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November Dates

November 13- PTO Meeting at 6:00

Nov. 12-16 Book Fair

November 15-
Thanksgiving Luncheon

November 15- ESL Family Night

November 15 - Family Night for Book Fair

November 19-20

Teacher In service No School

November 22-23

Thanksgiving Break- No School

November 26

5 Week Progress Reports

From the Principal, Mrs. McLarty

I want to thank everyone who has either volunteered in the classroom, attended a P/T conference, or participated in the Fall Carnival. As I watched people and events that happen in the building last month, I have an overwhelming feeling of support and community. We have such a wonderful school, and this support helps make it that way. I am grateful for our school community.

I would like to offer a word of thanks for our school, families, students, and staff. Washington School is a special place for me and I know it takes the efforts of many determined people with a common vision to make it all happen. Have a wonderful Thanksgiving!

PTO News

Many thanks goes to Merlys Bitner and Janea Randall for organizing the Fall Carnival. Thank you also to those who donated goodies for the cake walk and help sell arm bands. Also special thanks to Randall Wright and Randy Northam for some of the special extras.

It was a great time and a special tradition.

Another tradition is the Washington's Annual Family Luncheon scheduled for Thursday, November 15. While at the school, check out the Book Fair which will be here November 13-17!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR WASHINGTON'S ANNUAL THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON. Volunteers are needed to help decorate the cafeteria for Washington's Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon and also clean-up after the event. The luncheon is scheduled for Thursday, November 15.

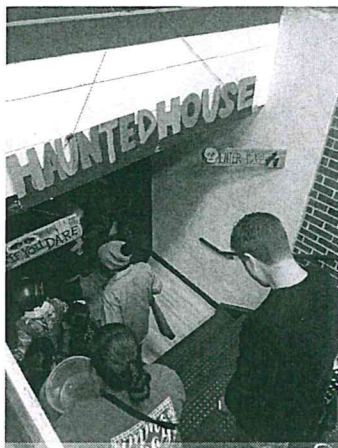
Last year we decorated that morning from 8:30-10am and clean-up began around 1pm.

If you are interested in helping decorate, please contact Melissa Werner:
melner18@yahoo.com or 479-466-1641.



Fall Carnival
2018

It was a great time by
students and parents.



Did You Know????

We celebrate student birthdays by announcing their name over the intercom. They come to the office to receive a birthday pencil.

All students also receive a birthday book donated by The Cara McCollum Birthday Book Project.

The Cara McCollum birthday book project provides books to K-5 throughout the State.



November Library Newsletter

It is Scholastic Book Fair time! The book fair will be delivered on Thursday, November 8th and I need volunteers (adults) to help set it up!

We will begin setting up at noon and will end when it is finalized.

Preview Day will be Friday 9th. I need volunteers to help each class make their wish lists. I need several volunteers throughout the day to help with this. More so in the kindergarten and 1st grade classes.

The fair will open Monday Nov. 12th at 7:45am and will close Friday, November 16th at 3:15. If you would like to help volunteer, please call We will have a Thanksgiving Luncheon on Thursday, so volunteers needed for that as well.

We will have Family Night Thursday 15th!

Come shop and help support the library! We get 20% of sales to use for our library!

Do you have an Instagram account?
If so, follow the Washington Library!
Our user name is: washingtoneslibrary



Washington Students Reach Food Drive Goal

Choose Love with Washington as we practice compassion in action!

Our students met our Food Drive Goal by donating over 500 boxes of Mac and Cheese.

This was a great way to start this holiday season by having a conversation with your children about the importance of helping those in need.

Children often focus on what they can get before thinking of what they can give. This was a opportunity to help them be mindful of their thoughts and their ability to choose love every day.

Washington Students Create Choose Love Mural

Our message is clear! Take a moment to drive by and see our beautiful mural on the bike shed, facing Lafayette. We are working hard to help our students choose love everyday, even in the summer. Mr L. and I have been taking children on summer field trips for seven years. The trips are funded by the Fayetteville Education Foundation and the Family in Transition program. This summer we focused on the arts. Local artist Robin Starr helped our students create the amazing mural to help us spread the message that each of us can make it through difficult situations and emotions and make loving, healthy, productive choices.

Attendance Matters and Attendance Counts

Here are the times on how attendance is recorded for students. We encourage all students to be at school and we appreciate your help:

Arriving between 8:00-9:00 am is a tardy

Arriving after 9:00 am is a 1/2 am absence

Leaving before 2:00 pm is a 1/2 pm absence

Leaving between 2:00-3:00 pm is a tardy pm

Student must attend 3 hours to count for 1/2 day.



SHOW YOUR WASHINGTON WILDCAT SPIRIT!

YARD SIGNS

Recommended \$5 Donation

You may sponsor additional signs for \$5

**100% of ALL proceeds go to support the
Washington Elementary Children's Fund**

THANK YOU!