

# **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 - October 16 -

23

#### Feed the Falcon

Feed the Falcon is GOING
ON NOW! This is our
largest fundraiser of the
year and our goal is to raise
at least \$20,000 with a
stretch goal of \$25,000 for
our school.

As of the writing of this newsletter, we have raised \$3,169

#### There are THREE WAYS TO DONATE:

- 1. Pay online with any credit card at MemberHub
- 2. Send a check with your student made out to Westbriar PTA from October 16th to October 23rd in an envelop
- 3. Send cash with your student to school any day from October 16th to October 23rd in an envelop labeled Westbriar PTA

The more money we raise the more rewards are students earn!

SCHOOL GOALS	TOTALS	STUDENT REWARDS
	\$30,000	Whole School Pizza Party
Author Visit	\$25,000	School Admin Prank Achieved
Fall and Spring Teacher Grants	\$18,000	Whole School Popsicle Party
Field Trip Reimbursements	\$13,500	10 Minutes Extra Recess
Teacher Hospitality Events	\$7,500	Whole School PJ Day
Staff Appreciation Week and International Night	\$4,000	Teacher-Decided Classroom Reward

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#### Stock the Staff Room - 5th 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> to bring something.





# Friday, October 20 Fall Picture Day

Order forms for picture day are in the Wednesday folder. We are looking for 3-4 volunteers to help prepare the students for picture day.

#### **Month of October**

## Dining for Dollars - Vocelli Pizza

Vocelli Pizza has offered to extend our Dining for Dollars until the end of the month! Help us raise some money for our school and make dinner easy. Use code WBPTA20 at checkout any this month.





# **By Saturday, October 21st Math Enrichment Programs**

Registration for our 2023-2024 math enrichment programs is going on now. For more information on <u>Math Olympiad</u>, <u>MathCounts</u>, and <u>AMC8</u> and to register, please visit our website.

# October 23rd, 10am School House Chat

Ms. Tam will be hosting her second School House Chat in-person on October 23rd at 10am. An agenda and sign up link will be available in the Wednesday folder on October 18th.





# October 27th, 6:30 to 8pm

#### Halloween BINGO

Save the date! Join us for a night of BINGO, Trunk or Treat, pizza, and KONA ice.

We are still in need of lots of volunteers and BINGO prize donations to make this event successful. If we don't get enough volunteers for trunk or treat this week, we will be forced to cancel that part of the event. To sign up, click <u>here</u>.

## **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.



# THANKYOU

# 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 <a href="here">here</a>. It only takes 2 minutes to write a note and is shared with the staff member and our administration team.

#### **Volunteers Needed**

We are looking for volunteers to lead several upcoming programs to include our spelling bee, science fair, and new penny wars fundraiser. If you are able to help run these events, please email Morgan at wesptaprez@gmail.com.

We are looking for volunteers to assist on our planning committee for Cultural Heritage Night (formally International Night). This event takes a large number of volunteers leading up to the event to



make it a success. If you are interested, please email Morgan at wesptaprez@gmail.com



## **2023-2024 Spiritwear**

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

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