# HARVARD WESTLAKE

# **COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER**

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#### **Project Angel Food**

Harvard-Westlake's Communication staff participated in a day of service with Project Angel Food. For nearly 30 years, Project Angel Food has delivered healthy meals with love and compassion to the doorsteps of thousands of Angelenos facing life-threatening illnesses.



#### **HW Parents Making a Difference**

The Harvard-Westlake Community Service Parent Club packed 125+ birthday gifts for the Present Now Foundation to deliver to children living in domestic violence shelters throughout California. Thank you to the parents who came out to sort toys, fold clothes, organize boxes, write cards, tie bows - and support this incredible organization.

#### **Holiday Food & Toy Drives**

Harvard-Westlake was proud to particpate in a season of giving with our local community. Harvard-Westlake joined Council member Krekorian and the Studio City community to deliver holiday cheer to those in need at many local nonprofits, as well as the North Hollywood Interfaith Food Pantry. We were also proud to support Assemblymember Nazarian's holiday food and toy drive, and the annual Sherman Oaks Homeowner's Association holiday toy drive.







It's that time of year again for the Cinema Sunday program hosted by our own performing arts instructor Ted Walch. This twelve-week series explores a different classic film each Sunday 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.





#### **Girls Soccer**

Harvard-Westlake Girls Soccer Team went undefeated at the National Elite Prep Showcase Tournament in Texas over the holiday break. The national tournament is the showcase event for college coaches from all over the country to watch the best girls teams compete. Olympians, national team members, collegiate, and World Cup superstars have all competed in this prestigious event.



#### **Studio City Luminaria Festival**

Harvard-Westlake student volunteers joined with the Studio City Neighborhood Council to help with preparations for the 6th Annual Luminaria Festival at the historic Campo de Cahuenga in Studio City. More than 4,000 paper bags were filled with sand and small white lights and illuminated under the stars for the community to enjoy. This community tradition is a special way to kick off the holiday season by enjoying the lanterns, music, crafts, storytelling, and, of course, hot chocolate!

## **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.

January 8 Girls Water Polo vs. Alemany 3:30 p.m. January 9 Girls Soccer vs. Flintridge Sacred Heart 5:15 p.m. January 9 Boys Wrestling vs. Bishop Alemany 5:30 p.m. January 11 Boys Soccer vs. Loyola 5:00 p.m. January 11 Boys Basketball vs. Loyola 7:00 p.m. January 12 Girls Basketball vs. Alemany 6:00 p.m. January 14 Girls Water Polo vs. Marymount 3:30 p.m. January 15 Girls Water Polo vs. Marlborough 3:30 p.m. January 16 Boys Soccer vs. St. Francis 5:00 p.m. January 16 Boys Basketball vs. St. Francis 7:00 p.m. January 17 Girls Water Polo vs. Flintridge Sacred Heart Academy 3:30 p.m. January 17 Girls Basketball vs. Marlborough 6:00 p.m. January 18 Girls Soccer vs. Marymount 5:00 p.m. January 18 Girls Basketball vs. Notre Dame Academy 6:00 p.m. January 19 Girls Water Polo vs. Oaks Christian 5:00 p.m. January 22 Girls Water Polo vs. Notre Dame 4:00 p.m. January 28 Girls Soccer vs. Chaminade 5:15 p.m. January 29 Girls Basketball vs. Chaminade 6:00 p.m. January 30 Boys Soccer vs. Alemany 5:00 p.m. January 31 Girls Soccer vs. Notre Dame 5:15 p.m.

#### **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

January 13 Campo de Cahuenga Reenactment Celebration @ 3919 Lankershim Blvd. 12:00 p.m.

January 17 Public Safety Town Hall @ LA Valley College Monarch Hall 6:30 p.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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