Waterville Parents Association

The WPA would like to welcome everyone to an exciting new school year!

The Waterville Parents' Association (WPA) is a very active group of parents, guardians, teachers and school staff who work throughout the year to provide many events and activities for the students, teachers, and school.

This packet contains:

Board Information and Contacts
Committees, Chairs and current vacancies
Remind App link and QR code
Calendar of Events, including the first meeting date
Directory Link
Birthday Book Form
Box Tops Information
Kroger Rewards and Rite Aid Rewards
No Brainer Fundraiser

In addition to providing events and activities, the WPA focuses on fundraising efforts to help provide supplies and equipment for the school, such as the Chromebooks available to all students at Waterville Primary, 3-D printers, library resources, and much more.

If you have any questions about the WPA, please attend our first meeting or contact us.

We hope everyone has a great year!

Sincerely, Dawn Bentley 419-410-5723

2023-2024 Executive Board

President – Dawn Bentley
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Committee Chairs

1st day School Supply - Jess Putman

4th Grade Send Off – Amanda Lovejoy and VACANT

Birthday Books – Ashley Sheskey

Book Fair - Stacey Brown, Stephanie Sargent, and Megan Casiere

Bowling Bonanza – Erika Ward and VACANT

Box Tops - Larisa Beadle

Directory – Samantha Hemmert

Donuts/Muffins - Larisa Beadle and Jamie Neary

Fundraising - Haeley Terrell and VACANT

General's Gift Shop - Stacey Brown and Marisa McLeod

Generals March – Samantha Hemmert and Kristin McGee

Literacy Night - Dawn Bentley and Marisa McLeod

Movie Night - Marisa McLeod and Wendy Pauly

Restaurant Night Out - Julie Fox

Spirit Wear - Haeley Terrell

Spring Spectacular – Stacey Brown and Kelly Bailey

Staff Appreciation – Kristin McGee, Amanda Lovejoy and Jessica Robinson

Teila's Fund-Samantha Hemmert

Walk to School – Sara Beth Schmidt

Winter's Ball - Michelle Bryan and Wendy Pauly

Yearbook-Jessica Robinson

Be informed.

Be active.

Be a volunteer.

(We also have a lot of fun!)

If you'd like to receive text updates or hear about volunteer opportunities, join our WPA Remind group, today! Just scan the QR code and click the link for further instructions:



Remind app instructions for WPA

WPA 2023-2024 Calendar

August	17th 23rd	First day of school K-4 Walk to School Day
September	8th 11th 13th 20th	Movie Night WPA Meeting at 7:00 p.m. Walk to School Day Walk to School Day
October	4th 5th 9th 12th 13th 18th 27th	Walk to School Day Generals March (rain date: 10/12) WPA Meeting at 7:00 p.m. Fall Book Fair and Donuts at Dawn Fall Book Fair and Donuts at Dawn Walk to School Day Movie Night
November	10th 13th	Movie Night WPA meeting at 7:00 p.m.
December	7th 8th 11th TBD	Generals' Gift Shop Generals' Gift Shop WPA meeting at 7:00 p.m. Winter Book Fair
January-May	TBD	WPA meetings Spring book fair, movie nights and walks to school Literacy Night Winter's Ball Bowling Bonanza Muffins in the Morning Spring Spectacular 4th Grade Send Offand more!

Student Directory Information:

The directory is an amazing tool that parents/caregivers and students can use to connect with other families for playdates, carpooling, homework help, and so much more. The directory order came home on a bright orange sheet of paper. To purchase a directory you will need to return the orange order form with \$5. To be included in the directory, there are two options. The first option is to fill out the opposite side of the orange order form with all the information. The second option is to fill out the google form here: WPA Directory

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at samanthahemmert@gmail.com or 419-410-5065.

Student's Name:	
Teacher's Name:	

It's time to shop for a birthday book!

Please have your student bring in their birthday book, wrapped as a present, on or around their birthday. Students will unwrap their book in the classroom with their teacher and share with their class what book they chose.

The teacher will then send the book to the library and Mrs. Kistner will place a Birthday Book label inside the front cover with your student's name, date and grade. The book is now a part of Waterville Primary Library!

