

WILBUR *Wrangler*



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Parent Newsletter

October 2022

News from the office

Mark Your Calendar

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Oct 3 Volleyball vs Allison, CMA @ Wilbur – 3:30pm
Oct 3 Fundraiser Turn-In Day
Oct 4 Cross Country – All City @ Cessna Activity 3:30pm
Oct 10 Volleyball vs Stucky @ Wilbur – 3:30pm
Oct 12 Volleyball vs Brooks, Robinson @ Brooks - 3:00pm
Oct 13 End of Grading Period
All School Dance (Tenative) – 3:30-5:00pm
Oct 14 **NO SCHOOL** – Non-Teaching Duty Day
Oct 19 Volleyball vs Brooks, CMA @ Wilbur 3:30pm
Oct 20- Fall Fiddle music concert @ Wilbur 7:00pm
Oct 27 Fall Picture Retakes/Sports Pictures
Avid Family Night – 6:00pm
Oct 29 Orchestra Concert – Auditorium 7:00pm
Oct 31 Halloween
Nov 1-17 Wilbur Turkey Drive food donation
Nov 10 Wilbur band concert 7pm
Nov 11 Veteran's day-no school
Nov 23-25 Fall recess-no school
Dec 1 Choir concert 6pm
Dec 6 Winter Wonderland concert 7 pm
Dec 5-9 Basketball tryouts 3:30-5:00
Dec 12-15 Basketball skills practice 3:30-5:00
Dec 16-Jan 2 Winter break
Dec 25 Christmas Day
Jan 1 New Years Day

* Calendar dates are subject to change

Attendance:

Thank you to all of the parents who get their students to school on time. Please remember that school starts at **8 a.m.** and all students should be in class at that time. Tardiness will NOT be excused for the following reasons: overslept, parents fault, traffic, fast food trips, etc. The only excusable tardiness/absences are with a Dr., dentist note or illness. Please encourage your student to arrive on time. Thank you for your help with this!!!

Throughout the year: Every 3rd unexcused tardy to any class will result in a lunch detention. At tardy #5 – and every 5 after that will result in an ISS instead of a lunch detention.

Thank you, Wilbur Administration

FYI

Parents, it is important to plan ahead when making arrangements to pick up your students up from school. Ride pick up locations or who is picking up your student after school, should be planned and communicated with your student prior to coming to school. The office team members will make every effort to get all messages delivered, however, we will not interrupt classroom instruction to deliver messages to students. If you are calling in late in the day, there is the possibility that your message will not be delivered. Please communicate with your student in the morning what your plans are and have a back-up plan in case your original plans are altered. In an emergency, please call the office @ 973-1100 and we will pull the student from class to speak with you. We appreciate your help it is important that all students get as much uninterrupted classroom instruction as possible during the school day

Upcoming music events



10/20 Fall fiddle concert-7 pm

10/29 Orchestra concert- 7pm

11/10 Wilbur band concert- 7pm

12/1 Choir concert- 6pm

12/6 Winter wonderland concert – 7pm

NO School dates to remember

September 5	Labor Day Holiday
September 6	District Inservice
September 29	EARLY RELEASE – 12:00PM
October 14	Non-Teaching Duty Day
November 11	Veterans' Day Holiday
November 23	Conference Release Day
Nov 24-29	Fall Recess
December 16	Non-Teaching Duty Day
Dec 17-Jan 2	Winter Recess
January 3	District Inservice
January 16	M.L King, Jr. Birthday Observance
February 17	Presidents' Day Holiday
February 20	District Inservice
March 10	Non-Teaching Duty Day
March 13-19	Spring Break
April 7	Conference Release Day
April 10	District Inservice

*Calendar dates may change at the discretion of the Board of Education and/or administration.

SPORTS INFORMATION

Basketball tryouts

Basketball tryouts will be held 12/5-12/9 after school from 3:30-5.

Please remember to have a sports physical on file.



For the most up to date athletic schedules click on the link below, after August 1st;

[Wilbur MS 2022-2023 Athletics Schedules](#)

WILBUR CIRCLE OF FRIENDS



Meeting dates for Wilbur Circle of Friends
10/20 meeting
11/21 Thanksgiving feast & movie
12/15 meeting

2022-2023 Bell Schedule

Daily Bell Schedule

1st Hour/ Advocacy	8:00 – 8:25
2nd Hour	8:29 – 9:17
3rd Hour	9:21 -10:09
4th Hour	10:13 -11:01
5th Hour/6th-½7th Lunch	11:05 -11:47
6th Hour/½7th-8th Lunch	11:51 -12:33
7th Hour	12:37 - 1:25
8th Hour	1:29 - 2:17
9th Hour	2:21 - 3:10

Wilbur workshop tid bits

Wilbur Workshop will be hosting three different fundraisers starting October 24th and ending on November 17th. These fundraisers are all so we can help raise money for the district's annual Turkey Drive. The Turkey Drive helps collect money and food to be donated to the United Methodist Open Door Community Food Ministry's Holiday Distribution. With your donation you can help end hunger in our community and provide Holiday meals to those in need during the holiday season. Check out our fundraisers that Wilbur Workshop is hosting.

Pumpkin Decorating Contest:

Staff and Wilbur Workshop will have a pumpkin contest running from October 24th to the 28th. During the pumpkin contest you a variety of students will be on display in the cafeteria during lunch. Vote for the pumpkin you think is the BEST. To vote you will need to purchase a ticket. 2 tickets (votes) for \$1. Winner will be announced on Halloween!

Turkey Contest:

Help us collect cans for the Turkey drive! From November 1st-17th, Wilbur Workshop will be collecting canned goods and money. Advocacy classes will get feathers, 10 cans or 10 dollars for a feather. The advocacy class who have the most feathers will win the contest and will get a donut party to celebrate their effort. There will be a winner in each hallway (100, 200/600, 300, 400 halls).

Wilbur Folies:

The staff will be showing off their various talents in the Wilbur Folies on November 17th during our Activity Period. Students may attend this special one time performance by paying \$1 and having a non-defaced student ID. Don't miss out on a fun time.

Parents as the weather get's cooler outside please remind your students to dress accordingly as they have outdoor recess during the school day. With that being said please remember coats are to be kept in the lockers throughout the school day.

