

**NORTHERN YORK COUNTY  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
WELCOMES  
WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP**

AUGUST 12, 2021

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# **INTRODUCTIONS**

- School Board Members
- Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) Representatives
- Polar Bear Foundation Representative
- Administrators

# AGENDA

- Northern Board and Administration Presentation
- Washington Township Residents Questions

# HANDOUTS



SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR



BOARD REGIONS MAP



CONTACT INFORMATION

# DISTRICT OVERVIEW

Support



Opportunity



# SCHOOL CALENDAR

## Northern York County School District

### 2021-2022

### School Year Calendar



Board Approved - March 23, 2021

#### July 21

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

#### August 21

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

#### September 21

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

#### October 21

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

#### November 21

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

#### December 21

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

#### January 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

#### February 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28					

#### March 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

#### April 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

#### May 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

#### June 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
			1	2	3	4
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

#### July 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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#### August 22

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

- Act 80 - No School
- Early Dismissal
- New Teachers
- School Closed
- First/Last Day of Class
- In-Service - no students
- End of Marking Period

Aug 19-20 New Teachers

Aug 23-27 Inservice (Aug 27 - Flex)

Aug 30 First Day of School

Sep 3 & 6 - Labor Day/School Closed

Sep 24 - Early Dismissal

Oct 15 - Farmer's Fair/School Closed

Nov 3 - End of MP1

Nov 5 - Early Dismissal

Nov 24 - Act 80/School Closed

Nov 25-29 - Thanksgiving Break

Dec 23 - Early Dismissal

Dec 24-31 - Christmas Break

Jan 14 - Early Dismissal

Jan 17 - Inservice/School Closed

Jan 19 - End of MP2

Feb 18 - School Closed

Feb 21 - Inservice (Flex)/School Closed

Mar 25 - End of MP3

Mar 25 - Act 80 Day/School Closed

Apr 14 - Early Dismissal

Apr 15-18 - Easter Break

May 30 - Memorial Day/No School

May 31 - MS/HS Early Dismissal Only

Jun 1 - Last Student Day/Early Dismissal

Jun 2-3 - Teacher Inservice

Snow Make-up - #1 Feb 18

Trade Days - Aug. 27, Feb 21



# BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

<https://www.northernpolarbears.com/domain/30>

## Board Meetings

Administration Building  
650 S. Baltimore Street  
Dillsburg, PA 17019

## Monthly Schedule

Committee Meetings: 3rd Tuesday  
Regular Meetings: 4th Tuesday  
7:00 PM

## Board Members

Mrs. Ann Hoverter – Vice President  
Mrs. Alyssa Eichelberger – Director  
Mr. Greg Hlatky – Director  
Dr. Beth McLean – Director  
Mr. Joe Rudy – Director  
Mrs. Patricia Schaffer – Director

## Region 1 Representatives



**Mr. Ken Sechrist - President**

35 Sunrise Avenue  
Wellsville, PA 17365

Region 1  
Region: Wellsville Borough,  
Warrington Township, Washington  
Township  
Term: 2019-2023  
Committee Assignments: Lincoln  
Benefit Trust Representative

Phone: 717-292-6461

Email: [kensechristjr@yahoo.com](mailto:kensechristjr@yahoo.com)



**Mr. Kevin Barnett - Director**

107 Colonial Court  
Wellsville, Pa 17365

Region 1  
Region: Wellsville  
Borough, Warrington Township,  
Washington Township  
Term: 2017-2021  
Committee Assignment: Athletics  
and Activities- Chair

Phone: 717-993-7283

Email: [kevinbarnett310@hotmail.com](mailto:kevinbarnett310@hotmail.com)



**Mrs. Jamie Markle - Director**

1125 S. Winding Road  
Dover, PA 17315

Region 1  
Region: Wellsville  
Borough, Warrington Township,  
Washington Township  
Term: 2019-2023  
Committee Assignments:  
Transportation - Chair

Phone: 717-495-1213

Email: [Jamie4775@gmail.com](mailto:Jamie4775@gmail.com)

# NORTHERN HIGH SCHOOL

## STEVE LEHMAN, PRINCIPAL

- **Demographics**

- Grades 9-12
- Approximately 1050 students (260 per/class)
- 65 Professional Staff
- 25 Paraprofessional Staff

- **Programs-** 23.5 Credits to Graduate

- Core Subjects (3 of each plus one)
- Electives
- Cumberland Perry Vo-Tech
- Northern Online Academy
- Dual Enrollment
- Internships/Co-Op

- **Student Life**

- Extracurriculars- Athletics, Music, FFA, DECA
- Clubs





# NORTHERN MIDDLE SCHOOL

## SYLVIA MURRAY, PRINCIPAL

### Demographics

- Grades 6-8
- Two teams at each grade level
- Approximately 750 students
- 60 professional staff
- 20 paraprofessionals

