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EXCELLENCE FOR ALL

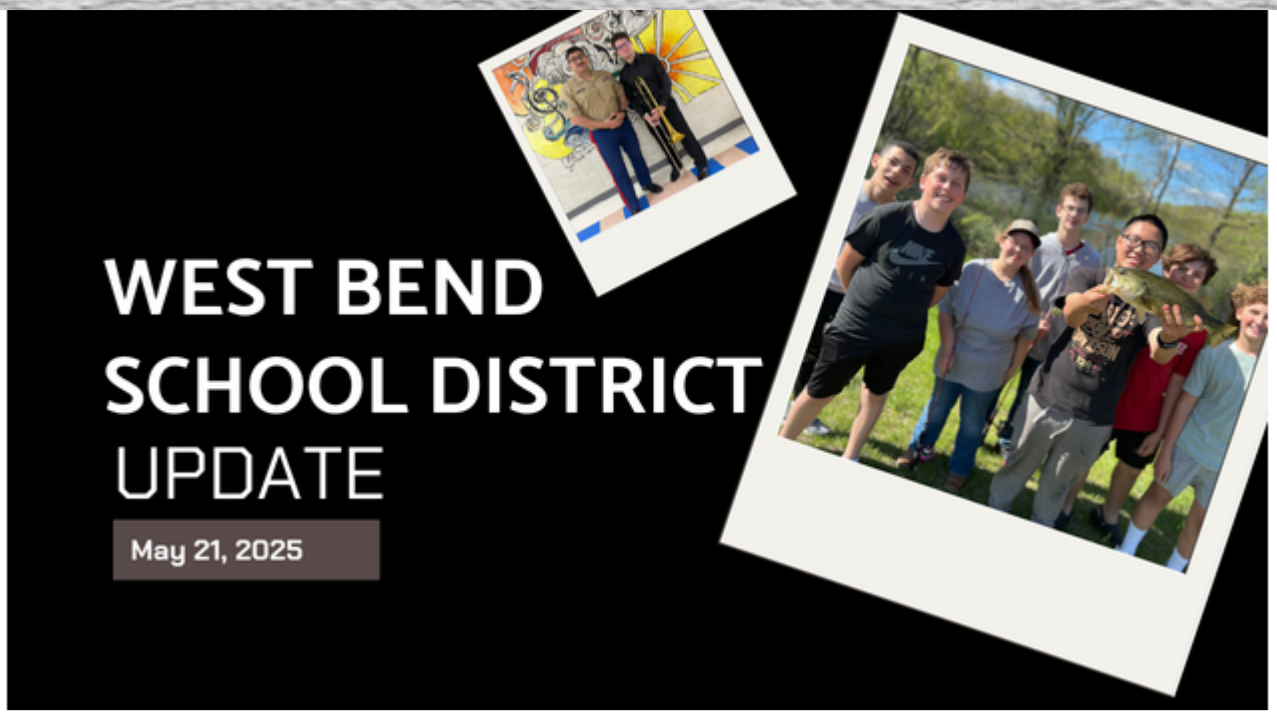


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District News

Change in High School Athletic Conferences in 25-26

Change is coming to many WIAA-sponsored sports at East and West High Schools for the 2025-2026 school year in the form of new athletic conferences. The WIAA created the Glacier Trails Conference with members West Bend East, West Bend West, Kettle Moraine Lutheran, Kewaskum,

Plymouth, Port Washington, and Sheboygan South. However, several schools in the Glacier Trails Conference do not offer all the sports that our schools offer, so some must compete in other conferences.

East and West boys and girls sports in the new Glacier Trails Conference include:

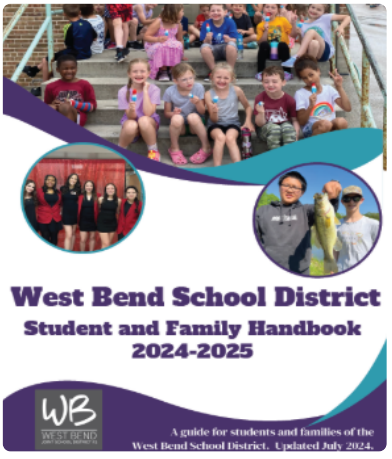
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross country
- Golf
- Soccer
- Softball
- Swim and Dive (boys only)
- Tennis
- Track and field
- Volleyball
- Wrestling

Status of other WIAA-sponsored sports:

- Remaining in the North Shore Conference:
  - Football (for the 2025-2026 school year and then move into the Glacier Trails Conference in 2026-2027)
  - Girls and boys Rush Co-op Lacrosse
  - Girls Swim and Dive.
- Gymnastics will begin to compete in the Greater Metro Conference in 2025-2026.
- Ice Bears Boys Co-op Hockey team will remain in the Classic Eight Conference.
- Lakeshore Lightning Girls Co-Op Hockey team will remain in the Eastern Shores Conference.

Non-WIAA sponsored sports will remain in their current conferences.

