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News and Events

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES ARE NEXT WEEK!

If you have not already, please sign up for a conference for next week! To access the conference sign up page go to the Trillium Creek Primary website and click on the FamilyLink symbol at the top right of the page.

- Parent Login for FamilyLink: email address that is on file with the school.
- If you have forgotten your password, use the "Forgot Password" link to have it sent to the email on file.
- Once logged into FamilyLink go to the link for "Conferences," and follow the directions.

If you have any questions or difficulty signing up for conferences, do not hesitate to contact the school office at (503) 673-7950.

Due to conferences there will be NO school on October 11-12 and NO school on October 13 as it is an in-service day.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

We are going bananas for Box Tops!

The Box Tops classroom contest has begun! Bring in all of your Box Tops that you have clipped from now through October 20th. Look for collection sheets from your teacher or in the office. The class who earns the most at the end of the contest will win a banana split party!



GARDEN LITERACY PROGRAM

We started the new Garden Literacy Program this year which was funded by our generous PTA but there are some items that would be really great to have. If you have any of the items listed below sitting around in your house or garage, we are happy to take it off your hands.

Thank you in advanced for your generosity. The students are really loving this new program!

We need:

- Folding plastic table
- Organic Compost
- 4 more watering cans

You can contact Charity Hudnut at cbomber@gmail.com

Calendar of Events

October



Oct 5 - Gifted Education Parent Night 6:00-7:00 pm

Oct 9-12 - Conferences

Oct 11-12 - No School - Conferences

Oct 13 - No School - Statewide Inservice Day

Oct 16-19 - Forest Flyers

Oct 18 - PTA Meeting 9:00 am - All are welcome!

Oct 19 - PTA Costume Swap 2:15 - 3:00 pm

Oct 25 - Professional Growth Wednesday - Early Release at 12:10 pm

Oct 27 - Harvest Happening 5:30-7:30 pm

November



Nov 2 - 3rd Grade Music Program at 6:30 pm

Nov 3 - Picture Re-takes

HARVEST HAPPENING

Harvest Happening committee is grateful for any donations of candy, sparkling water, Gatorade and prizes for our school festival. Donations can be dropped off in bins inside the office.

COSTUME SWAP

Costume Swap is coming October 19th! If you have any extra costumes feel free to drop them off at the front office. Want to swap? Add your name to the swap list. No costume to swap? For \$5 you can peruse to see if you find one.

PTA MEMBERSHIP

Do you want a VOICE and a VOTE on where your PTA money goes? If so, please join the PTA! A yearly PTA membership is only \$15. PTA meetings are once per month and all are welcome. Please contact Stephanie Gettel at stephaniegettel@yahoo.com or Dawn Walters at dawnkristenwalters@gmail.com.

Our next meetings are:

Wednesday, October 18th, 9:00 AM at TCPS

Wednesday, November 15th, 6:30 PM at TCPS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM THE OFFICE

Thank you for your patience as we work through our new Transportation Change process.

- For any transportation changes, please fill out the 3 piece Request form and send all 3 copies to the office (you may send the form up to 1 week ahead.)
- We are happy to give you several slips to keep at home - just stop by the office or ask your child to stop by the office to pick them up.
- Please try to make play-dates well in advance and send the information on the Request form.

Attendance

If your child is going to be absent or late for any reason, please call the office at 503-673-7950 before 8:30 am. You may also email this information but please send a copy all of these emails: vermillk@wlwv.k12.or.us, mayst@wlwv.k12.or.us, hoffbert@wlwv.k12.or.us

FOREST FLYERS

Greetings Owl Parents! Our first month of Forest Flyers is a wrap and we are thrilled that more than half of the students participated! We are so proud of them and more importantly, we hope they are proud of themselves!

We will be going completely electronic next month. Please have your kiddo wear their running shoes the week of October 16th.

The electronic system requires less volunteers to count laps, but we would love to have you come and cheer them on if volunteer slots are full! You will still be required to sign in at the office and wear a name tag.

WLWV DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

WLWV Community Update The West Linn-Wilsonville School District recently launched its District-wide newsletter called WLWV Community Update, consolidating important District communications with future WLWV events. The District plans to publish two District-wide newsletters per month. Past editions can always be found on the District's website under the 'Communications' tab. To view the first edition of WLWV Community Update, go to <https://www.smore.com/8d2cm-wlwvcommunity-update>. Happy reading!

