



# THE ROAR

## WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

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### REMINDERS

**December 8<sup>th</sup> – Quarter 2  
Midterm**

**December 22<sup>nd</sup> through  
January 1<sup>st</sup> – Winter Break**  
*\*Students return on Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>.*

**Breakfast - FREE  
Lunch - \$3.25**

**Attendance Hotline:  
406-329-5915**

[wmsattendance@mcpsmt.org](mailto:wmsattendance@mcpsmt.org)



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### Update

It is hard to believe we only have one month left in 2023! This is a short month for students; we have Winter Break from December 22<sup>nd</sup> through January 1<sup>st</sup>.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for Parent/Teacher Conferences. We appreciate you spending time with us. We also want to thank our families for feeding staff during conferences. It was greatly appreciated!

During this past month, we have welcomed new staff to WMS. Kelly McGuire joins us as our Social Worker, and Oshi Hammond-Wegman is a new para-educator in our building. They have been great additions to our staff.

This month, we will wrap up boys basketball, we will have a number of music concerts (listed in this newsletter), after-school clubs will continue and students will engage in learning. It will be a busy month!

Thank you for supporting us and allowing us to serve this incredible community! Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Kacie Laslovich  
Principal  
Washington Middle School  
[kllaslovich@mcpsmt.org](mailto:kllaslovich@mcpsmt.org)





## WMS Winter Music Concerts

December 6<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir & Band Concert – Silver Gym at 7 pm

December 7<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir Concert – Silver Gym at 7 pm

December 13<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade & Jazz Band Concert – Silver Gym at 7 pm

December 18<sup>th</sup> – All Grades Orchestra Concert – Silver Gym at 7 pm

## WMS Athletics

Washington will host the first round of the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Copper League Tournament on December 11<sup>th</sup>.

### Resources

Website: <https://www.mcpsmt.org/site/Default.aspx?PageID=4362>

Bus Information: <http://www.infofinder.com/ifi/?cid=MCPS4CVNG54XW>

Infinite Campus Parent Portal: <https://missoulamt.infinitecampus.org/campus/portal/missoula.jsp>

Washington Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/wmsmissoula/>

Washington Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/wms645/>







## WMS PTA Update

Looking for a quick and easy way to support WMS this season? The Good Food Store will donate 5% of your purchases to WMS. All you need to do is tell the cashier at check out. The WMS code is 556. The Good Food Store has already donated over \$400 to WMS this school year. What a great way to support both a local business and our school!

The next PTA meeting will be on January 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30 pm. Please enter on Central Ave.; we will meet in the library.

Happy holidays from PTA!

## Wildcat Hunters

With hunting season now in full swing, we know that there are numerous Wildcats out and about and on the prowl for a harvest with their bows and rifles. Mr. Smith, 7th grade teacher, is gathering harvest photos for a bulletin board to take pride in, and celebrate the skills of, our young hunters. If you have a photo (preferably not overly gruesome), email it to [gtsmith@mcpsmt.org](mailto:gtsmith@mcpsmt.org) or have your student bring a photo to room 101. Feel free to send a photo from the hunt even if it didn't end in a harvest. Please include the name and grade of the student. But you better keep that "secret spot" a secret. Best of luck to our Wildcat hunters!







## IMPORTANT *YEARBOOK* INFORMATION

### All Grades:

(be sure to include your first and last name)

### **Outside of school activities**

Send to [amooney@mcpsmt.org](mailto:amooney@mcpsmt.org) or Snap App - code WMS

### **Pet photos** and your photos (two separate photos)

Send to [amooney@mcpsmt.org](mailto:amooney@mcpsmt.org) or Snap App - code WMS

### **Summer photos**

Send to [amooney@mcpsmt.org](mailto:amooney@mcpsmt.org) or Snap App - code WMS

### **8th grade baby photos**

Send to [wmsyearbookphotos@gmail.com](mailto:wmsyearbookphotos@gmail.com)

We'd also love any photos you've taken of school activities like sports, concerts, dances, clubs, etc. (send to the snap app - code WMS)

***Don't forget to pre order a yearbook today!!***

**Buy at [yearbookforever.com](http://yearbookforever.com)**



Dec. 2 - Jan. 19 = \$35  
Jan. 20 until sold out = \$40







Support BPA and Montana Special Olympics

Buy a Krispy Kreme donut at the Snack Shack on the following Friday mornings:

Dec. 8th

Jan.12th

Feb.9th

March 1st

Cost: \$2 a donut or \$5 for 3





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