We encourage you to let your student help pick out the book that they would like to donate. It can be an old favorite, a new favorite, or a book that your student thinks looks fun! If your student loves it - then other Waterville students will love it too!

Thank you for celebrating your student's birthday with a book donation to Waterville Primary's Library!

*Please note: books should be new, hardcover, and appropriate for grades K-4.

Questions? Contact Ashley Sheskey, aeubank9@yahoo.com or 419-367-1938

The following locations offer 20% discount for **WATERVILLE PRIMARY** families who are purchasing a birthday book.

Barnes and Noble, Fallen Timbers location
Books a Million, Levis Commons location

^{**}Please present this flyer to receive the discount on the purchase of the Birthday Book only.

EARNING IS EASY!









BUY BOX TOPS PRODUCTS

Earn for schools with HUNDREDS of products from brands you love.

SCAN YOUR RECEIPT

Use the Box Tops app to submit your receipt within 14 days of purchase.

EARN CASH FOR SCHOOLS

Box Tops products are identified and earnings are credited online.

NO MATTER WHERE YOU SHOP, YOU CAN EARN WITH BOX TOPS.



IN-STORE

If you receive a paper receipt, a quick scan with the Box Tops app will identify participating products and automatically credit your school's earnings online.



ONLINE

Whether you've ordered groceries for delivery or pickup, shopped through your store's app, or requested an email receipt at checkout, you can earn Box Tops with digital receipts too.

START EARNING FOR WATERVILLE PRIMARY NOW

Use the Box Tops app to scan your store receipts for participating products. Your school will automatically earn cash with every Box Tops product you buy.



Scan to download and get started!



Do you shop at Rite Aid? Get your prescriptions filled there? Did you know that Rite Aid has Wellness Rewards?

The Waterville Parents Association is now participating in this program. Sign up today for this free program and we'll earn money when you shop or fill prescriptions at Rite Aid!

Organization ID: NPO00253191





Shop at Kroger, use your Kroger Plus Card, and the Waterville Parents Association will earn cash back based on your purchases.**

Grandparents, alumni, friends, and neighbors are all welcome to participate in the program.

The more people we involve, the harder the program works for our school.

**A family of 4 will average \$35-50 per year in earnings for the school through this program!

NPO ID: 95152





Join the

WATERVILLE PARENTS ASSOCIATION

Facebook Page:

Keep up to date on school information, activities planned by the Waterville Parents Association, and much more!

**Be sure to fully answer all the security questions so we are able to validate your connection to the group and get you approved!



WPA FALL NO BRAINER FUNDRAISER!!!

This is the ULTIMATE Fall Fundraiser! You will still receive information from the school about all WPA fundraisers and events, and you can still be involved and participate in anything you'd like; however, if you are unable to (or just don't want to), then you can disregard those messages (guilt free) and instead opt to support the WPA this semester with a one time no strings attached donation

(Thank you in advance for your support)

\$15	I do like to have frozen cookie dough on hand, so I'll buy 1 thing, but here is some extra money to support the cause.
\$25	I do not want to bake, wrap, or sort anything, here is money in exchange for my time.
\$50	I do not want to hit up friends, family and co-workers, here is the money they would have spent on wrapping paper.
\$75	I do not want to drive around and ask local businesses for donations or put together a "goodie basket," here is the money I would have spent on gas, cellophane, ribbon and gift cards.
\$100	I really would not have helped in any way, but here is some money because I do LOVE our AWesome school.
	_ I am making this donation to express my appreciation for not having to buy, sell, or do anything, except fill out this form and return it to Waterville Primary in my child's backpack in order to support WPA.

Advantages for Parents/Guardians/Families	Advantages for Waterville Primary
You will not have to purchase items you really do not want.	The WPA retains 100% of your donation to invest back into our school.
You will not have to ask friends and family to contribute.	The WPA can continue to offer low-cost, family friendly activities for students and families.
Your contributions are tax deductible.	The WPA can continue to support our school with technology, enrichment programs, and teacher supplies.
It's quick and easy!	Past WPA funds have been used to purchase 100's of Chromebooks for classrooms, the school's 3D printers, funding for the Prairie Project, and much more!!

Student Name(s):	
Teacher(s):	;

^{*}Please make check payable to Waterville Parents Association or WPA and note it is for the "No Brainer Fundraiser."