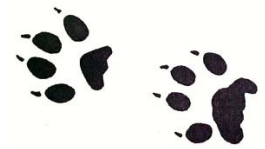


The Whitt Wolf Call



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Whitt Elementary PTA

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UPCOMING EVENTS

December

- 12/6 Whitt Hoodie Orders Due
- 12/9 – 12/13 Holiday Store
- 12/10 General PTA Meeting
Kindergarten Performance
6:45pm
- 12/19 Holiday Sing-a-Long – 9am
- 12/20 Holiday Class Parties – 9am
Early Dismissal (12:30pm)



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:

WOW!! November has flown by!! The month has been fun filled and full of giving, compassion, and caring.

Thank you so much for participating in the canned food drive for the Wylie Christian Care Center. Whitt had a goal of collecting 2,000 items ... Students far surpassed that goal by bringing in 3,152 items!! Way to go Wolves! What an outstanding portrayal of The Wylie Way!

Whitt students also brought in over 16,000 magazines as part of a week-long magazine drive! Classes in each grade level that collected the most magazines will enjoy a donut and hot chocolate party! Whitt PTA will sponsor 2 more magazine drives throughout the school year, so continue to save those magazines! We compete with all WISD schools in paper recycling. We currently own the trophy ... we don't want to give it up next year!

Thank you again for participating in both these drives! November was definitely a month full of some pretty heavy lifting and loading!

Our 3rd graders amazed us with their Veteran's Day tribute. The evening was full of pride and love for country, and I appreciate so much the wonderful way in which they celebrated veterans and those actively serving in the armed forces. I am so grateful for the freedoms I enjoy, and I am so thankful to each of these men and women who have fought to protect those freedoms. Thank you to all who were involved in this special evening!

Some of our students competed in the district's UIL academic competition, and they did absolutely fabulous! Thank you students and coaches for working so hard! Students represented Whitt well, and they got to celebrate this week with an ice-cream party!

The holiday season is here ... I'm always shocked by how quickly it sneaks up ... I hope each of you enjoy time, memories, and traditions with your families and loved ones.

I cannot say it enough ... thank you for all each of you do. I am amazed time and time again by volunteers, staff, and students ... Whitt is full of so much love, heart, pride, and learning.

At a time of year when we reflect more on things we are thankful for, I am truly grateful to be a part of Whitt!!

Stacie Smith
Whitt Elementary PTA President

Spotlight on Volunteering

The Whitt PTA would like recognize our Volunteers of the Month for the month of November. These volunteers have worked tirelessly to make all our November Events run smoothly!

**Sandra Chapman
Jennifer Cheung
Tish Langland
Kendra Medina
Stacy Pewitt**

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

25 Hours
Jennifer Cheung
Dena Donnell
Sherry Fitzgerald
Kendra Medina
Stacy Pewitt

50 Hours
Krysta Knudsen
Laura Wilmarth

Whitt's Got Talent

JANUARY 28 & 30

Auditions: **January 9th @ 3:00 PM**

Permission Forms must be turned in at time of audition.

Questions? Contact Angela Irby at whitttalentshow@gmail.com

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

WHITT SPIRIT HOODIE



Only \$25

Orders Due: December 6, 2013

The order form was sent home in your child's Thursday Folder and can also be printed from our website: <http://whittpta.net/whitt-spirit/>

WHITT HOLIDAY STORE

Each year, Whitt PTA holds a Holiday Store to give the kids an opportunity to shop and buy affordable gifts for all the people (and pets) on their lists.

This year's Whitt Holiday Store will be held during the week of **December 9 – 13** from **7:30am to 2:30pm**.

The store will be filled with an assortment of gifts ranging from \$1 to \$12 (with most items priced \$2-\$5).

Get in the spirit and volunteer for this fun event!

Questions? Contact Sandy Sears at whittholiday@gmail.com.

DON WHITT ELEMENTARY 2013-2014 YEARBOOK TreeRing



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

