1:46
<b>5th Period</b> 12:36 - 1:29	<b>7th/6th Period</b> 1:52 - 3:25
<b>6th Period</b> 1:34 - 2:27	
<b>7th Period</b> 2:32 - 3:25	



**WESTSIDE**  
**WOLVES**

## ENERGIZE!

### Follow Us on Social Media



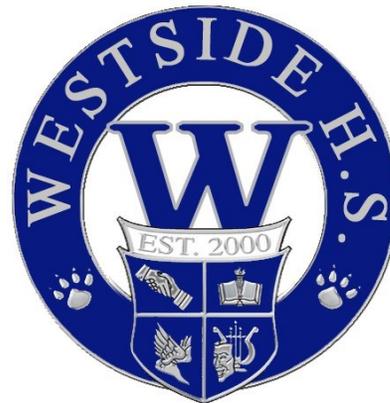
Facebook: Westside High School



Instagram: gowestsidewolves



Twitter: @westsidehigh



### Quick Links

Submit stories and photos for eNews:

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School Pay:

<https://www.schoolpay.com/>

School Web Address:

<https://www.houstonisd.org/westsidehs>

HISD Web Address:

<https://www.houstonisd.org>