



# 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: Saturday, April 13 5K Run and 1 Mile Walk

The big day has finally arrived! Our 5K Run and 1 Mile Walk is THIS SATURDAY!

Our event begins at 7:45 with a warmup and pledge of allegiance. The 5K will begin at 8am and the 1 mile will begin at 8:05. Check out the [website](#) for the route maps.

Packets will be distributed on Thursday to student's classrooms. Packets are organized by family so only one student will receive all the items for your family. Packets include race bibs, t-shirts, and raffle tickets. Please wear your bibs to the race - ALL participants MUST BE registered and wearing their bib numbers. Please bring your raffle tickets as well so you can enter to win one of our many donated prizes.

Stick around after the run and walk for activities, snacks, and the raffle drawing.

If you did not register and wish to participate, we will be offering MORNING OF registration. Please plan to arrive NO LATER than 7:30 if you wish to register on Saturday morning. Please visit our registration table.



We are still in need of some more volunteers. Sign up [here](#). We are also still in need of donations for our power packs. Sign up [here](#).



## THIS WEEK: Wednesday, April 10 Science Fair Registration Closes

Westbriar's annual Science Fair will be Thursday April 18th. For more information and to register, visit our [website](#).

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**THIS WEEK: Thursday, April 11th**  
**Dining for Dollars - Midnight Treats**

Visit Midnight Treats between 1pm and 11pm, mention Westbriar PTA, and 25% of your order will be donated to Westbriar Elementary School.



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**THIS WEEK: Friday, April 12th**  
**Westbriar Penny Wars**



Thank you to all our families for supporting Penny Wars! We raised \$2,938.48 for our school. Fifth Grade won with the most points and will earn extra recess. The whole school earned a PJ day, which will be Friday, April 12th!

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**Week of April 15th**  
**Stock the Staff Room - Kindergarten**

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 [here](#).



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**Saturday, May 4th, 2024**  
**Chess Tournament**

We will be hosting our first Chess Tournament at Westbriar Elementary School in partnership with GM Chess Prep. Open to all students K-12 Grade. For more information, visit the [registration page](#).

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**Week of May 6th**  
**Staff Appreciation Week**

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Staff Appreciation Week is May 6th through 10th. Our theme this year is "Hollywood: Thanks for Being the Star That You Are". More details will be available soon regarding the PTAs plans to celebrate our AMAZING staff! Please consider [signing up](#) to donate a gift card for our staff.

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**Ongoing**  
**2024-2025 Sprout School Supply Boxes**

Orders for our 2024-2025 Sprout School Supply Boxes opens this week. More information can be found on our website. Make back to school shopping easy and help us raise money for our school.

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**Volunteers Needed**



We are looking for a volunteer to serve as our Kindergarten rep to organize playdates for our incoming kinder class over the summer.

We are looking for someone to join our PTA Board next year as secretary.

Email Morgan at wesptaprez@gmail.com if you are interested in volunteering for any of these positions.

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**Ongoing**  
**Student Directory**

The student directory can be accessed [online](#) via AtoZ Connect.



**Ongoing**  
**FCPS Cares - Staff Kudos**

Our amazing teachers and staff are what make Westbriar the wonderful school that it is. Help us celebrate and recognize their hard work and dedication to our students by submitting a FCPS Cares message [here](#). It only takes 2 minutes to write a note and is shared with the staff member and our administration team.

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**2023-2024 Spiritwear**

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

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Visit our website at <https://www.westbriarpta.org>