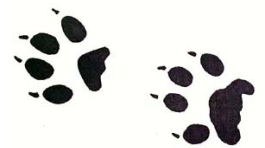


The Whitt Wolf Call



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Whitt Elementary PTA

April 2011

UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr 4th-7th	Kinder Round Up
Apr 4th-7th	Coins for a Cure Collection Contest
Apr 12th	Finance Forum at Wyle East High School
Apr 14th	PTA General Meeting; Kinder Program
Apr 28th	Family Fun Night @ Yogurtville

It's Time!!!

Texas Rangers Coupon books will be on sale very soon!

Please be looking for an informational flyer and order form coming home very soon. They will be \$39.99 each and have multiple discounts (6 tickets at buy-one-get-one free and 4 free home games!).

Don't miss this opportunity to see our American League Champs for a great price and help out the Whitt PTA at the same time!

Please e-mail DeAnn Smith at trey.deann@gmail.com for any further questions. PLAY BALL!!!!

Family Fun Night

The winner of our March Family Fun Night was Mrs. Steven's Kindergarten class! They had 60% of their class in attendance. Way to go kids!!!!

The next Family Fun Night is April 25, 2001 at Yogurtville.

From the President:

We are quickly coming to the end of this school year. It has been a fantastic year, with more exciting events to come in the next few months.

Congratulations to the newly elected officers for the school year 2011-2012. There are still a few positions open. Please contact Deonna Osborn, President Elect for information at deonno@gmail.com.

The Wylie Council of PTA's is hosting a Finance Forum at Wylie East High School on April 12th to discuss how the state budget will impact Wylie ISD. It will be an informative evening, please plan to attend.

Golfers get those clubs out and join us for the Third Annual Golf Tournament on April 30th at the Woodbridge Golf Course. If you don't golf, then come join us for dinner and the silent auction. Information and forms can be found on the website.

Splash day and Field Day are right around the corner. Mark your calendars, as your kids would love to have you join us on those days. Field Day is May 27th and Splash Day is May 31st. Both events are fun events for the students.

Kari Hunt
Whitt PTA President

Important Articles on Website

The Whitt PTA works to bring informative articles to parents – and we have some great info on our website. Check out the new info added this month on Internet Safety and this month's nursing needle article about the important of water at: www.whittpta.net/newsletters-and-articles/

MARK YOUR CALENDARS...

Whitt's Third Annual Golf Tournament and Silent Auction Dinner!

We are excited to announce that our 3rd Annual Whitt Fundraiser Golf Tournament will be held at Woodbridge Golf Club on Saturday, April 30th. The tournament will begin at 1:00 pm. Our silent auction and dinner will follow this fun event. We would love to have you come out and be a part of the whole day or just the evening festivities. We are also in need of community sponsors to help make this event a great success again this year. Look for flyers to be coming home soon in your child's backpack.

Feel free to contact Deonna Osborn, Golf Tournament Chairperson, at deonno@gmail.com, with any questions. See you out there!



On Monday, April 25th at 9:00, Whitt Wolves will be awed by the Power Teams' dynamic feats of strength.

Whitt wolves will be inspired to do their very best on upcoming TAKS testing and finish the school year strong!!

National Volunteer Week, April 10 - 16, 2011

Pick a day during National Volunteer Week or some other time in the month of April to volunteer to help someone or a group in need. Go to <http://www.volunteermatch.org/search/advanced.jsp> to find volunteer opportunities in your area. Opportunities involve donating money or time and energy. Let's do it and make a difference!

*Carmen Dorsey
Youth Protection / Health Education / SAGE Chair*

Box Tops for Education

Our "Lights Camera Action" Campaign was a great success. We ended up with over 6000 box tops and a little over \$600.00 for PACK teachers. Great Work!

Mrs. Jenkins' 1st grade class won the Movie Party; they collected 939 box tops. Mrs. Weist's 4th grade class was in 2nd place with 595 box tops. The individual winner was Evie Bush in Mrs. Jenkins' 1st grade class with a total turned in of 645

Also everyone who registers at: www.rewardyourschool.com will receive 5 bonus box tops just by registering their Kroger card. Once you register, choose Don Whitt Elementary as your school. It is really easy and Whitt will earn \$.50 for each registration.

*Noreen Smith, Family Fun Night Chair
Noreensmith07@verizon.net*

*Stephanie Bush, Box Top Coordinator
beansmommy30@gmail.com*

Mark your calendars – Splash Day is coming up quickly. Parents, we need many volunteers to make this a great day for our kids. Please consider volunteering your time; if you can't make it all day, then we could use you during the 1 ½ - 2 hours of your child's grade level. More information will be coming home soon.

Kids, don't forget to turn in your Dippin' Dots flavor vote by April 22nd!

*Amy Pinner, Room Rep Chair
amypinner@verizon.net*

Coins for the Cure

April 4th-11th

Monday - Pennies

Tuesday - Nickels

Wednesday - Dimes

Thursday - Quarters

Friday - clean out the piggy bank

Proceeds benefit the Whitt Wolves American Cancer Society Relay for Life team. Please

Support us in the fight to end cancer. Those classrooms, per grade level, bringing in the most money will win a popcorn party sponsored by Whitt PTA.

Volunteers of the Month

Congratulations to our Volunteers of the Month!

Thanks SOOOO much for all you do for Whitt!!!!

January

Kelly Criss	Theresa Evetts	Jennifer Cheung
Alfiya Pope	Rebecca Lindsey	Lori Brassfield.

February

Lisa Ybarra	Laura Wilmarth	Carmen Dorsey
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Staff Appreciation

Staff Appreciation Week is May 2-6 and Whitt PTA will be celebrating our great staff with fun events each day! This year, Whitt Elementary is "Going to the Movies".

Contact your room rep if you would like to help show your teacher how much we appreciate all that they do for our kids!

For more information or to volunteer, please contact Fiona Xayaphanh maemaehan@yahoo.com or cell: 847-708-6520.