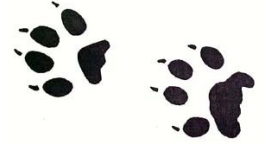


The Whitt

Wolf Call



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UPCOMING EVENTS

February

- 2/3 Wolf Howl 7:45am
- 2/10 Valentine Parties
- 2/14 PTA mtg/ 2nd grade performs
- 2/16 Spring Fundraiser Kick-off
- 2/20 No School
- 2/24 Daddy/Daughter Dance 7pm
- 2/27 - College Week



- 3/6—3/10 Spring Break
- 3/21—PTA mtg/ Kindergarten performs



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Keep up with all the great things that are going on at Whitt.

There are several ways to help you stay informed:

- Whitt Wolf Call Newsletter
- Whitt PTA website
- WhittPTA on Facebook
- Text whittpta to 81010



From the President:

What a fun month we had in January! Our moms got to enjoy a fun movie night with their sons, with delicious treats, popcorn, candy, and movie. We truly hope you enjoyed it. We just finished up two of the most rewarding weeks for me as president. Your generosity for the "All for Books" coin challenge blew me AWAY! We were able to provide so many Whitt wolves with books they wouldn't otherwise of been able to afford, and the remaining funds were donated to Wylie ISD's Achieve Academy. Their staff and students are so thankful for your generosity. Last week was the book fair, and what a fun event that was! I hope your wolves enjoyed shopping and picking out some new books. Family Fun Night was GREAT! I know I enjoyed all the books, burgers, and stories. Every penny earned from the book fair is poured right back into our Whitt library and the totals are in. We will be able to fill our Whitt library shelves with nearly \$11,000 worth of brand new books, how incredible is THAT! **Way to go Wolves!**

Our room representatives are finishing up the final plans for the Valentine's parties, on February 10th. Please be on the look out for party times to come home soon. Save the date and get your tickets for Whitt's Annual Daddy Daughter Dance which will be held on February 24th from 7-8:30pm. The theme this year is butterfly kisses, we can't wait to see our wolves and their dad's!

Our Spring Fundraiser will kick off on February 16th! This fundraiser will go towards providing all the programs that Whitt PTA is able to do within the school. Some fun ones coming up are: the Mav's man, Teacher Appreciation week, Field day, and Splash day! This spring Whitt PTA has decided to support a local Wylie business and will be selling the amazing Deanan Popcorn; it is delicious and we will be sampling it at our next general meeting February, 14th. Our wonderful 2nd graders will be performing "All that Jazz" for the PTA program that night as well. It's sure to be a fun night and not to be missed!

Believe or not we are already planning for the 2017-2018 school year, and our officer elections are coming up soon. If you are interested in serving as an officer – President, 1st Vice President (Aide to the President), 2nd Vice President (Programs), 3rd Vice President (Membership), 4th Vice President (Ways and Means), Treasurer, or Secretary - of Whitt PTA for the 2017-2018 school year, please send your resume to me at Whittpresident@gmail.com by Wednesday, February 15th. If you have any questions about the above listed positions and the responsibilities associated with them, please do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Michele Elwart



The Whitt PTA would like to recognize our Volunteers of the Month for the month of January.

- DeAnn Smith
- Dena Donnell
- Laura Wilmarth
- Brandi Laughlin
- Cynthia Rogers

These volunteers helped make the January events memorable for the students and staff of Whitt.



Whitt's Spring Magazine Recycling Drive will be held Monday, March 20th - Friday, March 24th

Please bring your magazines and newspapers during this week for our school wide contest.

The class in each grade level with the highest total will win a popsicle party!!

Please be sure to attach a note with your child's grade level and teacher's name to ensure they receive credit.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Kelli Minarzick at whittenvironmental@gmail.com



Our 9th Annual Golf Tournament is coming together!

The date is set for April 22 2017, and it's never too early to become a sponsor.

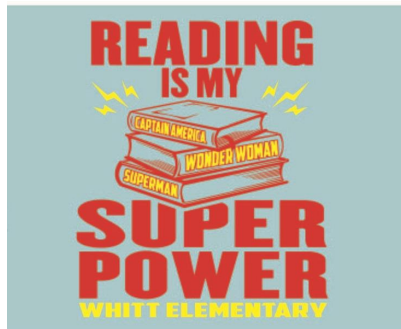
Businesses, families, individuals - ANYONE can be a sponsor.

Please contact René Rose, whittgolftourney@gmail.com or (214) 641-5786 for more information.



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CALLING ALL SUPER READERS!!!

Don't forget to keep reading to earn those Bookworm and Accelerated Reader awards.



Our Spring Fundraiser Kick-off will be February 16th. We will be supporting a local small business in Wylie, Deanan Gourmet Popcorn!!!

Top boy and girl sellers will win a scooter!!

Look for information coming home in Thursday folders soon!

Whitt PTA will be hosting a special **SAGE CARE** (Creating Awareness and Respect Education) workshop February 21st & 22nd from 8:15 - 3:30. This workshop is a way that students can experience situations from a special needs perspective. Each ~50 minute PE class will rotate through 10 different stations. This is a very well planned workshop but needs volunteers to be effective. Volunteer opportunities have been sent out via email. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Ali Ackles at whittcommunications@gmail.com.

