# HARVARD WESTLAKE

## **COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER**

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#### North Hollywood Interfaith Food Pantry

Harvard-Westlake students volunteered to make brown bag lunches for the North Hollywood Interfaith Food Pantry to kick off the school's community service week. The North Hollywood Interfaith Food Pantry is a 100% volunteer coalition of diverse religious institutions and individuals working together to address the challenges of food insecurity in our valley communities.

#### **Blood Drive**

Thank you to the Harvard-Westlake students and faculty who donated blood at the fall blood drive with the American Red Cross. Each donation can help save the life of three people in need. This annual event is co-sponsored by the Harvard-Westlake Parents Association. The next blood drive will be held in April 2019.





#### **Operation Gratitude**

On November 17, Harvard-Westlake students and parents came together for the Fall Family Community Service Day at Operation Gratitude in Chatsworth. Operation Gratitude is a non-profit organization dedicated to sending care packages to our troops stationed abroad. Harvard-Westlake families prepared and assembled care packages in appreciation of their service to our nation.



Please join us for the 2017/2018 *Cinema Sundays* program, hosted by our own performing arts instructor, Ted Walch. Eleven classic films will be screened followed by an in-depth discussion featuring special guest panelists. Movies begin at 3:00 p.m. and are free of charge to neighbors and friends of the Harvard-Westlake community. Please RSVP to Stacy Marble at smarble@hw.com.



#### **Boys Water Polo**

Congratulations to the Harvard-Westlake Boys Water Polo team on winning the CIF Division 1 Championship! The win caps off an amazing season for the Wolverines and an impressive record. Go Wolverines!



#### **Girls Field Hockey Champions**

Congratulations to the Harvard-Westlake Girls Field hockey team who won the CIF title after completing another perfect, undefeated 20-0 season! Go Wolverines!



### **Track Usage For Our Neighbors**

REMINDER: We welcome our neighbors to use the track on our campus. For your safety and to ensure that only residents of the local neighborhood are using the track, please fill out a track application and submit to <u>smarble@hw.com</u>.

### Calendar ATHLETICS

Please join us to cheer on our athletes. Junior varsity games typically precede the varsity games. All athletic events are free of charge.

December 4 Girls Water Polo vs. Louisville / 4:00 p.m.

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December 12 Girls Water Polo vs. Agoura / 4:00 p.m.

**December 12** Girls Basketball vs. Fairmont Prep / 6:00 p.m.

December 21 Boys Basketball vs. Beverly Hills / 7:00 p.m.

#### **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**December 2** 6th Annual Luminaria Festival @ Campo De Cahuenga / 5:00 p.m.

**December 6** Toluca Lake Holiday Open House @ Riverside Drive & Forman / 5:00 p.m.

**December 8** Sherman Oaks Homeowners Association Annual Toy Drive @ Gelsons on Van Nuys / 11:00 a.m.

#### **Share your thoughts**

If you have thoughts about something you read or suggestions for a future Harvard-Westlake Community Newsletter, please let us know. You can email me at <u>smarble@hw.com</u>.

Thank you,

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