

PTA Meeting

October 5, 2021



PTA-Sponsored Movie Night, Friday October 8th



When: This Friday, October 8! Movie starts at 7 pm, food sales start at 6:30. (Rain date October 9)

Where: Behind Woodlin ES, in the big field behind the portable buildings (5th grade classrooms)

What: A family favorite, *Raya and the Last Dragon* is rated PG. Food trucks will sell food, and the PTA will sell snacks and drinks. (No pizza sales this year.)

Bring: The whole family, blankets, chairs, and masks!









Fenwick Beer & Wine Fundraiser Sunday, October 10th 12pm-7pm

Fenwick Beer & Wine, a fabulous local, family-owned purveyor of boutique wines and craft beers will **donate 10%** of the day's sales to Woodlin in support of our students and school community!

Stop by to support their business and our school!

Snider's SuperFoods Receipts!

Woodlin PTA Needs Your Snider's Receipts!
For every receipt collected, **Snider's donates 1% back to Woodlin!** Shop at Snider's, save your receipts, and be on
the lookout for collection instructions. Don't forget to ask your
friends and neighbors to save their receipts as well!

Dash of the Runaway Wizards



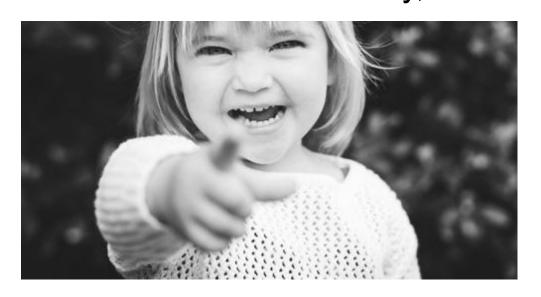
8th Annual Fun Run Woodlin Elementary School October 15, 2021 Fun, community-building day at school

- Each class runs on Wizard Course created by Ms. Costa
- Each student gets a Dash of the Runaway Wizards T-shirt

Fundraising event for the PTA

- Last year we raised \$25,000 for the PTA
- Online fundraising platform to ask family, friends and neighbors
- Weekly Class Prizes

Safe School Picture Day with **GLIMMER IMAGES**Thursday, November 4th



Online booking link will be emailed soon! In the meantime, check out Glimmer Images here: https://www.myglimmerimages.com

Woodlin parent and professional photographer Elisse Lassiter is offering contactless picture day for Woodlin students on Thursday, November 4th and will donate 10% of proceeds to the PTA! Her Lifestyle School photography style captures your child outdoors, in natural light, during a 3-5 minute photo session.

Coming Up: Room Parents!

- Stay tuned to get more information re: room parents.
- Parent volunteers will be needed for each class room.
- Some room parent responsibilities include:
 - Supporting teachers in organizing classroom celebrations (i.e. Harvest Festival, Valentine's Day celebrations, end of year party).
 - Organizing appreciation celebrations for teachers.



Harvest Festival—Friday, October 29th

- Outdoor Costume Parade at Woodlin 2:05-2:15 pm (All are welcome for outdoor parade!)
- Classroom Celebrations 2:30-3:00 pm
- In the event of rain, the costume parade will be canceled and classroom parties will begin at 2:15 p.m







Upcoming Events in November

Outdoor Family Dance!

- Saturday, Nov. 20th 5:00 8:00 pm
- Dance floor behind Woodlin ES
- Please email <u>events@woodlinpta.org</u> to volunteer



Fall Book Fair

- Monday, November 22 Wednesday,
 November 24
- Taking place in the Gym during early release for the students





Update from PTA Board

Board meeting last night, October 4th

- Productive discussion with the administration about some of the challenges this fall.
- Communication remains a Board priority this year!
- Coming soon!
 - Flowchart on quarantine and steps families should follow if their child is sick.
 - FAQ document that tries to give parents a first place to look for burning questions.
 - PTA Newsletter



A Chat with Mr. Jackson Q&A

COVID Testing

COVID 19 Pool Testing

- Able to test a maximum of 125 students per visit
- Tuesday mornings and is usually concluded by noon
- Students at each grade level are selected randomly
- All positive results are shared directly with the family and MCPS Office of Student Welfare and Compliance, who work with schools on contact tracing of impacted students and families.

Rapid Tests

- Woodlin has received rapid (antigen) tests are being used when a student exhibits COVID-19 symptoms on-site during the school day
- School health staff use low nasal swabs on the symptomatic student
- Results are available within 15-20 minutes
- Families must provide consent for rapid testing. You can fill out the consent form, which is available in multiple languages online, or request paper copies from the health room.

Lunch Plan Slides

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1KgVjShVCrgTEkojQLSDp-EI1DNOYGzGOODYwtgd2728/edit#slide=id.gf2ea9d1c08_0_289

Woodlin Replacement/ Grosvenor Center Holding School Move

- PTA/Community Engagement Meeting- September 21
- Preparations to move to 5701 Grosvenor Ln, Bethesda
- Project Schedule
 - Woodlin ES Vacate Existing Building–12/23/21- 1/2/21
 - Woodlin Elementary School Opens at Grosvenor–1/3/22
 - Start of Construction—January 2022
 - Project Substantial Completion

 –July 1, 2023
 - MCPS Move Into New School–August 2023
 - Preservice Day, Teachers Return–August 23, 2023
 - First Day of School for Students–August 30, 2023















Tuesday, December 7th 7:00 - 8:30 pm via Zoom