

WALLACE PTO NEWSLETTER

2015/2016 Newsletter

October/November Edition
2015



11/9-11/17- Fall Book Fair

11/10- Wallace Work Night,
5:30pm LMC

11/10- Wallace PTO Meeting,
6:45pm LMC

11/12 & 11/17- Fall Confer-
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11/23- Wallace 3rd/4th grade
concert, 6:30pm JMS audito-
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We have been working hard over the last few weeks and are happy to report that our new PTO website is up and running!

Please visit us at www.wallacepto.com.

A few highlights of our new website:

- Archives of previous years minutes and newsletters
- Online Friends of Wallace donation option
- Access to all current volunteer signup opportunities
- Committee descriptions and reimbursement/expense forms

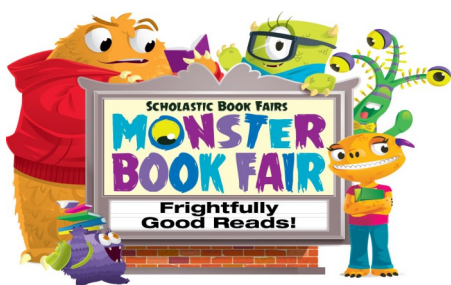
2015/2016 Funded Teacher Grants

- Susan Steier- Seats sacks for 3rd grade math class, \$215.72
- Mike Sandberg- Literature circle book copies, \$102.60
- Dawn Canova- 2 sets of nonfiction readers for kindergarten classrooms, \$198.00
- Jeannine Rolfes- Words Their Way building supplies, \$132.00 + s/h
- Dawn Conova- 12 Gymnastic Sit N' Gym Jr. Chairs, \$300
- K-2nd Teams- Raz Kids Subscriptions for all K-2nd grade classrooms, \$934.45
- Kathryn Aslakson- 6 seating discs for classroom use, \$164.93
- Andrea Morris- 30 Take home book bags, \$99.70
- Andrea Morris- 4 sets of magnetic journal and letter tiles, \$108.00
- Mitzi Hetherton- Book purchases to be used for differentiation within the classrooms, \$890.00 + s/h

Check It Out!

The Fall Book Fair will be held November 9th - 17th each morning, during lunch and during both conference times. The profit made will go towards the classroom libraries.

We need your help to make this a successful Book Fair! Please consider signing up to help set up or work a shift. <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4ca4a92ca7f58-fall2>.



Show your Johnston Spirit and order Wallace Wear!

Go to www.theblingfactoryllc.com/#!/wallace-elementary/c1uf6. Or www.blingfactoryllc.com and go to Wallace Elementary under "pro shops". Order clothes and they will be shipped right to Wallace. Orders will be given to your child's classroom.

You can place your order all year :)



Fall Conferences are just around the corner.

We are still looking for a few food items to be donated for the conference dinners we provide the teachers. We provide dinner for about 60 staff members, so it is important we have enough donations.

If you can help us out, please sign up at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4ca4a92ca7f58-fall4>

SCRIP is returning again this November!

Watch for an order form coming soon!

What is SCRIP?

A program where Wallace PTO purchases gift cards at a discount, which you then buy at face value. (you pay \$25 for a gift card worth \$25). The difference is our profit. By purchasing gift cards before you shop for everyday items (gas, clothes, restaurants, etc..) or as gifts—we raise money without you having to spend an extra penny—so easy!

Please plan to use the SCRIP program this holiday season!

Have you joined us on Facebook? www.facebook.com/wallacepto

Please join us for our November Wallace Work Night!

When? 5:30pm Tuesday, November 10th

Where? Wallace LMC

Attendance at this event has been growing this year, but our goal for November is to have enough hands to complete ALL of the projects left by the teachers.



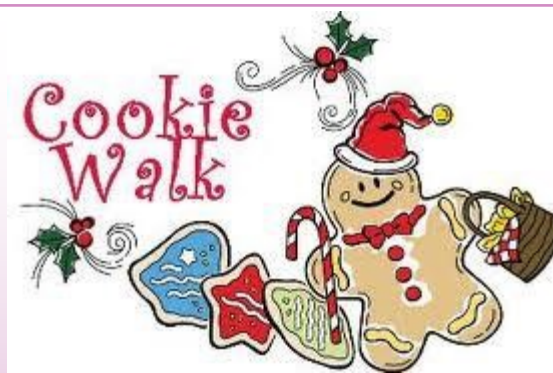
Calling all bakers!!!! Mark your calendars!

The annual Wallace Cookie Walk will be Tuesday, December 8th!

This is a day that our teachers LOVE!

We come together as a Wallace family to provide an assortment of holiday cookies, and each of our teachers get to select 2 dozen to take home.

We need about 140 dozen cookies donated to make this happen! Please watch for more information. A sign up will be coming out soon!



Many Thanks To Our Committees That Are Active Now!

Budget Committee	Hospitality Committee
Wallace Wear Committee	Homeroom Coordination Committee
Fall Book Fair Committee	Box Tops Committee

Thank you to all of the Wallace families that submitted Box Tops during the fall collection cycle!

Box Tops were submitted and our final numbers will be available soon!



-Wallace Box Tops Committee