

# WOLF E-NEWS

*from Westside High School*

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## Mrs. Schlaudt Honored by IPAA/PESA



**Sarah Castro (L) and Laurie Schlaudt (R)**

Westside's Engineering and Design teacher, Mrs. Laurie Schlaudt, was recently honored by the Independent Petroleum Association of America (IPAA) and Petroleum Equipment and Services Association (PESA), as 2018 Teacher of the Year.

Our WEGA (Westside Engineering and Geosciences Academy) program is part of the IPAA/PESA Energy Edu-

cation Center. The mission of the Center is to provide high school students with advanced learning experiences in math, science, and emerging technology concepts needed to pursue careers in the oil and gas industry. Senior Associate Director of the Center, Sarah Castro, commended Mrs. Schlaudt for countless hours invested in the success of her students, including her demonstration of patience and concern for their well-being.

Congratulations to Mrs. Schlaudt! Your students agree that IPAA/PESA made the right choice for 2018 Teacher of the Year!



**Mrs. Schlaudt with Engineering and Design students**

### Calendar

#### **Mon., 2/12**

Girls Basketball Playoff Game vs. Langham Creek, 6:00 PM, Berry Center

#### **Wed., 2/14**

Comedy Sportz, 7:00 PM, Black Box

#### **Fri., 2/16**

Literacy Empowers You Celebration, A & B Lunches, Learning Commons

#### **Sat., 2/17**

Super Saturday Credit Recovery Session, 8:00 AM-12:00 Noon

Saturday Tutorials, 9 AM-12 Noon

## You “Khan” Do It Too!

Two Westside students have gained 250 or more points on their SAT test scores by practicing on Khan Academy. The College Board and Khan Academy have partnered together to offer FREE personalized

SAT practice. Students simply link their PSAT scores to their Khan Academy account, and create highly-personalized practice experiences geared towards improving future scores. Click [here](#) for all the details.



**Luis Brito is planning to attend the University of Houston next year to pursue a career in Animation.**



**Kaia Kaigler has applied to several schools on the East Coast, including Boston University and NYU. She plans to major in Journalism.**

Westside students enjoy a presentation by author Kami Garcia in the Learning Commons



# Chauncy Glover Re-scheduled

After cancelling his originally-scheduled appearance due to illness, Chauncy Glover, has re-scheduled his visit to Westside High School for Thursday, February 22 at 11:30 AM. Mr. Glover is Anchor/Reporter for ABC 13 Houston and founder of the Chauncy Glover Project. Westside's Black Student Union is hosting the presentation as part of Black History Month activities.

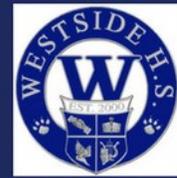


# National Signing Day



WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL

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**Jaylyn Williams**  
Football  
Texas Southern University

**Don'tay'vion McCoy**  
Football  
Texas Wesleyan

**A'Darrius "AJ" Parks**  
Football  
Mary Hardin Baylor

**Alyssa Parks**  
Volleyball  
Hill College

**Niccia Pollard**  
Golf  
Prairie View A&M

**Zalaya Thomas-Tucker**  
Basketball  
Blinn Junior College

# Way to go, Wolves!

## Lady Wolves Basketball District Champs



Our Lady Wolves Basketball Team went undefeated this season and took home the District 16 6-A Championship Trophy. Tonight, Coach Troy Gillespie and his team of dedicated ladies face the Langham Creek Lobos in the first Round of State Playoffs. All students and members of the Westside community are invited to come out and support the team at the Berry Center, 8877 Barker Cypress Road. Tip-off is at 6:00 PM. "We will be in a tough battle as we chase our dreams...every voice matters!", stated Coach Gillespie. Let's fill the bleachers and be loud and proud. Support the Lady Wolves...6:00 PM Tonight at the Berry Center!



## Wrestling: District Champs for 17th Time

The Westside Wrestling Team took home the District 12 6-A Championship trophy last weekend, repeating history for the 17th time!

First place finishers Christian Lopez, Daniel Hernandez-Mendoza, Trey Graham, and Franklin Fitzgerald will all go on to the Regional wrestling tournament in Katy next weekend.



Also qualifying for Regionals are second place finishers Rendy Pelayo, Takaya Matzuki, and Ja'Juan Pollard, and third place finisher Christopher Cofield. Additionally, Brianna Luna, 3rd place, moves on to the Regional meet as the only lady wrestler representing not only Westside High School, but all of HISD.

Congratulations to Coach Froehlich and all of our Westside Wrestlers on the District title!



East 2 Freshmen recently visited the University of Houston and learned about the school and college life. The Westside students toured the campus and even enjoyed lunch in the dining hall along with the U of H college students.

