



## Western Branch Primary Upcoming Events

Oct 3 <sup>rd</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup>	Spirit Week
Oct 7 <sup>th</sup>	Homecoming Parade 5pm
Oct 13 <sup>th</sup>	PTA Board Meeting 9:30am (ALL ARE WELCOME)
Oct 21 <sup>st</sup>	Fall Carnival 6-9 pm
Nov 10 <sup>th</sup>	PTA Board Meeting 9:30am (ALL ARE WELCOME)
Nov 17 <sup>th</sup>	PTA Skate Night 6pm
Dec 8 <sup>th</sup>	PTA Board Meeting 9:30am (ALL ARE WELCOME)

### Volunteer Opportunities

It's not too late to volunteer for this year's PTA. If you are interested in volunteering please email Amy Wilkinson at [wbpspta@gmail.com](mailto:wbpspta@gmail.com).

### Yearbook

We are asking anyone who takes pictures at PTA events (i.e. the school carnival), and who would like them considered for the yearbook to please submit a copy of the picture to Paula Fuss [paulacouncil@hotmail.com](mailto:paulacouncil@hotmail.com). Please include with your picture the Teacher's/Class Name and name of the event. Please remember the school asks parents not to take pictures at class parties or field trips. We still have a few yearbooks leftover from last year. If you are interested in purchasing a yearbook please email Paula Fuss.

### Spirit Wear

Don't miss out! New spirit wear is now available. Order forms should be sent home soon. This year we have a wonderful new design created by a WBP student, Check it out! If you have any questions regarding Spirit Wear please contact Karah Litman at [karahlitman@gmail.com](mailto:karahlitman@gmail.com).

### Fall Carnival

This year's Fall Carnival will be held on Friday, Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> from 6-9pm. We are currently looking for volunteers to help during the carnival, as well as sponsors and vendors. If you would like to volunteer or know of a potential sponsor or vendor please contact Paula Fuss at [paulacouncil@hotmail.com](mailto:paulacouncil@hotmail.com).

### WATCH D.O.G.S

Dads of Great Students – **We Need YOU!** The WATCH D.O.G.S. program is designed to provide positive male role models to students throughout the school. Each volunteer will help teachers and staff throughout the day, from escorting children off the bus to helping with classroom lessons.

To sign up or get more information, please contact Mike Wilkinson at [wbpwatchdogs@gmail.com](mailto:wbpwatchdogs@gmail.com).

### Schoola Clothing Drive

Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>

Please bring in your gently used children and women's clothing. Our last clothing drive was a great success raising more than \$400! Let's do it again! To find out more about the Schoola program or make a purchase go to [www.schoola.com](http://www.schoola.com).

### Homecoming

Save the date and make a plan to attend Homecoming this year on Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> at 5pm. WBP will have a float in the parade and all are welcome to come cheer on our students. Students who are chosen to ride on the float come from a random drawing of PTA members. If you would like to volunteer to assist in preparing our float please contact Dana Carroll at [danamot4@gmail.com](mailto:danamot4@gmail.com).

### PTA Reflections

**A nationally acclaimed student recognition program to encourage artistic creativity in the classroom and at home. Students of all grades and abilities may participate and explore the arts though this year's theme: What Is Your Story?**

**Forms will be sent home allowing you to request additional information as well as the rules for the selected arts categories. If you have any questions, please contact Tiffany Kellar - [tkellar33@gmail.com](mailto:tkellar33@gmail.com).**

### Free Money

Please send any BoxTops, Campbell's Soup Labels, and Coke Top Rewards in to school with your child. The class that collects the most Box Tops will win a Prize.

Have you gotten your Farm Fresh Key Tag? Any time you shop at FF, use your key tag and a portion of your total will automatically be assigned to our school. Please link your Harris Teeter VIC card to WBP. VIC School ID: 2324. Sign up for Red Robin rewards and they will donate a portion of sales to our school.

SHOP ONLINE? Go to [www.smile.amazon.com](http://www.smile.amazon.com) and search WESTERN BRANCH PRIM PTA. A portion of your purchase will be donated to the school.

### PTA Membership

Did you know many local retailers give you a discount just by showing your PTA card? THEY DO! Here are some participating businesses; UPS Store, Spaghetti Eddies, Book Owl, Tyre Neck-Subway, Ches.Sq. & Harbourview Tropical Smoothie, Cold Stone, La Tolteca, Edible Arrangements, 24/7 Fitness, and Ches.Sq. Jersey Mikes.

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