FUNNY FRIDAY JOKES

Here are a few of our favorites:



What is a three-letter word for a mouse trap?

CAT

Why did the spider crawl on the computer?

To get to his "web" site!

Knock Knock

Who's there?

Radio

Radio who?

Radio not, here I come!

It's time for another season of CREST Learning On The Go Field Trips... and you're invited!

Rock On!

Date: October 11, 2017

Grades: 2-3-4-5

Time: 8:00 am – 3:00 pm

Registration Fee: \$50.00

We're looking for rock hounds and budding geologists to join us on a trip to the Rice Museum in Hillsboro. You will get a chance to tour this amazing collection of rocks and minerals and learn about fossils, petrified wood and more! Then spend the afternoon at CREST getting up close and personal with the large collection of rocks, minerals and fossils CREST has amassed over the years.

Take a Walk on the Wild Side

October 12, 2017

Grades 2-3-4-5

8:00 am – 3:00 pm

\$45.00

Visit the Ankeny Wildlife Refuge near Salem. Explore this amazing home to many species of wildlife in the Willamette Valley. We will visit wetlands to see birds and hike through a forested wetland, and look for animal tracks and other signs of wildlife as we explore this special place.

Farm to Table

October 13, 2017

Grades 3-4-5

8:00 am – 3:00 pm

\$50.00

Spend the day visiting local farms and seeing the harvest season up close. You'll help with some chores on the farm and interact with fruits, veggies and farm animals. You'll also do some cooking and learn about preserving food and taste the fruits of your labor!

Creepy Crawlies

October 13, 2017

Grades 1-2-3

8:00 am - 3:00 pm

\$45.00

Spend the day at CREST studying the world of creepy and crawly critters. We will spend time outdoors searching for creatures, and do labs indoors to learn more about insects, worms and other slithery animals. You'll get to use microscopes to see the creatures up close and get a chance to gently touch or hold them if you want to.

Registration is available on the CREST online registration page:

<http://www2.crest.wlwg.k12.or.us/register/>

Please make sure to completely fill in the online registration form and click the submit button at the bottom of the page to complete the process of your online registration.

Once you complete this progress, you will receive a confirmation that your request has been submitted. If you don't get the confirmation, or you have any questions, please contact Vickie Lee at leev@wlwg.k12.or.us

IT'S STRINGS TIME AGAIN!

Strings will begin on Tuesday, October 17th and the West Linn Primary Strings location will be at CEDAR OAK PARK PRIMARY again this year. Classes will run from 2:30-3:15 pm (but no class on Professional Growth Wednesdays at all)

Concerts this year will take place as follows:

- Winter Concert - Tuesday, Dec. 12th, at Athey Creek Middle School
- Spring Concert - Thursday, May 17th, 7 pm at West Linn HS

The cost is still \$195 for the year (payable to WLWV School District) **Strings**

Registration fee can also be paid by credit card online! Please follow this link:

<https://www.schoolpay.com/parent/mip/13160314444043680705564281459>

(or visit our district webpage - departments - business office - credit card payments)

FRI
OCT
27

5:30 to
7:30PM

HARVEST HAPPENINGS!

COME JOIN US AT THE

pizza palor for live entertainment

pre-order pizza only

PUMPKIN RAFFLE

PIZZA PRIZES

WEAR YOUR COSTUMES



**PRE-ORDER
PIZZA &
TICKETS
ONLINE:**

TrilliumCreekPTA.org



There will be lots of fun games and prizes, live entertainment, and even a professional pumpkin carver to come watch, Tom Ziemann, tomziemann.com. We will be raffling off a couple of those pumpkins at the end of the night! Come in costume for a spooktacular night of fun. See reverse side of flyer for information to pre-order tickets and food for this event!

COSTUME SWAP!!

October 19th



In an effort to get ready for the fun at the Harvest Happenings event, Trillium Creek likes to encourage a Green Halloween!

Join in the fun at our fifth annual Costume Swap!!

What a great way to give a costume and gain a costume at the same time!

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Swap a Costume

We do take costumes ahead of time if you want to drop it off before the event. Bins will be located in the front office.

If you drop off ahead of time, your child's name will go on a list where they can go and choose a new costume on the day of the swap. Please note on the list if they will need to go pick a costume before school is out and we will get them from their classroom the day of the event.

****This is only if you do not or cannot come yourself to help pick a costume.

No Costume to Swap?

