

# DuneNews

Weekly Duneland School news for parents, students and teachers

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## Duneland Schools to host 2nd Annual Job Fair Oct. 11

Hoping to find a fresh start, a different job, or a new career direction? Job seekers can find exciting part-time opportunities at this free in-house job fair being hosted by the Duneland School Corporation on Tuesday, October 11.

The School Corporation is always looking for and in need of substitutes in custodial, transportation and food services; as well as substitute teaching. Many of these subbing positions may lead to future full time opportunities for potential employees.

Representatives from each of the areas of custodial, transportation, food services and substitute teaching will be available at the fair to talk with potential candidates.

The Duneland School Corporation Job Fair will be hosted on Tuesday, Oct. 11 from 1:30-5:00 p.m. at the Duneland Administration Center, 601 W. Morgan Avenue in Chesterton. Parking is available in the south parking lot of Chesterton Middle School. Signs will be posted for entry to the Fair.

## CHS to Host Financial Aid Night on October 6

The Chesterton High School Guidance Department will present a Financial Aid Night at the school on Thursday, October 6, at 7 p.m. in the Cafeteria. Parents and students can use Entrance 31 & 34 on the north side of the building. Senior students and parents are encouraged to attend. A representative from a college financial aid office will present a step by step, line by

line explanation of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and processes for students to be eligible for federal and state financial assistance. Students and parents are encouraged to attend this important meeting. Please contact the CHS Guidance Office at 983-3730 with any questions.

## Help WIS Collect Shoes Pairs for Classroom Computers

Westchester Intermediate School is collecting gently used or new shoe pairs to help buy Chromebooks for student classrooms.

The school is asking the community for help in meeting their goal of 7,500 pairs. So far, the school has collected 425 pairs and need to collect the remainder before their drive ends on Friday, October 14.

Please help by cleaning out your closets of those sandals, baby shoes, heels, boots,

cleats, etc. that no longer fit you or members of your family and help us to find them a new home. Any size and season shoes are welcome and greatly appreciated. This donation would not only help the school, it would benefit those who will be wearing the shoes.

Shoes can be brought to the School's Main Office, 1050 S. Fifth Street in Chesterton through Oct. 14.

## For Your Information

**Early Dismissal Day:** All Duneland students will have early dismissal on Tuesday, Oct. 4. School dismissal times will be: Elementary at 1:45 p.m.; Intermediate at 1:35 p.m., CMS at 2:25 p.m. and CHS at 2:10 p.m.

Elementary and Intermediate students will be picked up 10 minutes early by our buses and the Intermediate school day will begin 10 minutes early at 8:05. Students will be dismissed early so that teachers may attend school improvement and professional development activities. If you have questions, please contact your child's school.

**Homecoming Playhouses:** Raffle tickets for the 2016 student built Homecoming Playhouses are available at the CHS Main Office through Monday, Oct. 3 for \$25 each. Houses are on display next to the CHS Football Stadium.

Four houses, one for each student class will be raffled. The community house will be donated to the Duneland Boys and Girls Club to complement their new facility. 100% of the proceeds from the raffle will go to these local charity: Westchester Neighbors Food Pantry - Freshman House (Batman), Frontline Foundations - Sophomore House (Forest House), Jacob's Ladder - Junior House (Cabin), Lotus Reach - Senior House (Paris House).

Thanks to Tom Garzella, Building Trades teacher and his students for constructing these play-

houses; to sponsors Trout Glass & Mirror, Metropolitan Steel, Dr. Brian McGue, DDS, Allergy Asthma Care, Dr. Ken Blumenthal, Construction Advancement Foundation and Hopkins Ace Hardware for another amazing paint donation; and to the CHS Student Government for designing and painting these unique playhouses.

**CHS Student Gov't Seeks Community Organization Participants:** The CHS Student Government is looking for community and service organizations to participate in their Hall-oween Trick or Treat event on Thursday, Oct. 27 at Chesterton High School from 5-6:30 p.m. Participants are welcome to dress up and need to provide their own candy. Student Government will provide tables and chairs. For more information or to participate contact jennifer.jendrzejczyk@duneland.k12.in.us.

