






# Town Crier

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Positivity Project  
Strength for the week:  
**Perspective**

Week of March 18, 2024

Monday 3/18	Tuesday 3/19	Wednesday 3/20	Thursday 3/21	Friday 3/22
<p>FWPA Cookie Dough Fundraiser through Today-March 18th</p> <p>Responsibility Room is in the Tech Lab</p> <p><b>Sports Practice 3:00 PM-4:00 PM</b></p>  <p>Drama Practice 4:00 PM-5:00 PM in the MPR</p> <p><b>After Sports Duty-Regier</b></p>	<p><b>Homework Club</b> Grades 1 &amp; 2 in Rm 5 Grades 3 &amp; 4 in Rm 13 Grades 5 &amp; 6 in Rm 18</p> <p><b>Responsibility Room-Tech. Lab</b></p> <p><b>Sports Practice 3:00 PM-4:00 PM</b></p> <p><b>Open House 5:30PM-6:30PM</b></p>	<p><b>Early Release</b> </p> <p><b>Homework Club</b> Grades 1 &amp; 2 in Rm 5 Grades 3 &amp; 4 in Rm 13 Grades 5 &amp; 6 in Rm 18</p> <p>CUSD Board Meeting @ 6:30PM</p>	<p><b>Homework Club</b> Grades 1 &amp; 2 in Rm 5 Grades 3 &amp; 4 in Rm 13 Grades 5 &amp; 6 in Rm 18</p> <p><b>Responsibility Room-Tech Lab</b></p> <p><b>Liberty @ FW</b> JV @ 2:15 Varsity @ 2:45</p>  <p>3:00PM</p>	<p>CW Area Baseball Feeder Night 6:30PM</p> <p>Morning Announcements</p> <p><b>Responsibility Room in the Tech Lab</b></p>
<p><u>Menu</u> Breakfast- Mini Waffles Lunch- Chicken Tenders Creamy Mac-N-Cheese</p>	<p><u>Menu</u> Breakfast- Chocolate Chip Muffin Lunch- Taco Boat Bean &amp; Cheese Burrito</p>	<p><u>Menu</u> Breakfast- Breakfast Pizza Lunch-Hot &amp; Spicy Chicken Patty Sandwich Deep Dish Cheese Pizza</p>	<p><u>Menu</u> Breakfast- Blueberry Lemon Scone Lunch- Pasta w/Meat Sauce Cheese Filled Breadsticks</p>	<p><u>Menu</u> Breakfast- Pancakes Lunch- Beef &amp; Cheese Taco Stick Grilled Cheese</p>

Hello Pates,

Congratulations to our Boys' Volleyball team for earning 2<sup>nd</sup> place at the Clovis West Area Tournament! They traveled to Clovis West on Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup> to compete against teams not limited to the Clovis West area. Way to go, Pates!

Our Pates are encouraged to compete in mind, body, and spirit. Competing in the area of mind, we had several students representing the Fort at the Fresno County level competitions. Congratulations to Adella W. for competing at the Fresno County Science Fair, and to Catalina H. and Rhys K. for competing at the Fresno County History Day competition. And congratulations to Elizabeth Y. for earning 1<sup>st</sup> place at Fresno County History Day competition and advancing to compete at the state level! Pates are GREAT!

Open House is on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> from 5:30pm to 6:30pm. Open House will be in the traditional format where your child's classroom will be open for you to view the activities your child has been working on in class in the areas of English language arts, math, science, and social science. 4<sup>th</sup> Grade will also be performing their Music Showcase led by Mrs. Anaforian and Mr. Ponce at 5pm in the MPR. FWPA has generously arranged for food trucks to be available for our families to purchase food and beverage for the evening. Looking forward to a beautiful evening to share the wonderful work our students have been working on throughout this school year.

We will close our spring athletic season the week we return from Spring Break, only varsity teams will have practice on Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> in preparation for their Cross-Area game on Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup>. Track season for grades 4, 5, and 6 will open on Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup>.

Spring Break is March 25<sup>th</sup> through Monday, April 1<sup>st</sup>. Wishing our Pates a wonderful weeklong, plus an extra day, break from school!

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Hashimoto

#### Attendance Matters

We are here to support your child's attendance at school! California Education Code requires all school districts to monitor attendance and notify parents. Truancy emails are generated by our district School Services and Student Attendance office when your child has a total of 3 unexcused and/or unexcused absences. Additionally, our school is required by law to send letters home once a student reaches an overall absence rate of 10%. Please note, an absence is considered unexcused unless the student is called in ill or a doctor's note is provided. If you are planning on taking a trip and/or your child will be out a minimum of 3 days, you may request Independent Study from the front office. We ask that all Independent Study requests be made at least 5 days in advance. Our goal is for students to be in school so they may continue to learn and grow. Thank you for your support!

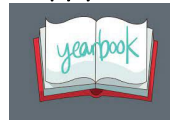
PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE IF YOUR CHILD IS GOING TO BE ABSENT 327-6600, OR REPORT ON PARENT CONNECT. THANK YOU 😊

#### INDEPENDENT STUDIES

Teachers must be notified at least 1 week in advance. Student must be gone for at least 3 consecutive school days, in order to qualify for Independent Studies. An Independent Studies contract must be signed PRIOR to the student being gone. Students can only be on an Independent Study a MAXIMUM of 14 days per school year.

Any questions, please call our Registrar,  
Ms. Kaufman @ 327-6600.

FW Yearbook Sale begins March 1-April 12, 2024  
Don't miss out! Order your 2024 Fort Washington yearbook today! Close to 200 sold!  
Full color, hard copy yearbook only \$30.00!



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## Students Caught Having FW Strong Character:

**Safe, Trustworthy,  
Responsible/Respectful,  
On-Task, Never Give Up**

**Aaron D  
Widd E  
Koby T  
Lane H  
Maddox F  
Everly H  
Skylar V  
Cali G**

### Upcoming Dates

3/25 – 4/1: SPRING BREAK

4/4: Cross Area Games

4/8: LCAP Parent Meeting

4/12: Spring Athletic Awards

4/12: FWPA Donut w/t Dads  
End of yearbook sale

4/17: Qtr. 3 Academic Awards  
Cookie Dough pick up