




WOODLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA   
HOME OF THE WIZARDS

# PTA Meeting

October 5, 2021



# PTA-Sponsored Movie Night, Friday October 8th



**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!

**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)



Let's get  
fundraising!



**SNIDER'S**  
**SUPER FOODS**

## 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 [events@woodlinpta.org](mailto:events@woodlinpta.org) 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-EI1DNOYGzG0ODYwtqd2728/edit#slide=id.gf2ea9d1c08\\_0\\_289](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1KgVjShVCrgTEkojQLSDp-EI1DNOYGzG0ODYwtqd2728/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





**In-person General PTA Meeting at Grosvenor (COVID and space permitting) Tuesday, February 8th 6:30- 8:00 pm**



Join us at the  
next meeting!



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