



Whitney Point Central School District

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Dear Whitney Point Community,

I would like to take a moment to wish you all a happy holiday season. I hope that you are able to take some time to relax and enjoy the company of family and friends.

We have so much to celebrate at Whitney Point Central School District! We would like to congratulate Maria Dewey on her remarkable accomplishments on flute. She was chosen to play with the NYSSMA All-State Symphony Orchestra and is also an All-Eastern Champion and will play with the All-Eastern Symphonic Band. It was amazing to see the varsity field hockey team receive the title of Class C State Champions this fall. These individual and team achievements come with hard work, determination, and a lot of support from parents, teachers and coaches. I am constantly impressed by the talents and achievements of all our students.

As we enter the new year, our focus will begin to turn to the 2015-2016 school budget. The Board of Education continues to be committed to developing a budget that is sustainable, has a reasonable tax levy, and maintains a focus on education. The stewardship of our buildings and the safety of our students also remain a priority of the Board of Education. They will be working to determine what next steps need to be taken due to the public voting down the recent capital project. Please visit our website for information regarding budget updates and public meetings.

As the possibility of severe winter weather becomes a reality, it is important to put plans in place and let your child(ren) know what will happen if there is a change in the regular school schedule. I would encourage you to visit our website for notice of delays, early dismissals and school closings. I will make every effort to notify everyone in advance of any changes, but there are times when we are taken by surprise as the weather often takes an unexpected turn.

I hope you have been able to attend one or more of our holiday concerts and celebrations. The spirit of caring and giving is alive and well in Whitney Point. I am amazed each year at the generosity of our school and community as they join together to assure that all our students and families are able to enjoy the holidays.

I greatly appreciate the ongoing support of the Board of Education and the community. I look forward to continuing to provide leadership to assure that Whitney Point remains a great place to live, work and go to school!

Sincerely,
Patricia Follette

The Mission of the Whitney Point Central School District is to provide an excellent education ensuring that all children maximize their potential, become contributing citizens, and pursue lifelong learning.