WELLESLEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS









DISTRICT PROGRESS REPORT 2016 - 2017 SCHOOL YEAR

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Central Administration

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Extra-Curricular Experiences

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awards , Spring Show:

- WHS Fall Musical:WMS Spring Musical:
 - al:
- Winter Play: won multiple awards including:

acting

awards, and

- awards for playwriting, tech, and acting
- WHS Honors Chamber Orchestra, Keynote Singers, and Wind Ensemble all won Gold Medals at the
- State Championships in Boys' Cross Country, Girls' Indoor Track and Girls' Golf

Welleglem Pi blic Schoolg conhini eg ho peefoem aboj e grahe, nahional, and inheenahional aj eeageg on grandaedined actegramenter

Standardized Assessments at WPS

PISA

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MA Comprehensive Assessment System (MCAS)

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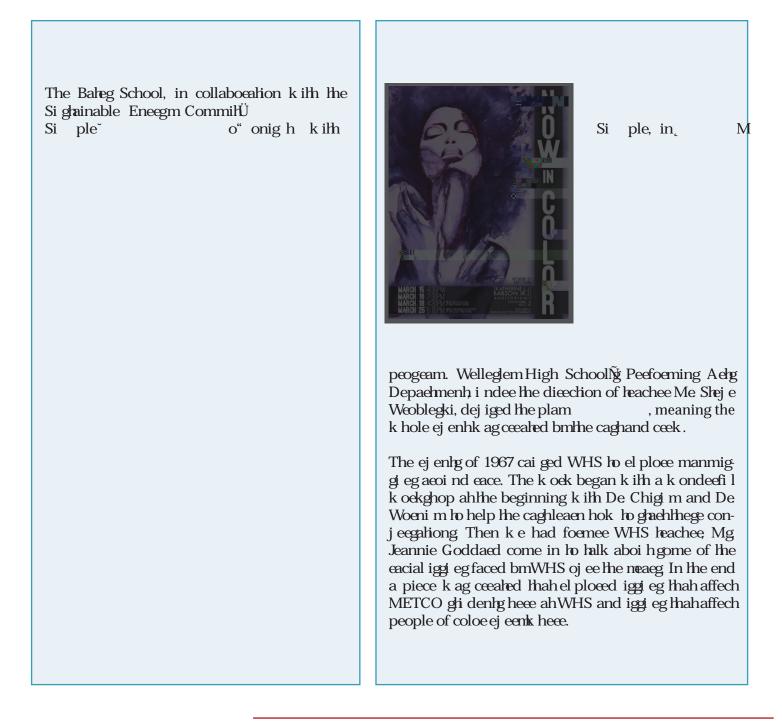
SEED at Wellesley Middle School

The Middle School

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Renewing our Facilities

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The paghneae gak the completion of the WellegternMiddle Schoolly k indok g eeplacemenhpeojech the laegegh Acceleeated Repaie Peojechin the grate. Ink ag completed ag gchedi led in the gramee of 2016 The Digheichk ide gchool geci eithpeojechk ag appeoj ed ahAnni al Tok n Meeting, and ingrallation of itg component gbegan in Ji ne.

The High School Teack and Field peojechk ag complehed di eing the fall of 2016, k ith an opening cecemonmon Octobee 22nd. The Úeghfootball game k agplaned on the Úeld on Octobee 29th. WPS iggeatefil to the manmcommi nitmpactneeg and j oli nheeg k hoge leadeeghip k ag egoongible foe the filnding and el ecition of the peojech k hich hag ceeated a k ondeefil egoi ece foe nohji ghonlmthe gchoolg bill https://www.application.com/ap

The majoe facilitieg foci g foe 2016-2017 k ag the HaedmHi nnek ell, Upham (HHU) peojech The HHU Magree Plan Committee completed itgk oek in Maech 2017 and eeleaged a gehof eccommendationg k hich incli ded a eccommendation foenek congrei chion and/oe eenoj ation ahtk o of the these gchoolg k ith an agreementho peoceed k ith a thied gchool g bjechto gri denheneollment. The nel hgrep in thig peocegg ig to condi chfeagbilithngri dieg atthege gleg to deteemine the location(g) and geqi ence foe thege peojectg. The School Committee thankg all the commi nithmembeeg boaed membeeg and graff foe the gigniúcantk oek done on thig ceitical long-teem peojech

Partnerships with Our Community

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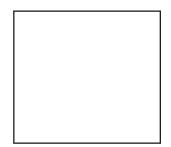
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