



# Back to School

Whiteland Elementary School Families

Welcome to Whiteland Elementary School for the 2017-2018 school year. What a year we have planned for all the students and their families. The PTO Board has been working throughout the summer preparing for the 2017-2018 school year events including the Ice Cream Social/Open House, the Chili Cook-off, Student Performances, Holiday Events, Fine Arts Night, Fundraisers, and so much more. Whiteland Elementary School offers the opportunity for families and educators to join together and enrich the lives of our students.

Enclosed is the 2017-2018 Events Calendar. Please review it and mark your calendar for all the fun and exciting activities we have planned. Our goal this year is to have more family involvement than ever before! Please remember that the PTO could not function without the help and support of the WES families. Parent volunteer opportunities come in many different forms. We will try to keep you updated on volunteer opportunities throughout the year.

We are excited about the events we have planned and hope to see all the students enjoying them this year at WES. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at any time. On behalf of the Whiteland Elementary School PTO, we welcome you and look forward to seeing you and your family at the Ice Cream Social/Open House!

Sincerely,

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PTO President

# Whiteland Elementary School

## PTO Calendar of Events

2017-2018

### July

July 21, 2017- Class lists posted-3 p.m.

July 24, 2017- Ice Cream Social 5-6:30 p.m.

July 26, 2017- Frist Student Day

### August

August 10, 2017- WES School Skate Party@ Franklin Skate Club 5:30-8 p.m.

August 14, 2017- Parent Information Night 5-7:30 p.m.

*Teacher Informational Meetings: K and 5<sup>th</sup> 5-5:30, 1<sup>st</sup> 5:30-6, 2<sup>nd</sup> 6-6:30, 3<sup>rd</sup> 6:30-7, 4<sup>th</sup> 7-7:30*

August 25, 2017- Popcorn Friday/ Box Tops Due

August 31, 2017- *Fall Pictures*

### September

September 4, 2017- Labor Day- No School

September 15-22, 2017- *Scholastic Book Fair*

September 21, 2017- **Chili Cook-Off/Book Fair Night 5-6:30 p.m.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Fall Program 6:30 p.m.**

September 29, 2017- Popcorn Friday/Box Tops Due/ Hats on for Riley \$1

### October

October 4, 2017- *Parent-Teacher Conferences- No School for Students*

October 6, 2017- **Walk-A-Thon/Fitness Challenge-----All Day During Related Arts**

October 9-20, 2017- *Fall Break-No School*

October 26, 2017- **Family Fun Night- 5-7 p.m.**

October 27, 2017- Popcorn Friday

## November

November 10, 2017- Veterans Day Program- 2 p.m. in the Gymnasium

November 17, 2017- Kindergarten Special Person Tea- 2 p.m.

### Popcorn Friday/Box Tops Due

November 22-24, 2017- Thanksgiving Break -No School

November 27-December 1- Winter Shopping Extravaganza

## December

December 8, 2017- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Bells Program- 10 a.m. in the Cafeteria

December 14, 2017- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Holiday Program- 6:30 p.m.

December 20, 2017- Last Student Day/ Winter Celebration Parties in Classrooms- 2:30-3:30

### Hats on for Riley/Box Tops Due

December 21, 2017-January 3, 2018- Winter Break-No School

## January

January 3, 2018- *Students Resume Classes*

January 15, 2018- Martin Luther-King, Jr. Day -No School *\*\*\*Snow Make-Up Day #1\*\*\**

January 17-24, 2018- Pizza Box Fundraiser *\*Class that collects the most money wins a pizza party\**

January 26, 2018- Popcorn Friday/ Box Tops Due/ Winning Class Pizza Party

PTO Community Meeting TBA

## February

Jump Rope for Heart all Month

February 8, 2018- Fine Arts Night (Gallery Evening) 5-6:30 p.m. *\* All students will have artwork displayed, and 5<sup>th</sup> grade will provide musical entertainment.*

February 14, 2018- Valentine's Day Parties 2:30-3:30

February 16, 2018- *Staff Day- No Students*

February 19, 2018- President's Day- No School *\*\*\*Snow Make-Up Day #2\*\*\**

February 23, 2018- Popcorn Friday

## March

Skating During PE Classes-Volunteers Needed

March 9, 2018- Hats on for Riley

March 12, 2018- Spelling Bee 6 p.m. Gymnasium

March 15, 2018- WES School Skate Party@ Franklin Skate Club 5:30-8 p.m.

March 16, 2018- Popcorn Friday/Box Tops Due

March 19-30, 2018-*Spring Break-No School*

## April

April 11, 2018- Kindergarten Registration- 4-7 p.m.

April 27, 2018- Popcorn Friday/Box Tops Due (Last collection of the year)

Otis Spunkmeyer Fundraiser Sales TBA

April 27- May 4, 2018- Scholastic Book Fair

## May

May 3, 2018-*Spring Dinner/Book Fair Night 5-6:30 p.m.*

1<sup>st</sup> Grade Program 6:30 p.m.

May 7-11, 2018- Teacher Appreciation Week

Talent Show TBA

May 17, 2018-Field Day (Rain Day TBA)

May 18, 2018- Hats on for Riley

May 24, 2018- *Last Student Day/Awards Day times TBA*

May 24, 2018- *\*\*\*Snow Make-Up Day #3\*\*\* Additional snow days needed will be added to the end of the school year.*