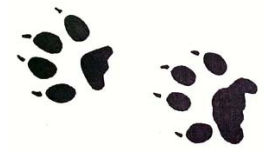


The Whitt Wolf Call



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UPCOMING EVENTS

October

- 10/2 Fall Picture Day
- 10/4 National Walk to School Day
- 10/9 Fair Day – No School
- 10/13 Wolf Howl – 7:45am
- 10/18 Wylie ISD Unity Day
- 10/23 Kick-off for WISD Food Drive
Start of Red Ribbon Week
- 10/27 End of Red Ribbon Week
Student Celebrations
Halloween Class Parties
Fall Carnival 5pm-8pm
- 10/30 Reflections Entries Due



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 whittpa to 81010



**Magazine Drive
November 6-10**



Whitt PTA
General Meeting
3rd Grade Performance



**Tuesday, November 7th
6:45 PM**



From the President:

Happy Fall Ya'll!!

That chill is in the air, the faint sweet smells of pumpkin, apples, and cinnamon fill our homes; our weekends are filled with football games and pumpkin prowls...it's HERE! Fall is really here! And that means a month full of greatness here at Whitt.

What a GREAT 9 days your Wolves have had learning all the virtues of a true hero! We have met and exceeded our fundraising goal and for that I am incredibly thankful! Through your generosity, we will be able to fund the ENTIRE year of programs, and do some pretty amazing things for your students and staff at Whitt Elementary! We hope your student enjoyed the FUN RUN as much as we did!

During the last PTA general meeting, we were able to approve nearly \$5,000 for instructional supplies and the funds to create a new garden at the front of the school! Our teachers and administrators are better equipped to teach our children because of the support from our families and friends. Our school is better because of each one of you! THANK YOU!!!

We kicked off our reading programs at the Wolf Howl in September in ALL STAR fashion! We had some Wylie Pirate Football players join us at the Wolf Howl to get our Wolves excited about our ACCELERATED READER and RAZ READERS programs! Information about both programs went home in Thursday folders a few weeks ago. If you have any other questions, please check out the programs link on our website at www.whittpa.net or email whittprograms@gmail.com with any questions.

Thanks to everyone who came out to Spring Creek BBQ for some good food and good times with your family and friends! We had over 20% of the school come to Spring Creek. Way to show up BIG, Wolves!

On October 4th, Whitt will join thousands of other schools across the country for National Walk to School Day. Come walk with other wolves, your Sachse fire and police departments, and your very own "Wylie" Wolf for a fun and get fit morning!

Whitt's Fall Carnival is my favorite event as I love to see all the families come together to enjoy some fun that evening. Come see all your teachers, visit their booths, enjoy some delicious food, and most importantly have some FUN. Be on the lookout for information to come home about ticket pre-orders, opportunities to volunteer, and how to help your teacher's booth. Carnival is only possible with the help of everyone. So save the date for **October 27th** from 5-8pm, for Whitt's Annual "Fall Frenzy" Carnival!

Some other super fun events to look forward to this month are Red Ribbon Week, Halloween Parties, Unity Day, and Student Celebrations!

I'm so proud to be part of the Whitt family. Once a Wolf, Always a Wolf! Have a great month!

Michele Elwart

Whitt Elementary PTA President

Volunteer Spotlight



The Whitt PTA would like recognize our Volunteers of the Month for the month of September:

Cami Johannes
Kelli Minarzick
Vivian Nguyen
Nicole Ogle
Cynthia Rogers
Thao Wong

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



Order by **October 31st** and receive **10%** off your 2017-2018 Whitt Yearbook

To Purchase & Customize Your Yearbook:
1. Go to www.TreeRing.com/validate
2. Enter school passcode: **10whittwolves**

Additional information can be found on our Whitt PTA website

RED RIBBON WEEK

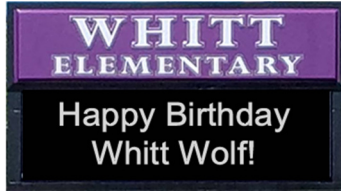
Monday, October 23
Get "RED" of Drugs
(Wear red to kick off Red Ribbon Week)

Tuesday, October 24
Put a "CAP" on Drugs
(Wear a cap or hat)

Wednesday, October 25
Too Bright for Drugs
(Wear neon and sunglasses)

Thursday, October 26
Team Up Against Drugs
(Wear your favorite college/sports team apparel)

Friday, October 27
Say Boo to Drugs
(Wear your Halloween costume or spooky apparel)
No scary costumes



Want to wish your child a Special Happy Birthday?

For \$20, you can wish your child a Happy Birthday on the Whitt Elementary marquee.

What a wonderful way to let them know just how special they are!

The form is included in your child's Whitt PTA First Day of School Pack or it can be downloaded from our PTA website.

Contact Thao Wong at whittcommunications@gmail.com for further information.



Fridays are Spirit Days at Whitt!

Don't forget to wear your Whitt spirit wear every Friday.

Whitt Wolves: Let us recognize your CREATIVITY!



Create an original piece of artwork that reflects the 2017-2018 theme: **Within Reach** in the categories of dance choreography, musical composition, photography, visual arts, film production and literature.



The deadline for submission is **Monday, October 30, 2017.**

If you have any questions, please contact Sara Wolf at whittarts@gmail.com.

