West Contra Costa Unified School District

Board Weekly Memo February 9, 2024

Upcoming Events – Kenneth Chris Hurst Sr., Ed.D

February 12: CBOC Meeting, 6:00-8:00pm, FOC Building February 13: DLCAPS Meeting, 6:30-8:30pm, Zoom

Next Board of Education Meeting February 14, 2024 – Kenneth Chris Hurst Sr., Ed.D.

College & Career - Sonja Neely-Johnson (Dr. Allison Huie & Team) Com 2

Education Pathway Students Participate in National Job Shadow Day

On Friday 2/6, WCCUSD high school students enrolled in the CTE Education Pathway at Richmond High and Hercules High participated in National Job Shadow Day. Our Elementary Schools and District Departments throughout the District welcomed these high school student interns into their classrooms and workspaces so that they could see and experience different career opportunities in the field of education.

National School Counselor Week

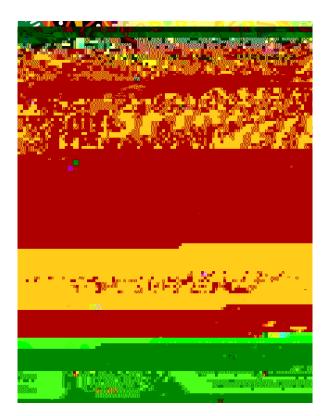
The first week in February marks National School Counselor Week. National School Counseling Week 2024 (#NSCW24) is February 5-9, 2024, to focus public attention on the unique contribution of school counselors within U.S. school systems. National School Counseling Week, sponsored by ASCA, highlights the tremendous impact school counselors can have in helping students achieve school success and plan for a career. National School Counseling Week is always

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Tuesday, February 27th, the Expanded Learning Office will take programs through a Planning With Data workshop and they will each complete a <u>Quality Action Plan</u> on InformedK12.

<u>Office of African American Student Achievement - Sonja Neely-Johnson (Sonja Bell, Ardarius McDonald & John Cable)</u>

To continue celebrating Black History Month, in a collaborative effort with multiple Black Student Unions around the district and OAASA - there will be a district wide Spirit Week!



Communications Update - Raechelle Forrest

News of the Week:

Calling all Students of Color to Join us for the Student Equity Summit! | WCCUSD

Show up, be heard, lead change! WCCUSD is inviting High School students of color to join us for our first Student Equity Summit on Saturday, February 10th from 10:00AM - 12:00 PM. The Student Equity Summit is a space to hear the voices, experiences, and hopes and dreams for our schools from students of color. This is a students-only event to lift one of the most

Specific Events Throughout District

Event	Date	Time	Location
Black History Month Rally	February 9, 2024	*contact school site for time	Richmond HS
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Common Sense Media Sponsored Lunch	February 9, 2024	 10:40 AM 11:10 AM 12:00 PM 	 Downer Montalvin Hercules Middle
Black History Month Student Performance	February 9, 2024	5:30- 7:30 PM	Washington ES
Black History Month Movie Day	February 12, 2024	*contact school site for time	Verde ES
Black History Cuisine (from Culinary Class)	February 15, 2024	*contact school site for time	Greenwood Academy
Black History Month Assembly	February 15, 2024	*contact school site for time	Verde ES
Black History Month Assembly	February 16, 2024	*contact school site for time	Peres ES
Black History Joy Event	February 16, 2024	1:30-3:30 PM	Kennedy HS
Black History Month Passport Walk	February 16, 2024	*contact school site for time	Lupine Hills Elementary
Black History Month Assembly	February 16, 2024	*contact school site for time	Dejean Middle
Black History Month Laser Show & STEM Assembly	February 16, 2024	*contact school site for time	Tara Hills Elementary
Black History Celebration Banquet	*contact school site for date	*contact school site for time	PVHS
Black History Month Assembly (led by BSU)	February 23, 2024	9-11:30 AM	Middle College
Black Professional Panel	February 27, 2024	*contact school site	Greenwood Academy

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Black History Lunchtime Celebration	February 28, 2024	11:20-1:00 PM	Helms Middle
Black History Month After School Program (Performances, Speeches/Poems)	February 29, 2024	*contact school site for time	Betty Reid Soskin
Black History Month Performance	February 29, 2024	9 AM	Ford ES
African Diaspora Museum	February 29, 2024	*contact school site for time	Greenwood Academy