

The RoundUp

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Calendar of Events



- 1/13 Registration for EWLP Ends
- 1/16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (NO SCHOOL)
- 1/17-20 WCS Successory Program
- 1/18 General PTO Meeting (9:15am, Cafeteria)
- 1/18 Seussical, Jr. Parent Information Meeting (5:00pm, Library)
- 1/20 Talent Show Audition Registrations Due
- 1/20 Seussical, Jr. Audition Clinic (3:45-4:45pm, Music Rm.)
- 1/24 Talent Show Auditions (5:30-8:00pm, Gym)
- 1/24 Teacher/Staff Appreciation Luncheon
- 1/27 Yearbook Pre-Order Final Deadline

WCS 2016-17 Calendar

<http://www.wcs.edu/about/district-calendar/>



Happy Birthday!

- 1/13 Sally Munns
- 1/15 Amy Young
- 1/19 Sue Barstein
- 1/19 Alyssa Earls
- 1/19 Sandy Ham

SSES PTO Website: <http://ssespto.ch2v.com>



The Sunset Radio Hour Talent Show is calling all 3rd-5th grade singers, musicians, comedians, actors, dancers, and other entertaining acts to audition!

Please note that all dates related to the Talent Show have changed as of 1/10. The Talent Show will be held on *Friday, February 17, 2017*. Registration forms are attached AND are also available in the front office. They must be filled out, signed by both student and parent, and returned to the front office by **Friday, January 20, 2017**.

If you are interested in participating in the Talent Show, please note the follow dates:

- Fri., January 20: Audition registration forms due
- Tue., January 24: Auditions (sign up for a time slot at <http://bit.ly/2hPhXPc>)
- Mon., February 13, 3:30-6:00pm: *Mandatory* rehearsal
- Wed., February 15, 3:30-6:00pm: *Mandatory* rehearsal
- Fri., February 17: Talent Show

For more information, review the attachment or go to <https://www.facebook.com/events/157008694732486/>.

For any questions, please email Shanna Jensen at shannaljensen@gmail.com or Sarah Goude at sarah@regalodesign.com.

General PTO Meeting

Wednesday, January 18

9:15-10:00am

SSES Cafeteria

All are welcome!

PTO Activities

Ties & Tiaras



Sunset's father-daughter dance, Ties and Tiaras, will be **Friday, February 3, 7:00-9:00pm**. All fathers/grandfathers/uncles/etc. are invited to accompany their Sunset girls to this event. The cost is \$15 per dad/male attendee and each girl will receive a tiara. Dessert and drinks will be served. Please register and submit payment online at <http://ssetspto.ch2v.com/content.asp?PageID=27>.

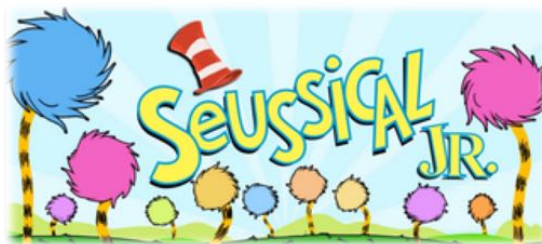
Tier 3 Volunteer Badges

Some volunteer opportunities, like chaperoning field trips and assisting in the school clinic, require Tier 3 Volunteer approval. The Tier 3 Volunteer approval process includes a criminal background fingerprint check and a volunteer application and confidentiality agreement. This process may take several weeks, so please plan accordingly. For more information, please go to <http://www.wcs.edu/parents-students/volunteer-in-schools/> to learn about how to volunteer in Williamson County Schools.

After going through the Tier 3 Volunteer approval process, you may obtain your badge at Sunset ES. *Before scheduling an appointment to obtain your badge, please call the main office (615-472-5020) to confirm you are on the approved volunteer list.* Then contact Sarah Jones at sarahbjones01@hotmail.com to schedule a time to obtain your badge. You must bring your driver's license for verification. **No volunteer badge can be made without your driver's license.** If you lost your badge or your badge is broken, you may obtain a replacement badge for \$5 and you must bring your driver's license for verification again.

Around School

Spring Musical: Seussical, Jr!



Parents of 4th Graders and 5th Graders: Your child can be a part of this year's SSES production of Seussical Jr. This year, Ms. Bailey and Mr. Lambert will co-direct the school production. Please join us for an informational meeting on **Wednesday, January 18 at 5:00pm** in the Sunset Elementary School library. Details about auditions, rehearsal schedules, volunteer opportunities, and much more will be shared.

In addition, Mr. Lambert will be hosting an audition clinic for any student interested in reviewing the audition music on **Friday, January 20 from 3:45-4:45pm** in the Sunset Elementary School music room. Any interested students should register by clicking here: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4ba8a72da4f58-seussical>.