No problem! Come browse to see if you find a costume for a small fee of \$5.

Children who want to buy a costume but have to take the bus, can add their name to the list and just mark the "buy" box and we will make sure they can come to participate.

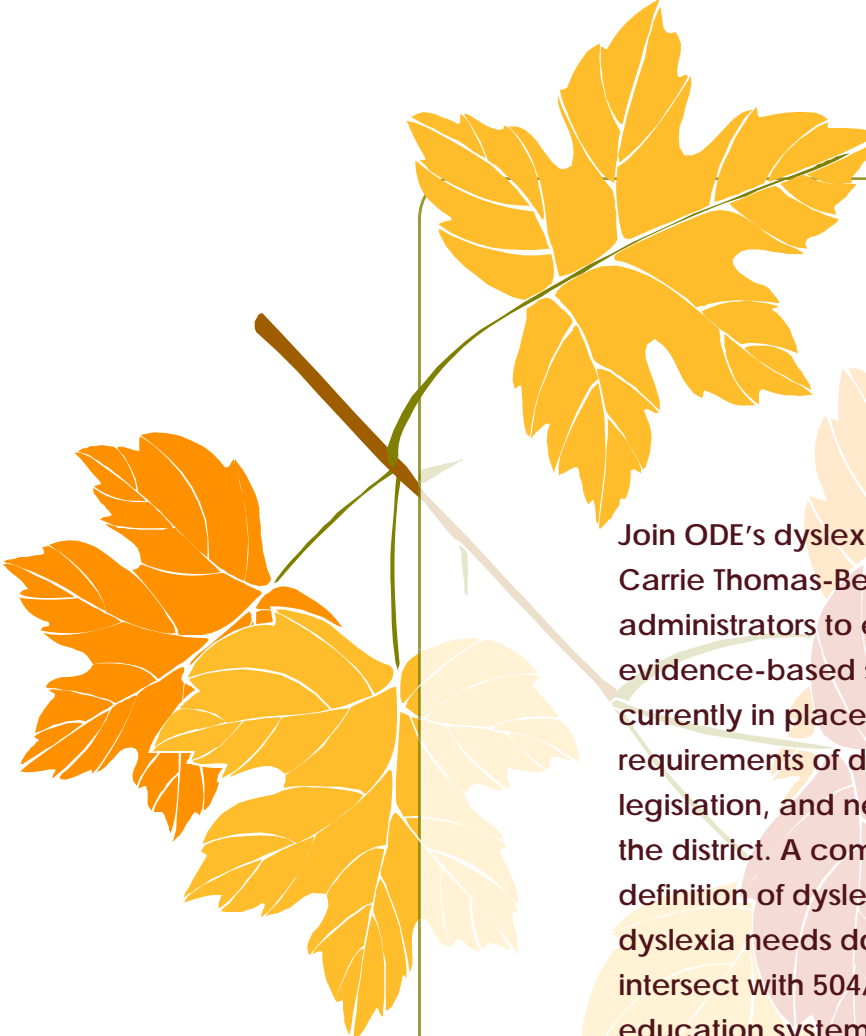
If you do not want to send money to school, just make a check out to Trillium Creek PTA.

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PLEASE NOTE: We ask that you do not bring hats or wigs due to sanitary reasons. Also no scary items or weapons allowed.

Accepting costumes for donation in the front office even if you do not plan on swapping!





Join ODE's dyslexia expert, Dr. Carrie Thomas-Beck, and WLWV administrators to explore what evidence-based strategies are currently in place, the requirements of dyslexia legislation, and next steps for the district. A common definition of dyslexia, when dyslexia needs do and don't intersect with 504/Special education systems, and a small group input session will all be part of this evening.

Dyslexia & West Linn-Wilsonville Schools



October 18

at 5:00-6:30pm

Sunset Primary School
2351 Oxford Street West Linn



Questions or info?
Spencerj@wlwv.k12.or.us



West Linn-Wilsonville School District Beginning Strings and Intermediate Orchestra 2017-2018

Dear Parents and Students,

We are very excited about the beginning strings and intermediate orchestra program. A strong strings program starts at the primary level. Our goal is to provide instruction that will develop a lifetime of music, discipline, confidence, lasting friendships and accomplishment. We look forward to an amazing year of music and learning. To assist in making our strings program as accessible as possible, we are offering instruction at 2 district locations; with bus service provided to each location from your neighborhood school! (Parents are responsible for timely pickup after strings class). Primary Strings musicians and Orchestra members will participate in 2 concerts this year: **Tuesday, December 12 at Athey Creek Middle School (gym) and Thursday, May 17, 2018 at West Linn High School.**

