

THE STORM REPORT

WESTLAKE HIGH SCHOOL, SARATOGA SPRINGS, VOLUME 5

Winter Sports Festival Recap

By: Becca Crabtree

The Winter Sports Festival assembly was phenomenal for those who missed it! Amazing performances by Jazz Band, Dance, some of our lovely faculty and much, much more! Definitely one to see, but if you missed it, we've got the details for you right here. Jazz band was excellent as always, Dance team did a wonderful piece inspired by wind, and some of our favorite teachers surprised us with a hilarious performance involving Mr. Robert in leggings and Mr. Adkinson in short shorts. Rumor has it the second assembly got an even better experience where on teacher may or may not have been wearing too loose of pants.

Also, our lovely Winter Sports Festival candidates were shown to us with a little bit of more information and a goofy performance of their own! There were many great things to be seen and little extras just for us. I heard someone even got asked to Prom in the middle of the assembly!!

WHAT'S HAPPENING:

MONDAY, FEB. 24:

- SOPHOMORE REGISTRATION ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY, FEB. 25:

- 8 AM BLOOD DRIVE
- LIFETIME ACTIVITIES @ JACK AND JILLS
- 7 PM BOYS BASKETBALL @ RIVERTON
- 7 PM CLUSTER CHOIR CONCERT
- 7 PM FAFSA COMPLETION NIGHT IN COMPUTER LAB

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 26:

- LIFETIME ACTIVITIES @ JACK AND JILLS
- GIRLS GOLF PRACTICE STARTS
- 2:30 PM SPRING SPORTS TRYOUTS BEGIN
- SOPHOMORE REGISTRATION OPENS
- 7:30 PM CLUSTER CHOIR CONCERT

THURSDAY, FEB. 27:

- LIFETIME ACTIVITIES @ JACK AND JILLS
- PEAKS JAZZ FESTIVAL
- LIFE SKILLS @ WALMART AND CAFE EL LAGO
- 6 PM WRESTLING BANQUET @ GARDEN NEAR THE GREEN

FRIDAY, FEB. 28:

- LIFETIME ACTIVITIES @ JACK AND JILLS
- 7 AM PEAKS JAZZ FESTIVAL
- 2:30 PM BALLROOM @ WWWW

SATURDAY, MAR. 1:

- TRACK AND FIELD TEAM CAMP
- 7 AM PEAKS JAZZ FESTIVAL

MONDAY, MAR. 3:

- 1:30 PM STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION MEETING



Hometown Olympian

By: Mady Wilkins

February 26, Eagle Mountain had the unique opportunity to welcome home our very own women's skeleton silver medalist from the Sochi Olympics, Noelle Pikus-Pace.

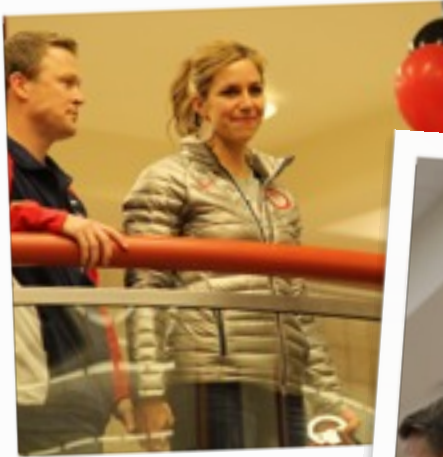
A surprise party was set up for them at Frontier Middle School, where hundreds had gathered just a little before seven, waiting for her and her family to arrive via fire truck.

The crowd erupted in cheers as soon as the fire truck was in sight, and it just continued to get louder as they got closer. When everyone finally got in the school and everything had quieted down, the mayor presented Noelle and her family with some awards and then declared that February 26 be known as Noelle Pikus-Pace Day.

Noelle and her husband, Janson spoke for a few minutes each and then they had a meet and greet with Noelle and her family, and Olympic games for the kids in the gym.

We are so proud to have this wonderful family in our hometown and for the good representation they are for our community! Welcome home Noelle, Janson, Lacey, and Traycen!

SURPRISE WELCOME HOME AT FRONTIER MIDDLE SCHOOL

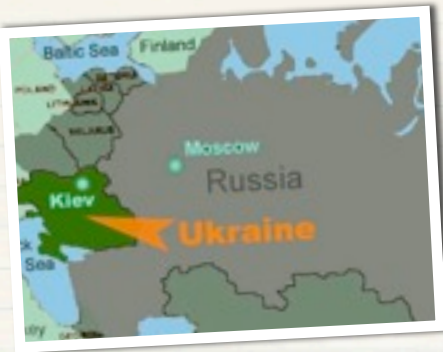


Son of Thor

By: M'Taya Johnson

Hey just a reminder- Son of Thor is coming up. For those of you who don't know what Son of Thor is, it is where boy from each sport will be chosen to compete for the "Son of Thor" title at Westlake High School. Come show your support to who you're cheering for! It's March 14th at 7pm and it will be in the main gym.