**Purchase Your Brick and Leave Your Legacy:** Boys & Girls Clubs of Porter County is inviting the general public to be part of a historic project. Individuals have the opportunity to order a brick that will be fixed in the entry-way of new Duneland Boys & Girls Club in Chesterton. A personal brick can be customized, viewed and ordered in three sizes including the \$500 Executive's Circle Brick, \$250 Investor's Circle Brick, and a \$100 Mentor's Club Brick by visiting [bgcpoco.org/bricks](http://bgcpoco.org/bricks).

**The Chesterton Elementary Wrestling League** will host registration at their Fall Picnic on on Sunday, Oct. 9 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at Coffee Creek Pavilion. Registration is open to any student in grade K-6 attending Duneland Schools or St. Patrick School. Students may be of any wrestling ability. The League meets twice a week from November 1 through December 13. The program includes instruction from high school, middle school and Chesterton Wrestling Club coaches as well as friendship meets with other clubs. The league is a great way to introduce a child to wrestling as well as hone the skills of more experienced wrestlers. Entire cost for the program is \$100. Participants can also sign up online at [www.dunelandwrestlingclub.org](http://www.dunelandwrestlingclub.org) For additional info contact Chris Joll at [cjoll@duneland.k12.in.us](mailto:cjoll@duneland.k12.in.us).

## School Pictures at a Glance:

Oct. 4 LIS Picture Retakes  
Oct. 6 Brummitt & Jackson Elem.  
Oct. 18-20 CHS Senior retakes

**Organizing Your Student:** Is your student feeling overwhelmed? Let Wendy Taddeucci, CPO, from Simply Organized, LLC, help you learn how to communicate with your student and get the tools they need to help them get back in control and be successful at school. The Westchester Public Library is hosting this free program in the Bertha Wood Meeting Rm. at Thomas Library, 200 W. Indiana Ave. in Chesterton on Wednesday, Oct. 5 from 4-5 p.m. For more information contact the WPL at 926-7696.

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

**Brummitt Bash:** Brummitt Elementary School will host their annual Brummitt Bash fall school carnival on Friday, October 14, from 5-7:30 p.m. Admission is \$8 per child (adults and children 3 and under are free). Admission includes games, cake walk, costume contest (Brummitt students only) and the "Haunted Hallway." Food, Kona Ice and photos are available at an additional charge. Parents can bid on silent auction items that will include items for all ages. In addition to bidding on items donated by Brummitt families parents can also bid on "teacher experiences," classroom art projects, a front row school parking spot, a 2014 American Girl Doll of the Year, four (4) Disney World (one day, park hopper) passes, various local business gift cards available and MUCH, MUCH MORE! This is not a drop off event.

## INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS

**Fun 3K Glow Run/Walk:** Westchester Intermediate School Student Council will host their third annual Fun 3K Glow Run/Walk community service fundraising event to benefit the WIS Student Council on Friday, Oct. 7 at 7:30 p.m. The event is open to the public. Race registration will open at 6:30 p.m. in Gym B at Westchester Intermediate School, 1050 South 5th Street in Chesterton. The race will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The t-shirts are black with glow-in-the-dark design with this year's WIS 'Glo Run' 2016 Pac-Man theme. A donation will be made to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society from the proceeds.

Pre-registration cost per person is \$15 without t-shirt/\$25 with t-shirt. T-shirt orders are due to WIS by Friday, Sept. 30. A limited number of t-shirts will be available at the event for \$15. Runners will receive a glow stick to wear during the race. Additional glow items will be available for purchase. Kona Ice will also be available for purchase at the event.

To register, visit the Westchester Interme-

diate School site at [www.duneland.k12.in.us/westchester](http://www.duneland.k12.in.us/westchester)

**Duneland Swim Club 2016/17 Fall/Winter Registration:** The Duneland Swim Club's upcoming swim season now offers an electronic registration processing. Online registration is now available for all returning and new members including 3-week trials. All members are REQUIRED to utilize the electronic registration system available on our website at [duneswim.com](http://duneswim.com)

Use CMS Entrance#9. All NEW swimmers must bring a copy of their birth certificate. Duneland Swim Club on-site registration continues throughout the season from 3:15-3:45 p.m. on specified trial dates (listed below), at the CMS Pool. Swimming begins on these dates from 4-4:50 p.m. Monday through Friday and goes to the end of the remaining trial period.

Trial #2-Oct. 3; Trial #3-Oct. 24; Trial #4-Nov. 14; Trial #5-Dec. 5; Trial #6-Dec. 26; Trial #7-Jan. 16.

