



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

On MARCH 15, AT 6:30 P.M. THERE WILL BE A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE BOARD OF EDUCATION BUDGET, HELD JOINTLY BY THE BOARD OF FINANCE AND BOARD OF REPRESENTATIVES' FISCAL COMMITTEE. THE CITY IS THREATENING TO MAKE MASSIVE CUTS TO OUR SCHOOL BUDGET.

WE NEED PARENTS TO COME PACK THE AUDITORIUM TO PUT PRESSURE ON THESE CITY BOARDS NOT TO CUT THE SCHOOL BUDGET. (We believe it will be held at Turn of River Middle School, but will inform you when it is confirmed) **EVEN IF YOU CHOOSE NOT TO SPEAK, IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT YOU SHOW UP. PT COUNCIL WILL BE PROVIDING TALKING POINTS TO ALL BEFORE THE HEARING. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU ATTEND.**

PLEASE NOTE: Because of a special BOE budget meeting, our March 11 PT Council meeting will have to be postponed. We will reschedule.

Thank you,
PT Council

Letter from the Supervisor of Solid Waste/Recycling:

Please see the attached letter regarding increasing recycling efforts.

FASHION SHOW

Thursday, March 11, doors open at 6:30pm, show starts at 7:30pm.

Come support the Class of 2010 as they walk the runway in this year's Fashion Show, The Fashion Olympics! We have a record number of models/students wearing the latest Prom and After-Prom fashions. Raffles, Entertainment, & Refreshments! Adults-\$8, students-\$5, children under 5 are free, bring the whole family!

All proceeds are donated to the annual After-Prom, a drug and alcohol free event that is FREE to all seniors and their dates. Any questions please contact Lisa Hilsenrath at Lmhilsenrath@aol.com or Josette Grimaldi at Kagrimaldi6@aol.com.

Westhill High School Guidance Department Presents its Annual

Begin the College Process Night

Wednesday, March 10, 2010 7:00 p.m. in the Media Center

All Sophomore and Junior Parents are invited

Counseling Staff will Discuss:

What Colleges are Looking For

Finding Your Target School

Alternate Colleges

ACT vs SAT

Types of Admission

NCAA

Financial Aid

Westhill High School College Application Process

OFF THE RACK

Westhill's own clothing store needs **spring and summer clothing donations**. The WPTSO runs a clothing store inside of school selling new and gently used clothing to any student at Westhill that wishes to purchase an item. All items are \$1, many pieces are new, some gently used and all are greatly appreciated by the students who shop at Off the Rack.

If you would like to donate any items, please drop them off in the office anytime during school hours. The store is open every Tuesday from 11-2pm to all Westhill students. Any unsold items are donated to Goodwill, we do not throw anything away.

If you would like to donate clothing or volunteer to work in the store please contact Jodie Koretz at Jkoretz@aol.com.

Westhill's Annual Prom Gown Sale

Thursday, April 28th-7am to 6pm, Westhill Little Auditorium

New and gently used Prom Gowns will be available for purchase to Westhill juniors and seniors on April 28th from 7am-12pm. The sale will be open to the Stamford Community from 12 noon to 6pm. All gowns are \$15 and all proceeds will benefit Westhill's After-Prom Event.

If you would like to DONATE a new or used gown to this worthy cause or to volunteer, please contact Lisa Hilsenrath at LMHilsenrath@aol.com or Karin Marzullo at Karinamrz@aol.com. We will arrange pick-up or you can bring any gown or prom dresses directly to school. Please leave all gowns/dresses in the main office in the Finch Building. OR-You can leave any donated gowns/dresses at A Step Ahead located at High Ridge Center. A Step Ahead is graciously donating many of the gowns that will be available at the sale.

With your help, many junior and senior girls will be able to attend their Prom wearing a beautiful gown/dress! Please consider donating a gown.

Thank you for your support,
WPTSO

The Westword is now online!

thewestwordonline.com and on twitter! twitter.com/thewestword

Monday	Mar 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ CAPT Makeup
Tuesday	Mar 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ CAPT Makeup▪ Math Team @ Wilton High School
Wednesday	Mar 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ CAPT Makeup▪ WHS College Night
Thursday	Mar 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ CAPT Makeup▪ WHS Fashion Show
Friday	Mar 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ CAPT Makeup▪ V Cheerleading State Competition @ New Haven Field House
Saturday	Mar 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ SAT 8:00-1:00▪ V Boys Swimming and Diving State LL Tournament @ Hamden 3:30

THIS WEEKS WHS FUNDRAISERS:

1) DONORSCHOOSE.ORG

Teachers at Westhill are signed up with Donorschoose.org. This website features "Wish Lists" that teachers have filled out for items needed in the classroom. Please visit the site and help make a difference.

2) FBLA Fundraiser

If you have questions please contact the WPTSO at Westhill@wptso.org

Thank you and have a great week!

The WPTSO is a member of Stamford PT Council