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Hello West Cary Families, this is Mike James, principal with your weekly news and updates

### **NEW OPEN HOUSE DATE**

Our Open House Night for parent/guardians will be **Tuesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>**. There will be an Academically, Intelligent, Gifted session in the auditorium beginning at 5:30 for those who are interested in that program. Our general session will begin at 6:00 pm and conclude at 7:30. Below is a guide to the evening's program.

### **TDAP Vaccines**

7<sup>th</sup> Grade Parents – if your child has not received their TDAP vaccination, this **MUST** be done by September 26. Parents will need to bring in proof of the updated vaccinations to Student Services. If students do not get their up to date TDAP vaccination, then they will **NOT** be allowed back in school until the vaccinations have been updated. This is a State Law requirement.

### **Athletics**

For a complete listing of West Cary Athletic schedules and events, please go to the link below. Our student athlete programs are tops in the Western Area! Come out and support our student athletes at West Cary.

<https://www.wakecountyathletics.com/westcary>

### **WCMS PTA Corner**

- Our general PTA meetings are on the first Thursday of every month, in the Media Center, from 7:30-8:30am. Our next PTA meeting is Thursday 10/3! Everyone is welcome to attend!
- Please join the PTA online via this link:

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1. Go to [WCMS PTA Sign Up](#)
  2. Confirm family information. Remember to add rising 6th grade students! Be sure to click Save and Continue
  3. Once you confirm, add "PTA Parent membership" to your cart
  4. Check out using PayPal (has a pay by credit card option)
- Please take advantage of our Merchant 'No Fuss' Fundraising opportunities – your grocery shopping can earn money for West Cary. Details are below.

## Reminders

Right turn only out of our carpool lanes 7:00-7:45 am and 2:15-2:45 pm. Most everyone is adhering to this request. There are 4 or 5 folks who are not. Please don't be one of those people! Our carpool lines are flowing extremely well this year.

If you arrive to school later than 7:30 am you must accompany your child into the school to be checked in. This is a safety protocol. You can email me directly if you need additional information for "why" this is a safety protocol.

PTA Meetings – 7:30 am on the first Thursday of every month. These meetings are open to all in our West Cary Community!

West Cary Families – our school motto is ***"Dream, believe, achieve – make it happen!"*** We are committed to excellence and helping our students dream, believe, and achieve in their academic and athletic successes.

Thank you,

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