More information the [duneswim.com](http://duneswim.com) homepage. Please Contact Coach Christy by email at [kallayfamily@comcast.net](mailto:kallayfamily@comcast.net) with any questions.

### CHESTERTON HIGH SCHOOL

#### CHS College & Career Center:

**College Fair:** The National Association of College Admission Counseling will host a College Fair on Saturday, Oct. 1 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at McCormick Place in Chicago. Register at [www.nacacfairs.org/midwest](http://www.nacacfairs.org/midwest)

#### College/University Representatives:

##### September:

30 University of Southern California (10-10:45)-Career Center

##### October:

- 4 University of Notre Dame (10-10:45 Career Center)
- 6 Indiana Wesleyan University (2-2:45 Career Center) and Governors State University (11-1)
- 11 Indiana University-Bloomington (10-11 Career Ctr.)
- 13 Manchester University (11-1) and Wabash College (11:45-12:45 Career Center)

**Scholarship Info:** See Mrs. Arthur in the CHS Career Center located in the Guidance Office for an application and more information.

**Wendy's Heisman Scholarship** applications are available online at [www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/](http://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/) Due Oct. 3

**The History and Significance of the 7th Amendment:** Scholarship Essay Contest. More information can be found in the College & Career Center. Due Oct. 7

**Louie's Tux Shop Scholarship & Model Search** information is available at [www.louies-tuxshop.com/modelsearch](http://www.louies-tuxshop.com/modelsearch) Deadline is Oct. 16

**Horatio Alger Scholarship** applications are online at [www.scholars.horatioalger.org](http://www.scholars.horatioalger.org). Due Oct. 25

**Coca-Cola Scholarship applications** are available online at <https://connect.cocacolascholars.org/sslpage.aspx?pid=646> Due Oct. 31

**The Danforth Scholars Program** at Washington University in St. Louis is accepting nominations. See Mrs. Arthur in the Career Center for more information. Washington University must receive forms by Nov. 15.

**Elks Nation Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarship** applications are available at <http://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm> Due Nov. 30

**Duneland Family YMCA News:** For more information contact the YMCA at 926-4204.

FALL FAMILY FEST on Oct. 1 from 2-5:00 p.m., Celebrating 50 Years in Duneland - Come join us for this fun family event while we also celebrate our 50-year anniversary! Food, family games, kids activities and fitness class demonstrations are just a few fun activities to enjoy. Raffles held throughout the day, tours of the Y and new Cardio Center, art projects, games provided by Kids Power Porter County in the gym for \$6 per person. For more information contact Emily at 926-4204 or [ehoge@dunelandymca.org](mailto:ehoge@dunelandymca.org).

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For your convenience, it is also linked to your Family Access Message Center.

**Visit Duneland School Corporation's** Homepage and DuneNews online at <http://www.duneland.k12.in.us>

## School Calendar

Thursday, September 29, 2016

- 4:15 p.m. BA Career Wear Day
- 4:15 p.m. CMS 7&8 CC CMS Inv.-LIS
- 5 p.m. CHS Boys V TN Sec.-Portage
- 5 p.m. CHS Girls V SCR-Griffith
- 5 p.m. CHS Girls Fr/JV/V VB-Portage
- 6 p.m. CHS Boys Fr FB Portage-H

Friday, September 30, 2016

- BA wear Trojan/BA Spirit Wear
- BA Box Tops & Frozen Friday
- CHS Girls V Golf IHSAA State Finals

6-7 p.m. BA Fall Family Dance-Gym

7 p.m. CHS Boys V FB-Lk. Central

Saturday, October 1, 2016

- CHS TG Comp.-Plymouth HS
- CHS Girls V Golf State Finals-Prairie View GC in Carmel
- CHS Girls JV VB Tourn.-Lowell
- 8 a.m. CMS 7&8A VB Boston Inv.@ LaPorte HS

8:30 a.m. CMS 7&8B VB Inv.-Pierce

9 a.m. CHS B&G V CC DAC Champ-Portage

9 a.m. CHS Girls V VB Inv.-Elkhart Mem.

10 a.m. CHS Boys JV FB-Lk Central-H

Monday, October 3, 2016

4 p.m. CHS Boys JV SCR Inv. -Valpo

4:30 p.m. CMS 8 VB Thomas Jeff.-H

4:30 p.m. CMS 7 VB-Thomas Jeff.

