



March Newsletter – Wallace Elementary PTO



A Message from the Wallace PTO Co-Presidents: Renea Barker & Crissy Pohl, 2018-2019

Is it spring yet? As spring arrives (at least we hope it will soon), we begin to think about the next school year and the vacancies we will need to fill with new committee chairs and committee members. Please keep an eye out for the PTO Volunteer Survey that will be coming home this month.

Signing up to be a committee chair or a committee member is doable for almost any schedule! If you have questions related to various committees, feel free to email us at wallaceelementarypto@gmail.com.

THANK YOU in advance for considering to get involved! We always appreciate your support!

Spirit-Wear Sale

Our Winter Spirit-Wear Sale brought in a profit to Wallace of \$720.54! Our Spring Spirit-Wear Sale is still occurring. All orders need to be received by Friday, March 8th at 6:00 p.m. To order, use the link: <https://www.shopjcsd.org/collections/pto>. To show support to Wallace and receive free shipping, use code "Wallace" at checkout.

Enjoy your Spring Break and be safe if traveling!



MEMBERSHIP

Website: www.wallacepto.com

Facebook: under Wallace PTO

Email: wallaceelementarypto@gmail.com

PURPLE PARTY THANKS

We would like to thank all the parents who helped to make this year's Purple Party a success! All profits from the Purple Party are shared throughout the district.

For those who attended, we hope you had fun!

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Co-Presidents: Renea Barker & Crissy Pohl
Secretary: Lindsey Robertson
Treasurer: Morgan Halverson





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Upcoming Events:

February 28th:

Parent-Teacher Conferences 1:30-8:00
PTO Caters meal

March 5th:

Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:30-8:00
PTO Caters Snacks

**Spring Break NO School –
March 18-22**

March 12th:

6:45 PTO

March 14th:

Spring Pictures

Spring Break Ideas:



Are you excited about the upcoming Spring Break? Or are you dreading the break because you don't know what to do with your kids? Check out the following websites for lists of spring break activities in the Des Moines area:

<http://dsm4kids.com/2019-spring-break-camps-classes-4-kids-in-des-moines/>

Events in the area include:

Polk County Conservation programs at Jester Park
Spring Safari Camp at the Blank Park Zoo
Crafts and activities every day at the Brenton Arboretum
Climb Iowa camps
Living History Farms one day or five day camps
Iowa Wild game

Most programs require fees and registration. These are not JCSD programs and availability is not guaranteed.

Academic Night at the Science Center – Thursday, April 4th from 5-8pm.

Admission is FREE for Wallace students and Staff and \$5.00 for their guests over the age of 2. (Students must be accompanied by an adult). The Science Center will have a special demonstration for us and the snack bar will be open for snacks. This will be a cash or check only event.

Scholastic Spring Book Fair

There is still time to Stomp, Chomp and Read at the Dino-Mite Scholastic Book Fair!! We'll be open:

Monday, March 4th from 7:30-9:30

Tuesday, March 5th from 7:30-9:30 and 3:00-8:00pm