## Announcements

**Pride Valentine's Fundraiser**  
February 13 & 14



**MINI BUNDT CAKES  
FOR SALE DURING  
LUNCH TIME**  
**\$5.00**

"Nothing Bundt Cakes" will be sold on February 13 & 14 during A and B lunch. Surprise your "Valentine" with this mini cake!  
Also selling silk flowers:  
Flowers & Bundt Cake \$10.00

## Saturday Tutorials

### Spring Semester

February	2/17
March	3/3 & 3/24
April	4/7, 4/21, & 4/28
May	5/5 & 5/19

**9 AM — 12 Noon**  
**Students must arrive by 9:15!**  
**Bring ID's, laptops & assignments**

Choices Presents

# *Parent Nights*

**February 5, 2018**  
Sex: Protect & Prepare Your Teen From Hook-Up Culture

**March 5, 2018**  
Prevent Teen Alcohol Use, Binge-Drinking & Driving Under the Influence

**April 5, 2018**  
Current Drugs of Abuse; What Parents Need to Know

Once a Month



Ms. Lumpkin  
CHOICES Counselor

**6:00PM - 7:00PM**  
N-144

## Credit Appeal

### Super Saturdays

## Spring Semester Dates

Feb. 17    8 am-12 Noon

Feb. 24    8 am-12 Noon

## Announcements



★ *Westside High School Presents* ★

# Together with Tech Competition

February 23, 2018  
2-5 Students Per Group

Contact: [amerrive@houstonisd.org](mailto:amerrive@houstonisd.org)

### How To Participate

Join Hub Course - "HISD Together with Tech"  
Choose a Topic

- Mind
- Body
- Soul

Prizes: Community Hours, Credit Recovery, Medals!!

Choose a Division

- Digital Voice
- Engineer a Solution
- Code it (apps)



## February Is Black History Month

**Programs:**  
**Feb. 22 & 28**  
**11:30 AM**  
**Mini-Theatre**



### Comedy Sportz

**Wednesday, Feb. 14th**  
**7 PM in the Black Box**  
**\$5 Admission**



*Happy  
Valentine's Day*



# Class of 2018 News

## Yearbooks Are On The Move!

<https://www.smart-pay.com/>

Don't delay!

We only have **67 left to sell!**

We expect to sell out very soon and cannot increase our order

\$85

Contact Ms. Roberts at  
[srobert2@houstonisd.org](mailto:srobert2@houstonisd.org)

Or see her in E244  
For cash purchases/more info

## Senior Countdown

Senior Dues

\$200

Submit payment in cash in A205

Or pay by credit card:

<https://www.schoolpay.com/>

*Prom 2018*

*Enchanted Garden!*

*May 4th, 8pm-12:30am*

*Omni Houston Hotel Westside  
Eldridge Parkway at Katy Freeway*

*Followed by After Prom, 1-5:30am*

*Dave & Busters  
6010 Richmond*

Senior Honors Night  
Monday, May 21  
6:30-9:00 pm

Senior Picnic June 1st, 12-2 pm

Graduation Ceremony  
Saturday, June 9th  
3:00 PM at NRG Stadium

**WESTSIDE**



**WOLVES**



at Parkway Village  
13412 Briar Forest Dr  
Houston, Texas 77077  
281-531-5503

You're invited to a Spirit Lunch at  
**Chick-fil-A!!!**

**When:** Tuesday, February 13  
**Time:** 11:00AM-1:00PM  
**Where:** Chick-fil-A Parkway Village  
**How:** Simply purchase any food item and say  
"GO Wolves!"  
or place receipt in basket for 10%  
return to Westside.

Chick-fil-A will donate 10% of your total food  
order to:

Westside High School

*Please come out and show your support!*



**Westside Wolves**

**Please support our  
PTO Business Partners!**

A Cut Above Florals  
1396 Eldridge Parkway

AMAZON SMILE

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/76-0633700>

Josephine's Day Spa & Salon  
Now re-opened on Eldridge!

Kroger Community Rewards Program  
Link your card to Westside HS PTO, #79002

RANDALL'S

LINK YOUR CARD TO #8860

State Farm Insurance Agent: Andrew Maule  
\$5 Donation/Quote (832)328-0774

Your patronage is appreciated!

## Quick Links

School Web Address:

<https://www.houstonisd.org/westsidehs>

HISD Web Address:

<https://www.houstonisd.org>

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<https://www.smart-pay.com/>

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School Pay:

Pay your senior dues, Power Up, band/  
orchestra/choir fees, and some athletics  
fees. [Instructions](#) if needed.

<https://www.schoolpay.com/>