Parents: Be sure to contact your child's homeroom teacher in writing to inform him/her that your child will stay after school for the clinic.

ENCORE! Summer Day Camp

This year Sunset, Nolensville, and Mill Creek will be hosting their own ENCORE! camps at their schools during the summer. The dates are **Nolensville June 5-9**, **Sunset June 19-23**, and **Mill Creek July 10-14**. *Any Williamson County elementary student may attend these camps; s/he does not have to be a student at the school in which it is hosted.*

REGISTRATION: We will not have a registration day this year. Instead registration will take place online. A link with the registration form will be sent out at the beginning of February. Each school will have their own registration link. You must register for each camp separately.

BROCHURES: Brochures will also be sent out electronically in January. You will be able to find a link to the brochure on the school's website. Again, each school will have their own brochure due to classes being different at each camp.

PAYMENT: There is a \$35 non-refundable registration fee. The tuition for camp is \$140 for a total of \$175. Payments in the form of a check may be mailed to each school. Online payment links will also be available during our February registration period. Each school will have their own payment link.

If you have any questions, please email sunsetencore@gmail.com.

Successory Program



Start the new year off right and say thank you to a WCS employee! Williamson County School's Successory Program returns January 17, giving students a chance to say thank you to the school employees who are helping them become a success. Participating is easy! Just print a Successory form from http://www.wcs.edu/wp-content/pdf/Successory_Nomination.pdf, fill it out with the name of a school employee (teacher, bus driver, cafeteria worker, etc.) who's making a difference in your life and drop it off in the box marked Successory forms in the front office the week of **January 17-20**. At the end of the week, a name will be drawn and one lucky employee will receive a special prize.

Wanted: Performers



International Week will be March 13-17 and we are looking for cultural performances for the International Assembly that will take place on **Friday, March 17**. We are asking performers to be part of two performances that day. One for the middle school at 7:30am and the second at the elementary school at 8:30am. We welcome parents, students, or other performers who are interested in sharing their culture with our schools. Please email Mrs. Locklear at pamela.locklear@wcs.edu if you are interested in performing!

Yearbook



It is not too late to order your 2016-17 yearbook! The cost is now \$30 and the final deadline for orders is **Friday, January 27**. Go to <https://yearbookforever.com/> to place your order.

Be Nice License Plates

January 31, 2017 is the deadline to pre-order and promote the BE NICE message on your car! For \$36.05, you can show your WCS pride and spread the message to BE NICE. For more information, go to <https://www.kenrosepto.com>.



Extracurriculars

World Language Program

TODAY is the deadline to register for the spring semester of the Elementary World Language Program (EWLP)! These one hour weekly classes begin the week of January 23 and end the week of April 17. The cost is \$100/student for the semester. The SSES schedule is below. Register on the EWLP website, <http://www.wcs.edu/parents-students/elementary-world-languages/>.



Class	Class Day	Start Time	End Time
Sunset Spanish AM (2 nd -3 rd grade) Monday	M	7:15am	8:15am
Sunset Spanish AM (4 th -5 th grade) Wednesday	W	7:15am	8:15am
Sunset Spanish PM (K-1 st grade) Monday DAY CHANGE!	M	4:00pm	5:00pm
Sunset Chinese PM (K-2 nd grade) Thursday	Th	4:00pm	5:00pm
Sunset Chinese PM (3 rd -5 th grade) Wednesday	W	7:15am	8:15am

Sunset Lacrosse



The Sunset Lacrosse Team has openings for new players on our JV and Varsity teams. These teams are open to 5th - 8th graders and no experience is necessary. Practices begin **Saturday, January 14 at 8:30am** at Sunset Middle School. Contact laxsunset@gmail.com for more information.

NHS Baseball Camp



It's time to dust off the bats, balls, and gloves and prepare for the upcoming baseball season by attending our first annual winter camp on **Saturday, February 4, 9:00am to 12:00pm!**

During camp, K-8th grade boys and girls will be instructed in both basic and advanced fundamentals using age appropriate drills designed for each camper's individual skill level. Campers will be coached by NHS baseball coaching staff, which consists of former college players and members of the 2017 NHS baseball team. The cost is \$40. See attachment for more details.

Sunset Night at NHS



Nolensville High School invites all members of the SSES and SMS community to their basketball game against Page HS on **Friday, February 10**. The women's game begins at **6:00pm** and the men's game begins at **7:30pm**. All children wearing a Sunset Middle or Elementary school shirt will get in free when accompanied by an adult. Adult tickets are \$5.00.

Submissions for The RoundUp

The RoundUp is distributed via e-mail every Friday when school is in session. Information for The RoundUp is due by 5:00pm on Wednesday for entry into that week's issue. Please e-mail submissions to Sarah Jones at sarahbjones01@hotmail.com.