- **Who can join:** Any 3rd, 4th, or 5th grade student!
- **When:** Mondays & Wednesdays*, 2:30 - 3:15 pm. at Boeckman Creek Primary School
(*no class on *Professional Growth/Early Release* days) Classes begin Monday, October 16.
OR
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 2:30 - 3:15 p.m. at Cedaroak Park Primary School
Classes begin Tuesday, October 17.
- **Cost:** \$195 for the year (payable to WLWV School District)
Strings Registration fee can also be paid by credit card online! Please follow this link:
<https://www.schoolpay.com/parent/mip/13160314444043680705564281459>
(or visit our district webpage - departments - business office - credit card payments)
- **Instruments:** Students can choose to play **violin, viola, cello, or double bass**. **You will need to provide your own instrument.** If you do not have an instrument of your own, we recommend renting a good quality instrument. **For rental information, please contact our Strings Director, Nathan Givens at: givensn@wlwv.k12.or.us**
- **Intermediate Orchestra:** Students must have completed one year of beginning strings or have at least one year of previous playing experience to enroll in Intermediate Orchestra.
- **Parent Information Meeting (optional):** On Tuesday, September 26 from 6:00-7:00 p.m., we will be hosting an informational meeting at the West Linn-Wilsonville School District Office (22210 SW Stafford Road, Tualatin). We hope to answer any additional questions you may have. **Students are encouraged to attend as we will have instruments available for sizing and hands-on testing.** Parent meeting is completely optional.
- **Registration:** Please send your registration form and fee to:

Julie Lane - West Linn-Wilsonville School District
22210 SW Stafford Road
Tualatin, OR 97062
(Questions: lanej@wlwv.k12.or.us)

Please return the registration form to register your child, even if you are paying online.



West Linn-Wilsonville Beginning Strings and Intermediate Orchestra Registration Form for 2017-2018

Dear Parents and Students,

We are very excited about the beginning strings and intermediate orchestra program. The program is open to any 3rd, 4th, or 5th grade student! (Students registering for intermediate instruction MUST have completed beginning strings or have previous playing experience. Please contact us if you have questions: Julie Lane - lanej@wlwv.k12.or.us)

Locations:

West Linn Strings & Orchestra Program

Hosted at Cedaroak Park Primary School

Tuesdays, Thursdays - beginning October 17, 2017

2:30-3:15 p.m.

Cost \$195 for school year (payable to WLWV School District)

Wilsonville Strings & Orchestra Program

Hosted at Boeckman Creek Primary School

Mondays, Wednesdays* - beginning October 16, 2017

2:30 - 3:15 p.m. (No class on *Professional Growth/Early Release* Wednesdays)

Cost: \$195 for school year (payable to WLWV School District)

Busing:

A bus will pick up students in West Linn schools immediately after school and transport them to Cedaroak Park Primary School. Parents are responsible for pick-up after class. *Stafford students may select either West Linn or Wilsonville location.

A bus will pick up students in Wilsonville schools immediately after school and transport them to Boeckman Creek Primary School. Parents are responsible for pick-up after class. *Stafford students may select either West Linn or Wilsonville location.

West Linn-Wilsonville Beginning Strings and Intermediate Orchestra Registration Form for 2017-2018

Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Current School: _____

My child will be attending the: (check one)

West Linn Strings Program at Cedaroak on Tuesdays and Thursdays

Wilsonville Strings Program at Boeckman Creek on Mondays and Wednesdays

My child is interested in: Beginning Violin Beginning Cello Beginning Viola Beginning Bass
 Intermediate Violin Intermediate Cello Intermediate Viola Intermediate Bass

(Please make sure and select the instrument your child will be playing!)

Parent/Guardian: _____ Best Phone Number: _____

Parent Email: _____ Emergency Number: _____

Your contact information as well as timely pickup practices are crucial to the safety of our students and the success of our program. Please make sure to complete your contact information as it pertains to your child's time in their strings sessions.

Please send your \$195 registration fee (payable to WLWSD if not paid online) along with this form to: Julie Lane, West Linn-Wilsonville School District, 22210 SW Stafford Road, Tualatin, OR 97062 (phone: 503-673-7024 email: lanej@wlwv.k12.or.us)