

## **WESTBRIAR ELEMENTARY PTA**

Our mission is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.



## THIS WEEK - January 8th - 12th

#### Stock the Staff Room - 3rd Grade

Show your appreciation by sending in individually wrapped treats (i.e., granola bars, chips, baked goods, fruit, trail mix, drinks, etc.). Items can be dropped off in the front office. Sign up <a href="here">here</a>.

# TONIGHT - January 10th @ 7pm - Zoom PTA Monthly Meeting

Please join us for our January PTA Meeting. As announced, all PTA meetings will be conducted on Zoom this year. Please join us using the link below. If a passcode is requested, Please use wespta.



Click Here to Join



## Friday, January 12 @ 6pm iCode Parents Night Out

In need of a break after the holidays? Some quite time just to yourself? Then drop your students off at iCode in Vienna for Parents Night Out and help us raise some money for our school. Prior registration required. To register, please click here.

## Friday, January 19th, 5:30 Cultural Heritage Night

Please join us for our Cultural Heritage Night (formally International Night). For more information, please see our <u>website</u>. All families attending must bring a dish to share. To sign up, please click <u>here</u>. Please use these sign up sheets to sign your students up for a <u>cultural performance</u> or to host a <u>country table</u>. This event requires a lot of volunteers, to help out, please sign up here.





#### Wednesday, February 7th

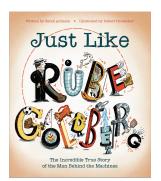
### **PTA Parent Program**

After our February PTA meeting, we will be joined by local parent coach, Mary Smith, who will be discussing microsteps for dealing with the challenges of parenthood.

#### Thursday, February 15th

### **Westbriar Spelling Bee**





## Wednesday, February 28th

#### **Author Visit Book Order**

Children's author, Sarah Aronson, will be visiting Westbriar on March 7th. If you'd like to purchase one of her books for your students for her to sign, please use the links provided by local book store, Bards Alley. Click <a href="here">here</a> for Rube Goldberg and click <a href="here">here</a> for Brand New Bubbe. Students will be learning about both books during the visit. For more information about the author visit, visit our <a href="website">website</a>.

## Ongoing Student Directory

The student directory can be accessed <u>online</u> via AtoZ Connect.



#### **Volunteers Needed**



We are looking for volunteers to join our 5k planning committee. If you are interested in supporting this Westbriar tradition, focused on community building and service learning, please complete this <u>form</u>.

We are looking for volunteers to make Cultural Heritage Night a success. Please sign up <a href="here">here</a>. We

are also looking for volunteers to assist with the Spelling Bee. Email Morgan at wesptaprez@gmail.com if you are interested.

### **Ongoing**

#### **Grocery Gift Card Collection**

The PTA is collecting grocery store gift cards to support families in our community facing food insecurity. Gift cards in any amount is appreciated and can be dropped off in the main office.





### Ongoing FCPS Cares - Staff Kudos

Our amazing teachers and staff are what make Westbriar to wonderful school that it is. Help us celebrate and recognize their hard work and dedication to our students by submitting

a FCPS Cares message <u>here</u>. It only takes 2 minutes to write a note and is shared with the staff member and our administration team.

#### **2023-2024 Spiritwear**

Time to stock up on your Westbriar Spiritwear! Our store is open with weekly deals. Check out our <u>store online</u>.



Visit our website at <a href="https://www.westbriarpta.org">https://www.westbriarpta.org</a>