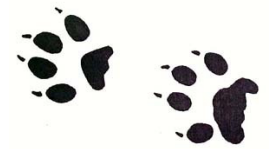


The Whitt Wolf Call



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UPCOMING EVENTS

April

- 4/1 – 4/2
4th Grade STAAR Testing - Writing
- 4/4 3rd 9 Weeks Awards
- 4/10 Kinder Roundup (4pm to 7pm)
- 4/12 Whitt Golf Tournament
- 4/17 Bad Weather Make Up Day
- 4/18 Easter Break – No School
- 4/21 STAAR Kick Off Assembly
- 4/22 – 3rd & 4th Grades STAAR
- 4/23 Testing – Math and Reading
- 4/25 Wolf Howl – 7:45am
- 4/25 Yearbook Orders Due



Stay Informed

There are so many good things going on at Whitt that it's sometimes hard to keep track.

The good news is that there are several ways to help you stay informed:

- The Whitt Wolf Call Newsletter
(Sent home in your child's Thursday folder on the last Thursday of the month)
- PTAvenue
- Whitt PTA website
(www.whittpta.net)



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From the President.

Spring has officially arrived!! The month of March flew by, and I think most of us enjoyed the taste of summer that Spring Break had to offer! April and May are my favorite months in the school year, and I am so excited for the fun activities and programs they offer.

Whitt students have been hard at work all year long. Our 3rd and 4th grade students will take their STAAR tests this month on reading and math, as well as writing for our 4th grade students. We are excited to pump them up, get them excited, and help them feel confident, as we celebrate 4th grades end of "writing boot camp" with a fun pep rally on Friday. All STAAR test takers will also enjoy the talents and excitement of The Power Team, as they kick off the reading and math STAAR tests. Join me in wishing all these students the very best! They have worked hard and have prepared well. I know Whitt students will do awesome!

Thank you for joining us at Spring Creek BBQ! We had a great time eating, visiting with friends, and having Mr. & Mrs. Whitt and some of our very favorite teachers serve us hot rolls!

April brings our annual Whitt Golf Tournament. This year, we are excited to add an adult/student putting contest and to have Frankie's Mexican cater dinner that evening ... I'm hoping my own children don't beat me by too much ... Swinging a golf club is not my forte!

Please join me in congratulating ****Sandi Sears**** on her deserving recognition of **Whitt's Volunteer of the Year**. Sandi is an absolutely AMAZING volunteer who has put in over 500 hours this year to the students, staff, and PTA at Whitt. She has helped with EVERY single event, has helped our wonderful 2nd grade team, and has even spent countless hours working in the library. I feel so thankful to know Sandi. She is an incredible inspiration and example to me, as she serves in the most wonderfully unconditional and selfless way. She is embarrassed by the smallest amount of praise but certainly deserves every single ounce of praise! Thank you Sandi for blessing Whitt and Whitt students with your amazing volunteer service! Sandi will be honored at the Wylie Education Foundation's Boots n BBQ Gala this year, as well as our general PTA meeting in May.

I know our students will be happy when the testing month of April is over, and we can have even more fun with the great activities May brings! Keep working hard! Again, good luck to our fantastic 3rd and 4th graders!

Whitt students are having an amazing year learning and growing.

Being a Whitt Wolf is the best!!

Stacie Smith
Whitt Elementary PTA President

Spotlight on Volunteering

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

These volunteers have worked tirelessly to make all our March events run smoothly!

Cathryne Chatmon
Kathy Cummings
Alfiya Pope
Angela Reese
Jennifer Steuerwald

Thank you for all your hard work!
We appreciate you!

Total Volunteer Hours Logged = 3,798!



**Thursday, April 10, 2014
4:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

Students entering Kindergarten must be 5 years old by September 1, 2014 to enroll for the 2014-2015 Kindergarten Classes

Documents that you must have to register enrolling student:

- Original Birth Certificate
- Social Security Card
- Up-to-Date Immunization Record
- Parent or Guardians Driver's License who is registering child
- Proof of Residence: Water, Gas or Electric Bill or Purchase Contract if you are buying a home and the sale has not closed yet, Lease Agreement if you are renting.



6th Annual Whitt Golf Tournament

**Woodbridge Golf Club
Saturday, April 12, 2014**

Join us for a great time of golf, food, and fun!
Scramble Style Tournament, 9-hole putting game,
Dinner (provided by Frankie's Mexican Cuisine),
and Silent Auction!.

REGISTRATION ENDS MARCH 28th

Visit the PTA website for more information



**Orders Due
March 28th**

**DON WHITT ELEMENTARY
2013-2014
YEARBOOK**



ORDERS DUE APRIL 25, 2014!!!

Additional information can be found
on our Whitt PTA website:
<http://whittpta.net/ongoing-programs/yearbook/>

4th Grade Parents,

Don't forget to turn in the following photos (preferably in digital format) of your 4th grader by **Monday, March 31st**:

- One baby/toddler picture
- One current picture
- (OPTIONAL) One group picture with a friend/group of friends from Whitt

Please contact your child's homeroom rep with any questions



**Think College
Thursdays!**

**Fridays are Spirit
Days at Whitt!**

