



WOLF CREEK ONLINE HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Wolf Creek Friends and Families,

As we wrap up the first quarter of the school year, I'd like to take a moment to express my gratitude to those who make Wolf Creek Online High School an amazing place to be. The students, parents, community, and staff go above and beyond to make Wolf Creek a top choice for online secondary education in Minnesota.

The relationships we build with our students and their families is the secret to our success. By this time of the school year, our teachers and LMs have cultivated strong connections with their students. They know their strengths, and have identified how their students learn best. The goal is to understand the individual learning needs of each student and to guide them to be successful learners. We don't believe in a one-size-fits-all approach to learning and do not believe that success looks the same to each student.

We thank you for choosing Wolf Creek to be your school and want you to know that we are committed to partnering with our students and their families. If you ever have any questions or suggestions please let us know. We are committed to breaking the traditional assembly line model of education and strive to customize learning for each of our students. If you know someone who is ready to do school differently, please spread the word. Our reputation and your recommendation are our biggest marketing tools.

Thank you for a strong start to the year and we look forward to working with you in the months to come.

Mike Hamernick

DATES TO REMEMBER

Term 2:	Nov. 4 - Jan.16
No School:	Nov. 26 - 28
Mid Term:	Dec. 4
No School:	Dec. 22 - Jan 2

SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

November 18 th	4:30 pm
December 16 th	4:30 pm
January 20 th	4:30 pm
February 17 th	4:30 pm

WEATHER RELATED SCHOOL CLOSINGS

If the weather forces the campus to close, there will be notifications on Channels 4, 5, 9, and 11, and on our website. In the event we have to close campus, a notice will be sent out to families via email as quickly as possible. Our curriculum is available 24/7 online, so **students should continue working**. Safety is the most important thing during a winter storm. Remember, for your safety, please dress appropriately for the inclement weather.



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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

September



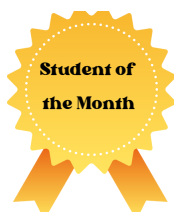
Dawson Peltier started at Wolf Creek last year. He is now a Junior and really enjoys attending campus and works hard to stay on track in all of his classes. He communicates well with his Learning Manager and teachers. Planning to become a lawyer, he contacted law offices and found a job at a law firm so he could learn more about his career choice. He also plans to take PSEO next year to earn some college credits while in high school. He is very engaged in his classes and does a great job advocating for himself.



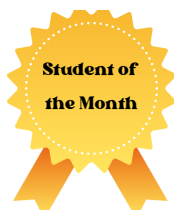
Jocelyn Yarborough works hard in her classes and is either always on track or ahead. She comes to campus often, she always tries her best and will ask for help when she needs it. She has come a long way from not liking school at all, to adding classes and is currently on track to graduate early! Keep up the great work, Jocelyn!



October



Judah Slaughter is in his second year at Wolf Creek and is off to a strong start to the 2025-26 school year. Judah submits high quality work while working 100% remotely. His ability to manage his time well and using assignment checklists have been big contributing factors to his success. He also communicates well with his learning manager and teachers as needed.



Samuel Calin works hard in everything he does and strives to earn the best grades he can. He is very kind and polite, and will reach out for help when he needs it. Sam occasionally comes to campus and always responds to emails and messages. He is considering PSEO this year!

Mental Health Support at Wolf Creek

Tasha Barnes is a licensed marriage and family therapist who provides mental health counseling to students at Wolf Creek. Tasha also maintains a caseload with Family Based

Therapy Associates in Chisago City, where she sees individuals, couples, and families who have a wide range of presenting concerns. Tasha is available on campus various hours on Tuesdays and Thursdays and is also available via

Telehealth. Contact our front desk at 651-213-2095 or reach out to your Learning Manager to schedule time with Tasha. You may also contact Tasha at 651-257-2733 x 23 or nbarnes@fbtacounseling.com.

Renee Anick is the full-time school counselor at Wolf Creek. She works with students in the areas of mental health, individual/group counseling, personal support, academic achievement, college and career planning, and social/emotional development. Renee is available to all Wolf Creek students. Students can meet with her on campus Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:15-3:15, or virtually

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 8:00-3:15.

If you would like to meet with Renee, please email her at ranick@wolfcreekhs.org or text/call her at 612-503-9332.

STAY UP TO DATE

As a Wolf Creek student, parent, or supporter we want you to have the information you need. Remember that the key to success is communication. Contact your Learning Manager today if you need assistance with classes, motivation, or anything else. Listed below are ways to receive information from Wolf Creek:

- **Monday Student Progress Updates** - Weekly updates via email on course completion rates, attendance, and other information.
- **Email** - Students have a school Gmail account they need to check daily for updates.
- **The Wolf Creek Website** (www.triowolfcreek.com) - Find our staff directory, school calendar, policies and procedures, and various updates throughout the year, and more.
- **Wolf Creek Weekly News** - Receive weekly email updates and announcements every Monday when you share your email with us. Sign up on our website or reach out to your Learning Manager.
- **Facebook** - Like our Facebook page (www.facebook.com/WolfCreekOnlineHighSchool).
- **Instagram** - www.instagram.com/wolfcreekhs/