Patterns in History



By: Becca Crabtree

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If we don't learn about our history and the history of the world it is bound to repeat itself. The reasoning behind this is just like if we don't learn from our mistakes we will make them again. The world will be disrupted by war and then it settles back down and another war breaks out because nobody learned from the last one. We start to see patterns such as a big country starting to take over a smaller country to "protect their rights and

property" but in reality they are just taking over. Also, has anyone else noticed that shortly before WWII the Olympics were in Berlin and now Russia is doing nearly the same thing Hitler did in WWII by taking over part of the Ukraine and the Olympics just happened to be in Sochi, Russia. Hmm...

If this freaks you out in the least bit maybe you should start looking more into our history and present to notice some of these patterns yourself and be better prepared, It may also be a good idea to pay attention in your History classes.

PROM

By: Becca Crabtree

PROM is coming up fast! Just under 3 weeks away, Prom will be held at the University of Utah ballroom on March 22. Tickets are \$40 per couple in advance and \$45 at the door so hurry up and ask that special someone! This year is going to be a blast with the theme "The Way You Look Tonight" by Michael Bublé, how could it not be wonderful?

SPRING SPORTS

By: M'Taya Johnson

Spring Sports are starting up:

- Baseball - their first game is in St. George on March 21st
- Softball - their first game is

March 5 at Mountain View from 3:30-5:30

- Boys Tennis - first match is March 11 vs. Lone Peak at Westlake from 3 to 5
- Track & Field - their meet is March 12 and

they are having a Rivalry Dual against Lehi at Lehi

- Boys Soccer - their first game is March 18 vs. Herriman at Westlake

Come and support these Spring Sports!

SON OF THOR CANDIDATES

BY: MARY WILKINS

SON OF THOR IS MARCH 14! OUR COMPETITORS HAVE BEEN CHOSEN. THEY WILL BE DANCING, PERFORMING TALENTS, AN OBSTACLE COURSE, AND MUCH, MUCH MORE. IT WILL BE A NIGHT FULL OF FUN AND LAUGHTER. THESE CONTESTANTS WILL ALL DRESS UP AS DISNEY CHARACTERS.

WHO WILL BE THE SON OF THOR? MAKE SURE TO BE THERE AT 7 PM MARCH 14 AND ROOT FOR YOUR FAVORITE CONTESTANT, DISNEY CHARACTER, OR CLUB OR SPORT!



AUSTIN BROWER
TRACK AND FIELD
FIX IT FELIX



KIMBALL DAVIS
SOCCER
PETER PAN



JD ERWIN
CHEER
ALADDIN

SON OF THOR CANDIDATES CONT'D



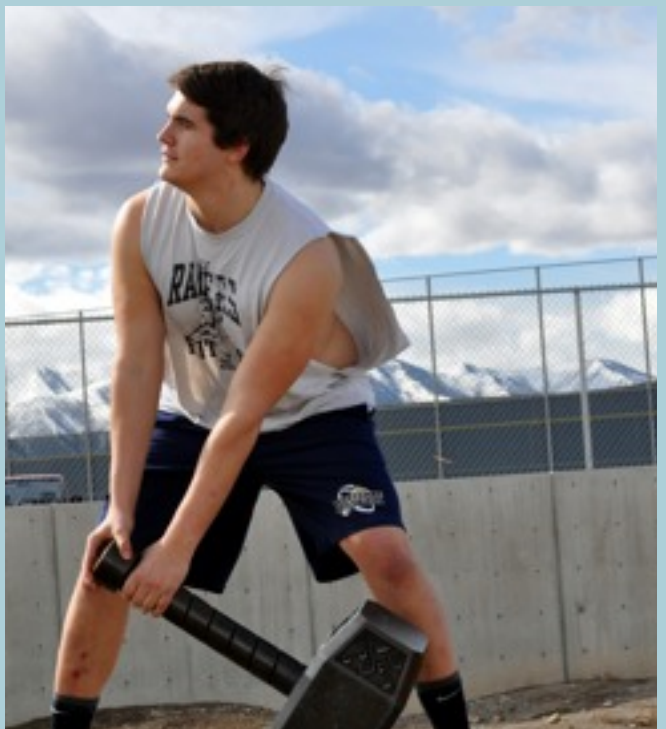
TREVOR GIBBY
HOSA
THE BEAST



SHEA HILDABRANDT
FRONT OFFICE
TARZAN



MCKAY JOHNSON
BAND
KRONK



BEN KABZINSKI
FOOTBALL
KUZZO

SON OF THOR CANDIDATES CONT'D



JAMES LEWIS
HOPE SQUAD
CAPTAIN HOOK



JUSTIN LOUDERMILK
FRENCH CLUB
SULLY



MARCUS MARINOS
BOOM SQUAD
GASTON



DYLAN MILLER
STUDENT COUNCIL
HERCULES

SON OF THOR CANDIDATES CONT'D



JED MURRI
KEY CLUB
MR. INCREDIBLE



HUNTER OLSEN
DRAMA
ROBIN HOOD



JOSH PALACIOS
ORCHESTRA



JEFF ROLLINS
CROSS COUNTRY
SIMBA

SON OF THOR CANDIDATES CONT'D



GAVIN SCHMALZ
CHOIR
RUSSELL



JOSH VAN WAGONER
DANCE TEAM



KOLTEN YORGASON
YEARBOOK
PRINCE ERIC



CAMERON YORGESEN
BASKETBALL
FLYNN RYDER