Tuesday, October 4, 2016

LIS School Picture Retakes

1:35 p.m. IM Early Dismissal

1:45 p.m. EL Early Dismissal

2:10 p.m. HS Early Dismissal

2:25 p.m. MS Early Dismissal

4:30 p.m. CMS 7&8 CC-B. Franklin@LIS

4:30 p.m. CMS 7&8 FB-Ben Franklin

5 p.m. CHS Girls Fr/JV/V VB-M. City

7 p.m. LIS 6 Fall Band Concert-Gym

Wednesday, October 5, 2016

Noon CHS Boys V SCR IHSAA Sec

-Valpo

6-7 p.m. BA Title 1 Parent Mtg-Cafeteria

7 p.m. CMS 7&8 Fall Orchestra

Concert-Aud.

Thursday, October 6, 2016

BR/JA School Pictures

CHS Music Dept. District

Fundraiser-MONEY DUE

4:30 p.m. CMS 7&8 CC-Thomas Jeff.

4:30 p.m.

CMS 7 VB Fegely-H

4:30 p.m.

CMS 8 VB-Fegely

5 p.m.

CHS Girls V SCR-IHSAA Sec -Portage

5 p.m.

CHS Girls Fr/JV/V VB-M'ville-H

6 p.m.

LES PTO Mtg-Media

6 p.m.

CHS Boys Fr. FB-Lk. Central

7 p.m.

CHS Financial Aid Night-Entr. 31 & 34

Friday, October 7, 2016

IM/MS Music Dept. District

Fundraiser-MONEY DUE

6:30 p.m.

WIS 3rd Annual Fun 3K Glow Run/Walk-Race@7:30 p.m.

7 p.m.

CHS Boys V FB-Crown Pt.

Saturday, October 8, 2016

CHS TG Marching Band Prelims-Homestead HS, Ft. Wayne

8 a.m.

CHS Girls Fr. VB Inv.-Valpo

8 a.m.

CHS Girls V VB Inv.-N. Montgomery-H

9 a.m.

CMS 7&8B VB Inv.-Ben Franklin

9 a.m.

CMS 8A VB CMS Inv.-H

9 a.m.

CHS B&G CC Sec.-Sunset Hill Farm Park

10 a.m.

CHS Boys JV FB-Crown Pt.-H

10 a.m.

CHS Girls V SCR IHSAA

Champ-Portage

2 p.m.

CHS Boys V SCR IHSAA Sec.

Champ.-Valpo

2-5 p.m.

WDSO 40th Reunion Celebration-Cafe

Sunday, October 9, 2016

CHS Show Choir Choral

Festival-Augustana College

FB=Football CC=Cross Country SCR=Soccer

VB=Volleyball TN=Tennis B&G=Boys & Girls

## School Menus\*

(\*School menus are subject to change without notice)

### Elementary and Intermediate Menu

Monday, Oct. 3, 2016

Mini Corn Dogs, Fresh Broccoli w/Dip, Corn, Grapes or Applesauce, Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 4, 2016

Big Daddy's Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza, Romaine Garden Salad, California Blend w/ Cheese, Peaches or Juice, Jello, Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2016

Hot Dog on a Bun, French Fries or Baked Beans, Orange slices or Pineapple Fruit Cup, Milk

Thursday, Oct. 6, 2016

Chicken Rings, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Cherry Tomatoes, Mixed Fruit or Strawberries, Wheat Roll, Milk

Friday, Oct. 7, 2016

Smooth and Creamy Land 'O Lakes Mac 'n Cheese, Toasted and Buttered Italian Bread, Green Bean, Carrots w/Dip, Applesauce or Pears, Milk

### Chesterton Middle School Menu

Monday, Oct. 3, 2016

Garlic Cheese Bread, Tomato Soup, Goldfish Crackers, Diced Pears, Milk

Tuesday, Oct. 4, 2016

Beef and Cheese Burrito, Bean Salad, Orange, Milk

Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2016

Chicken Drumsticks, Potato w/Gravy, Roll, Diced Peaches, Milk

Thursday, Oct. 6, 2016

Sloppy Joes on Bun, Broccoli, Nutri-Grain Bar, Banana, Milk

Friday, Oct. 7, 2016

Stuffed Crust Pizza, Carrots, Pineapple Tidbits, Milk

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