

# FROM THE DESK OF *Superintendent DiLeo*

## *Junior & Senior Prom*

On Thursday, May 4, Juniors & Seniors attended their prom at Hardwick Crossing Country Club in Gilbertville. The evening began with a promenade at the WJSHS where attendees walked the red carpet in front of family & friends. Keep an eye on our [website](#) and [Facebook](#) page for more photos next week. For now, here's a sneak peak of how great everyone looked!







# IT'S MORE THAN JUST A SWEET FLAVOR.



## DO YOU KNOW WHAT IS IN YOUR VAPE?

**"It's just flavoring"**

Vapes get their flavors from chemicals. Inhaling these chemicals will harm your lungs.

**"It's just water vapor"**

Vapor can expose you to harmful chemicals such as Acrolein, Formaldahyde, and DiaceytI.

**"Nicotine isn't that bad for me"**

Nicotine exposure during your teen years can disrupt normal brain development, and has long lasting effects.

## CHEMICALS FOUND IN YOUR VAPE

Formeldahyde

A toxic chemical that can cause lung disease and contribute to heart disease.

Acrolein

Most often used as a weed killer, and can also damage your lungs.

DiaceytI

A food additive, used for e-cigarette flavors, it is known to damage small passageways in your lungs.

# HELP YOUR FUTURE SELF. QUIT VAPING NOW.



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## SMK's BUDDING ARTISTS

Students in Ms. Boughamer's art classes at SMK have worked very hard over the past few weeks creating sculptural art. We are so proud of all of our budding artists!

Kindergarten created a Butterfly Conservatory

Grade 1 created a fish pond

Grade 2 created an Owl Sanctuary

Grade 3 created A Mystery Creature Village along with Individual Landscapes







# Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten Registration for the  
2023-2024 School Year is Open!

Register your child [here](#).

If you have any questions,  
please contact

Mrs. Iwasinski, SMK Principal  
[piwasinski@ware.k12.ma.us](mailto:piwasinski@ware.k12.ma.us)



SMK Elementary SCHOOL  
**MAY 9 @ 6PM**  
**KINDERGARTEN  
ORIENTATION**

**Who should go?**  
Children entering kindergarten this fall  
for the 2023-2024 school year.  
(5 yrs. old on or before August 31, 2023)

**Where?**  
SMK Elementary School in the cafeteria @ 6:00pm  
(4 Gould Road, Ware Ma)

**JOIN US FOR A BRIEF PRESENTATION ABOUT KINDERGARTEN,  
MEET THE STAFF & VISIT A CLASSROOM!**

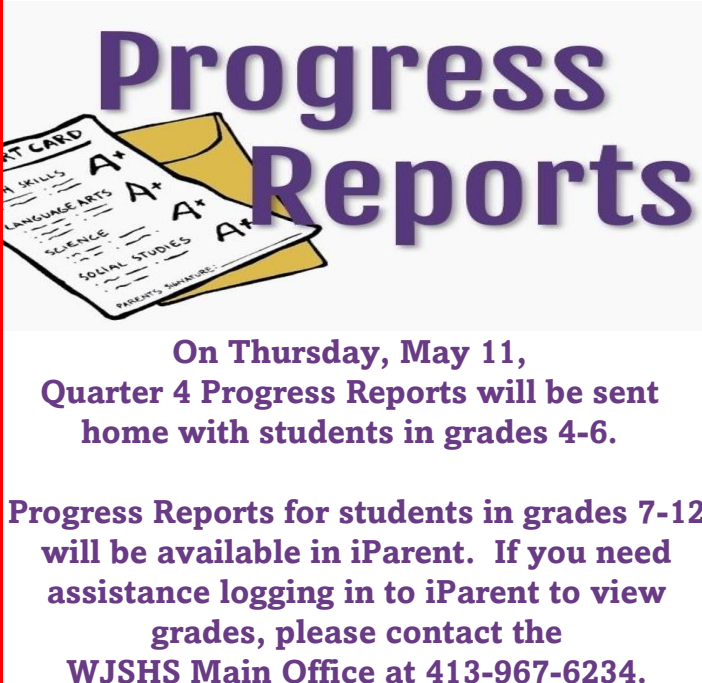
Please bring any remaining kindergarten enrollment documentation.  
Your child is not considered to be "enrolled" until we receive all documents!

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# Teacher APPRECIATION Week!

**May 8 - 12**



# Progress Reports

On Thursday, May 11,  
Quarter 4 Progress Reports will be sent  
home with students in grades 4-6.

Progress Reports for students in grades 7-12  
will be available in iParent. If you need  
assistance logging in to iParent to view  
grades, please contact the  
WJSHS Main Office at 413-967-6234.



# MCAS TESTING

**Grade 3  
Math  
May 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Grades 7 & 8  
Math  
May 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>**