

HALL SCHOOL DIGITAL BACKPACK

January 12, 2024

Monday, January 15	No School, Martin Luther King Day
Wednesday, January 17	Afterschool Clubs
Wednesday, January 17	HMS Basketball vs. Bolton, girls' away 3:45pm
Thursday, January 18	WEALTH
Thursday, January 18	HMS Basketball vs. Bolton, boys' home, 3:45pm
Monday, January 22	Music Monday, Chamber Singers 2:45-4pm, Jazz Band 4:30 - 6pm
Tuesday, January 23	HMS Basketball vs. VCMS, girls' home, boys' away 3:45pm
Wednesday, January 24	Afterschool Clubs
Thursday, January 25	WEALTH
Thursday, January 25	HMS Basketball vs. Lebanon, boys' home, girls' away 3:45pm

Hello, Hall Families!

Here are some events and reminders for Hall Memorial School:

COVID Protocols

We have seen a considerable uptick in our COVID cases district-wide, especially since we returned from the holiday break. Our local health department (Eastern Highlands Health District) also reports a variety of other respiratory viruses circulating in Willington and surrounding communities. Please take precautions to keep our school community healthy. The school nurses have COVID tests for families with students who are symptomatic. You can find our COVID protocols on our school website. Please keep your child home from school if they are experiencing significant respiratory symptoms. We appreciate your continued support and as always, please feel free to contact the school nurse with questions. There has also been an increase in cases of the flu and RSV. If your child is sick, please do not send them to school. Remember that students must be fever-free for 24 hours before returning to school. We appreciate your attention and cooperation in keeping our school community healthy and safe!

Washington, DC Trip

PLEASE SAVE YOUR BOTTLES AND CANS FOR OUR RECYCLABLE DRIVE ON JANUARY 20, 2024.

The 8th grade will be running a Bottle and Can Drive on Saturday, January 20th, 2024 from 9 am until 1 pm. All proceeds will go towards offsetting the cost of the Washington, DC trip. Please bring your rinsed cans and plastic bottles to the back of HMS. If you can sort them prior to bringing them, we would greatly appreciate it. Glass bottles are not accepted at this time.

There is a spot at the Transfer Station for can drop-off if getting to the school is difficult for anyone.

Willington Public Schools 2024-2025 School Calendar Draft Survey

The Board of Education is requesting your feedback on the 24-25 school calendar. Please click the link below to complete the survey by Friday, January 26, 2024. Thank you for sharing your feedback with us!

[WPS 2024-2025 School Calendar](#)

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Basketball

Our basketball teams have one game this week against Bolton. The girls will play at Bolton on Wednesday, January 17th and the boys will play at home on Thursday, January 18th. Games are scheduled to start at 3:45pm.

Music “Notes” (see what I did there?)

There will be a musical showcase at Center Elementary School on Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm. The program will include our amazing HMS Jazz Band and talented Chamber Singers.

School Rule Reminders

1. Students are reminded that chewing gum is not permitted at HMS.
2. Please bring WATER only to school. We have refilling stations throughout the school for bottles to be refilled.
3. “Heelies” (shoes that have wheels in the heels) are not allowed to be worn in school as they pose a safety hazard.

Thank you and have a great weekend!

Mary Kay Tshonas, Principal

Flyers:

Skate for Gage

Bingo Night

Budget Workshop Calendar