

Wildcat News



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West Field Elementary School

September 2017

Crosslin's Corner

From the desk of the principal....

Dozens of times over the past several years, I have spoken to parents, grandparents, visitors, and substitute teachers who tell me there's something special and different about West Field. Some mention the polite and welcoming gestures of students and staff; others acknowledge our academic excellence; some even say they can't quite figure it out, but West Field just feels different than other schools. One thing that has contributed to the climate of respect as well as academic excellence is Great Expectations. For the past 11 years, West Field has been a GE Model School. As we begin the school year, West Field has renewed its focus on Great Expectations (GE), focusing monthly faculty meetings on GE classroom practices and keeping GE at the forefront of our instructional vision. Great Expectations is a professional development program that provides teachers and administrators with the skills needed to create harmony and excitement within the school atmosphere, elements that are basic for inspiring students to pursue academic excellence. With a focus on the human quality of teaching and learning, GE provides renewal and inspiration for teachers. For students, GE provides instruction rooted in life principles such as respect, courtesy, camaraderie, integrity, honesty, and many more. Students explore enriched literature, inspiring quotes, and practices that demonstrate mutual respect. I encourage you to talk to your children about GE's 8 Expectations for Living and see what they have to say! Better yet, take a look for yourself at http://www.greatexpectations.org/.

Thanks!

Lisa Crosslin

Principal

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UPCOMING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

September 18th



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Stanley Hupfeld News

A letter will be coming home in your student's Thursday folder about our continuing partnership with Stanley Hupfeld this year. Please take time to read about all of the exciting opportunities there will be to give, serve and get involved with this endeavor. Thank you for your continued support and helping me show our students there is a world outside our doors and that sharing and caring for others comes back to you!

KC CLUB

KC Club kicks off the year on September 21st at 3:15 in the Media Center. We have had such a positive response to this club that we had to make two clubs this year! If your student is a KC Club member, be sure to verify if they are a 1st semester member, or a 2nd semester member. Parents, please remember pick-up from the club is 4:00 p.m. Please make arrangements to be here on time so our teacher volunteers can get back to their classrooms to get ready for the next day.



Sonic Teacher Carhop night is Thursday,
September 28th from 5:00-8:00 p.m.
Come out and see your favorite teacher,
have some dinner and support our
school!



IMPORTANT DATES

SEPTEMBER						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3					1	2
10	4	5	6	7	8	9
17	11	12	13	14	15	16
24	18	19	20	21	22	23
	25	26	27	28	29	

- ❖ 4th Labor Day
- ❖ 8th − 7:55am Donuts for Dad
- ❖ 15th − 7:55am Donuts for Dad
- ❖ 18th No School TIS
- ❖ 20th − 3:30pm PTO Meeting
- ❖ 21st − 3:15pm KC Club Meeting
- 28th 5pm Sonic Carhop



HAVE YOU HEARD OF ACES PLACE?

Westfield Elementary offers a before and after school daycare program which is ran Director Mrs. Nora Hurley.

Hours of Operation:

Before School: 7:00-7:55am After School: 3:15-6:00pm

Please check out the school website for

detailed information:

http://westfield.edmondschools.net/important-info/aces-place/

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DON'T FORGET ABOUT YEARBOOKS!

You still have time to get your yearbooks at the lowest price of the year for \$25, if you order <u>before October</u> <u>23rd.</u> You can either fill out an order form (which will go home in Thursday folders) or you can order online at www.jostens.com.

We are also always in need of photos for the yearbook. If you have any great photos that you have taken of your child and their friends at school and would like to submit them you can upload them to Replayit, which is a free app, or you can email them to wfyearbook16@gmail.com

Thank you!

Lisa Campbell & Lola Young

WF Yearbook staff

WE LOVE WESTFIELD!!











OFFICE NEWS

Morning Drop-Off is from 7:55 to 8:20 am at the back of the school. There is a teacher on duty during this time frame.

Afternoon Pick-Up is from 3:15 to 3:45 pm at the back of the school. Students must be picked up no later than 3:45 pm or they will be taken to Ace's Place, our on-site daycare, and the daily fee will be charged.

Changes in the way your child goes home must be made with a note or email to the teacher in the morning, and/or a call to the office before 2:45 pm.

Visits by parents to classrooms need to be scheduled with the teacher in advance.

Check out from the Office must be before 3:00 pm. After 3:00 you will need to drive around to the back of the school and use your yellow car visor strip.

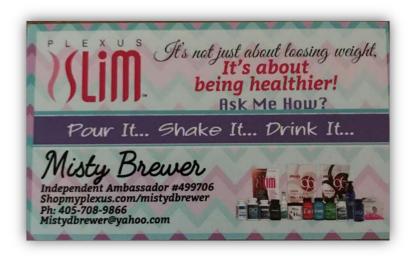
LUNCH SCHEDULE

Kindergarten: 10:45 - 11:05
 First Grade: 11:10 - 11:30
 Second Grade: 11:35 - 11:55
 Third Grade: 12:00 - 12:20
 Fourth Grade: 12:25 - 12:45

6. Fifth Grade: 12:50 – 1:10

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Two convenient locations in Edmond at 2020 NW 150th Street and 17901 N Penn Ave. Stop by and see us today!



GENEROSITY CHANGES LIVES.

SO, OUR COFFEE IS ALWAYS FREE FROM 7-8AM.

JOIN US FOR THE ULTIMATE MORNING PERK UP.

LOCATIONS

Edmond: 1649 W. 33rd, Edmond, OK 73013

Crossings: 14600 N Portland, OK, OK 73134

Williams: 525 Central Park Dr., OKC, OK 73105

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