### Programs

- 5 core classes at each level – Math, Science, Social studies, English and Reading (8<sup>th</sup> grade also has World Language option)
- Opportunities for Gifted
- Special Education – full time and itinerant programs
  - Service dog at every building
- Electives at each grade level in the areas of STEM, Art, Music, Technology Education, Health, Family Consumer Science, Agriculture

### Student Life

- Extracurricular clubs
- Athletics starting in grade 7



# NORTHERN ELEMENTARY

## JOYCE CAL, PRINCIPAL

### Demographics

- Grades K-5
- Approximately 380 students (18-25 per/class)
- 35 Professional Staff
- 16 Paraprofessional Staff

### Programs

- Core Subjects / Encore (Art, Discovery, Guidance, Library, Music, PE)
- English Language Development Program
- Intensive Special Education / Full Day Kindergarten

### Student Life

- Bible Adventure (Bible Release)
- Envirothon (GR3-5)
- Girls on the Run
- K-Kids
- Band, Orchestra, Chorus



# WELLSVILLE ELEMENTARY

ASHLIE RITTLE, PRINCIPAL

## Demographics

- Grades K-5
- Approximately 225 students ( 18-20 per/class)
- 26 Professional Staff
- 15 Paraprofessional Staff

## Student Life

- Bible Adventure (Bible Release)
- Envirothon
- K-Kids
- Band, Orchestra, Chorus
- Kids Run the Nation

## Programs

- Core Subjects / Encore Subjects (Art, Discovery, Guidance, Library, Music, PE)
- MDS Class
- Full Day Kindergarten



# SAFETY AND SECURITY

Armed Security Officers (2)

Local Law Enforcement

- Carrol Township PD (NES, DES, NMS, NHS)
- Northern York County Regional PD (SMES)
- PA State Police (WES)

Safe2Say Something

- Anonymous Reporting System via Phone or Web

Event Staff

- Provide supervision at outside-the-school day events

Members of York & Cumberland County Safe School Groups

NEMA Station housed in our Admin Building

Video Surveillance/Buzz in System & Visitor Registration System at all buildings

Red Cross Emergency Facility

School Bus Cameras

AED's on every floor of our school buildings

LLE Access to our Live Video Cameras and Electronic Emergency Plans





# ATHLETICS



## Mid Penn Conference

37 Schools

4 Divisions

Commonwealth

Keystone

Colonial

Capital

## NYCSD Classifications & Divisions: 20/21 & 21/22

Sports	Girls	Max G	Division	Boys	Max B	Division
Baseball	N/A	N/A	N/A	5A	6A	Colonial
Basketball	5A	6A	Colonial	5A	6A	Colonial
Bowling	4A	4A	Colonial	4A	4A	Colonial
Cross Country	3A	3A	Capital	3A	3A	Capital
Football	N/A	N/A	N/A	4A	6A	Colonial
Golf	N/A	3A	N/A	3A	3A	Colonial
Indoor Track & Field	4A	4A	Capital	4A	4A	Capital
Lacrosse	3A	3A	Keystone	2A	3A	Keystone
Soccer	3A	4A	Colonial	3A	4A	Colonial
Swimming & Diving	3A	3A	Colonial	2A	3A	Colonial
Tennis	3A	3A	Keystone	3A	3A	Keystone
Track & Field	3A	3A	Capital	3A	3A	Capital
Volleyball	4A	4A	Colonial	2A	3A	Keystone
Wrestling	N/A	N/A	N/A	3A	3A	Keystone
Field Hockey	2A	3A	Colonial	N/A	N/A	N/A
Competitive Spirit	3A	3A	Colonial	N/A	N/A	N/A
Softball	5A	6A	Colonial	N/A	N/A	N/A





# POLAR BEAR FOUNDATION

The Polar Bear Foundation is dedicated to building a stronger Northern community by encouraging a broad based support for the investment in creative, innovative and exceptional opportunities for the Northern York County School District.

We are parents, alumni, current teachers, retired teachers, students, school administrators and community members. We are committed to strengthening and supporting the entire Northern York County School District community.

Donate. Volunteer. Get Involved Today!



# BUDGET & FINANCES

## 21-22 Millage Rates:

DASD = 23.7150

NYCSD = 18.7339 (21-22 tax increase was not caused by the addition of WT)

## 19-20 Total Expenditures per Average Daily Membership:

DASD = 21,814

NYCSD = 16,834

## Future Capital Needs:

Currently, capacity in NYCSD buildings is enough to house WT students without the use of trailers or other temporary means. A task force has been put together to look at the existing need for a Middle School renovation and other large capital projects that will need to be addressed in the next 1-3 years.



# TRANSPORTATION

## Bus Routes:

Policy 810 – Board Policy on Transportation

Bus Rules and Guidelines – NYCSD website (Services-Transportation)

Bus Routes are created by NYCSD and reviewed by the bus contractors

## Wellsville Elem vs. Northern Elem:

Building Capacity

Bus Routes



YOUR  
QUESTIONS

