

Wheatland Union High School District

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

The purpose of this letter is to enlist your help in support of our students' safety. Wheatland Union High School has a history of spring traditions that have been disruptive to our community and have the potential for serious consequences for our students.

Typically known as "Senior Prank", these late-night or early morning activities have resulted in property damage, disruption in the educational process, and the potential for student injury. In addition to the risky behavior sometimes associated with the activity, we are equally concerned with the negative impact on school culture and the ability to meet our core teaching and learning expectations.

It has come to our attention that there is a potential organized Senior Prank being planned.

As a school community, we need your assistance in proactively halting this behavior in order to prevent a potentially serious accident. Beginning this school year there will be consequences to any student who is identified or caught participating in a senior prank which results in the illegal entry of the school, vandalism on any Wheatland Union High School District (WUHSD) property/campus, disruption of the educational process (including, but not limited to using staff resources), illegal activity on any WUHSD campus, or criminal damage to the campus. **Students may be charged and receive an out of school suspension and will not be allowed to participate in the graduation ceremony.** Any activity deemed as organized or individually initiated will be considered a school prank.

Wheatland Union High School District will enforce a ZERO TOLERANCE policy for individuals identified or caught participating in a senior prank.

Thank you for your support in this matter. Please feel free to contact me at (530) 633-3100 x101 if you have any further questions or concerns.

Educationally yours,

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