We Want Your Thoughts…on the Handbook



The West Bend School District Student and Family Handbook includes important information on subjects like academics, attendance, safety, discipline, grading and report cards, and much more.

As we begin to update the handbook for the 2025-2026 school year, please use this form to share your ideas on how we can improve our handbook.

Still Hiring Teachers for Summer School

The Summer School program is looking for two more teachers to teach the younger students in the Discover Hidden Worlds class and middle school students in English Language Arts. Summer

school begins on June 16. Please share these job details if you can:
Discover Hidden Worlds class vacancy: https://wecan.waspa.org/Vacancy/235396
Middle School ELA class vacancy: https://wecan.waspa.org/Vacancy/236328

More Hiring: Bus Drivers

Family members, teachers, coaches, and support staff who may be interested in some extra income during the summer months can do so by driving a bus for Riteway for $20 per hour. Riteway is offering paid CDL training that takes just 2–3 weeks to complete. Once licensed, a driver can:

- Drive PM school bus routes during the academic year;
- Pick up charters for their own teams or field trips; or
- Help out as needed with flexible part-time hours.

Check out the application: GO Riteway Transportation.

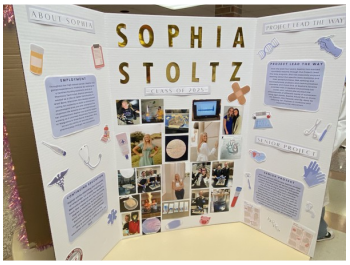
Student and Staff Achievements

Project Lead the Way White Coat Ceremony

A group of 23 seniors from East and West High Schools received their white lab coats at a ceremony on May 19 after completing all four Project Lead the Way classes. The students completed Principles of Biomedical Sciences, Human Body Systems, Medical Interventions, and Biomedical Innovations and most will pursue some area of healthcare after high school.







Senior Athletic Awards Presented

East High School and West High Schools Athletic Departments held Senior Athletic Awards events on May 18 honoring the athletic and academic achievements of senior student-athletes:

- McKennah Orth (tennis, gymnastics, soccer, Dolphins) recipient of the Nancy & Alan Pick Award for Outstanding Female Athlete from East
- Paige Guse (volleyball, basketball, softball) recipient of the Nancy & Alan Pick Award for Outstanding Female Athlete from West

- Reed White (cross country and track and field) recipient of the Carl Pick Memorial Award for Outstanding East Male Athlete
- Ethan Bast (wrestling) recipient of the Andy Pick Memorial Award for Outstanding West Male Athlete

Review the winners of the other awards given out on May 18.

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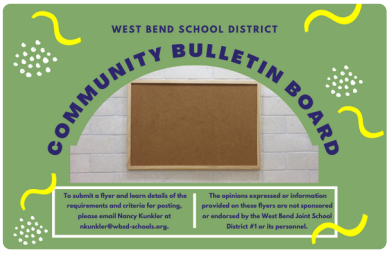

West Bend School District
K-12 Art Show
at
THE HUB
303 Water St. West Bend, WI 53095
May 4th-May 30th
Open Tuesday - Saturday 7 am - 2 pm, Sunday 9 am - 2 pm
Closed Monday
OPENING CELEBRATION
May 15th
4:30 - 7:00 pm
Food available for purchase at the Celebration:
THE HUB Food Truck
Cupcake A-Rhee
THE HUB
VOLUNTEER CENTER OF WASHINGTON COUNTY
Public parking is located to the North & East of THE HUB

Upcoming Events

Monday, May 26	No School for Memorial Day
Tuesday, May 27	School Board Meeting 5:30 pm.
Friday, May 30	Grad Walk
Friday, June 6	Final Day of 24-25 School Year

Community Connections

Community Bulletin Board



There are various events and activities available on the WBSD's Community Bulletin Board!

Summer 2025:
Cub Scouts Pack 3787 Summer Meet Ups
West Bend Library Youth Programs
Volunteer Center Camp Super Hero for Kids and Teen Leader Opportunities
AFS Program
Autism Exchange Annual Conference
Young Entrepreneurs Program
West Bend Theatre Company Summer Camp
GlobalFest Downtown West Bend
Musical Masquers Kids Summer Theater Camp
Summer Wellness Groups with Creative Roots
Birdhouse Build Off
Classic Green Reunion
MOWA Summer Programs for Kids

MOWA Summer Family Fun
NAMI Washington County Summer Art Therapy Groups
EAA Summer Air Camp for Kids
4H Summer Day Camps

Athletics:
FC Wisconsin Soccer Teams
Grit Girls Mountain Biking Event
East Volleyball Camp
East Jr. Suns Volleyball Team
Kiwanis West Bend Early Risers Tagged Fish Contest
Boys and Girls Club Silver Lining 5K
Big Brothers Big Sisters Golf Outing
West Volleyball Camp
West Boys Basketball Camp
West Bend High Schools Summer Track Camp

YMCA: Various Programs
Summer Programs Registration
Before and After School Daycare
Free Swim Lessons