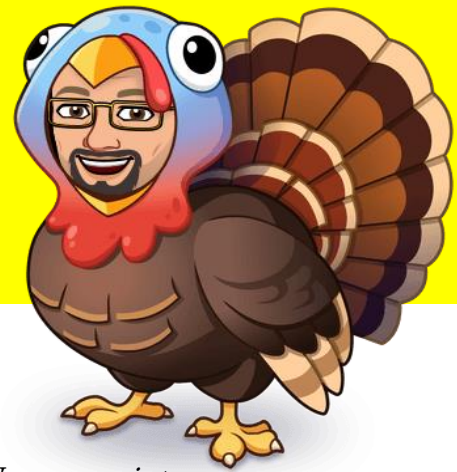


# WOODLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 2021



Hello Parents,

Thanks for attending our fall virtual conferences this past week. We appreciate you meeting with us remotely and for your efforts to support your child. We look forward to being able to host live conferences again as it is more beneficial to interact and see each other face to face. However, we continue to be grateful for the flexibility and understanding from the awesome WMS families.

After listening to feedback, I wanted to inform you that we will be adding 4 minutes to the 5/6 and 7/8 lunch window beginning November 8th at the start of the new quarter. We are trying to allow more time for students to transition between lunch and free time so they can have more time to eat. The last four periods will lose a minute each to accommodate for this change.

I also want to say thanks to the parents/guardians who attended our “Coffee and Conversation” event remotely. This was a positive opportunity to learn about our Title I reading program and meet our intervention teachers, albeit on a video screen.

Finally, we will be mailing report cards home in mid-November. We use Skyward as our primary way to communicate grades and progress but will also be sending home report cards after each quarter. Please take the time to review your child’s grades with them, highlighting both positive aspects and areas they can strive to improve. Please note that some students have double blocks in math and/or language arts so you may see that they receive two credits/grades that are comprised of the same assignments. That is because they spend two periods in the same class.

I hope you have an awesome fall and thanks again for your continued support!

*James Johnston*

## Important Dates:

**Monday, November 1 - 2**  
Non Student / Staff Day

**Thursday, November 11**  
Veterans Day Holiday  
**6:15pm** School Board Meeting

**Wednesday, November 24 - 26**  
Thanksgiving Break

# Did you Know...

You can sign up to receive daily attendance, weekly progress reports and food balance notifications through Skyward?

Just log into your account, click on account in the top right hand corner next to your name and check the boxes for Email notifications.

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These are only available for your students who are enrolled at WOODLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL.

☐ Receive Progress Report Emails for my student(s)

☐ Daily ☐ Weekly (every Saturday) ☒ Monthly (1st of each month)

These are only available for your students who are enrolled at WOODLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL.

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## WMS Top Trojans



Congratulations to the following 5th and 6th grade P.E. students. They scored the highest in our first round of fitness testing. Mr. Flanagan and Mrs. Beasley are very proud of everyone's hard work!

### **Sit-Ups:**

Devin Logan- 43  
Cami Koistinen-40  
Thomas Long-40  
Emerie Muonio-38

### **Push-Ups:**

Emerie Muonio- 30  
Brooklyn Huffman- 30  
Mason Aske- 40  
Marcelle Tapani- 35  
Zachary Ripplinger-41

### **Timed Mile:**

Jackson Andrews- 7:05  
Nancy Lopez- 8:07  
Emerie Muonio- 9:13  
Trent Chilton- 8:25

### **Sit & Reach:**

Emerie Muonio- 37  
Eli Mason- 37  
Eduardo Gervacio-37  
Thomas Long- 37  
Rally McReynolds- 45  
Devin Logan- 35  
Ollie Clemens- 35

## Girls Talk and Tennies

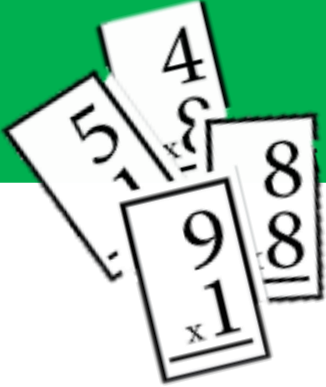
Girl talk and tennies is an after school club for middle school girls. Lead by Mrs. Beasley and Mrs. Dietrich. G.T.T. is a place for girls to chat, exercise, give back, and have fun! Participates in Girl Talk and Tennies discuss and learn about healthy peer relationships, goal setting, problem solving, and participate in a variety of community outreach projects.

There are still more spots available, if you are interested in joining G.T.T please see the office for more information.



## Attention Fifth Grade Families

Multiplication Flashcards have been sent home with all fifth grade students to help them learn their facts at home. Below are some fun games you can play with the cards to help your student learn.



### Math Flash Card Games

#### Fact Fun!

- Shuffle the cards. Make sure the answer side is facing the back.
  - Divide the cards evenly between you and your partner.
- Each player solves his or her equations and writes down the products. (No peeking at the back!)
  - Find the sum of all your answers.
    - High score win!
    - Play again.

#### Race the Clock!

- See how many flashcards you can correctly answer in 1 minute, 2 minutes, or 3 minutes
  - Compare numbers with a partner.

#### Order Up

- Line up your flashcards by least to greatest answers without peeking at the back.
  - Check your order by flipping over the cards to show the answer side.
- Mix them up again, and then put them in greatest to least order without peeking at the back.

#### Slap a Fact

- Find a partner.
  - Put flashcards in a stack with the problem side facing up.
    - Slap the card with your hand when you know the fact.
- o If you get it right, you get to keep the card, BUT if you get it wrong it goes to the bottom of the stack.

#### Odd or Even?

- Sort your flashcards into piles of odd and even answers.
- Check your sort by flipping over the cards to show the answer side.

#### Flash Card Hunt

- Hide flashcards around the room.
  - Choose a number.
- Hunt around to find the card with that answer.

#### Quiz 'Em

- Have someone else answer the flashcards and you confirm the answer.





**BRING CANNED OR BOXED FOODS!**

**NOVEMBER 8-12**



## Monthly Character Traits 2021 - 2022

November: Respectful and/or  
Honest

December: Teachable and/or  
Motivated

January: Organized and/or  
Independent

February: Responsible and/or Hard  
Working

March: Enthusiastic and/or  
Positive

April: Involved and/or Cooperative

May: Leader and/or Involved

June: Well-Rounded and/or Self-  
Confident

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**2020 was a rough year. You know what we don't need? More fundraisers.**

Help us avoid asking our children to go door-to-door this year. Your donations support the educational enrichment programs benefiting the students and staff at the Woodland K-8 schools.

*We appreciate you and what you are helping the PTSA achieve this year!*

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- ☐ \$10 - Covid-regulation style bake sale, no thanks! I was going to donate cookies from Safeway anyway.
- ☐ \$25 - That wrapping paper is cute but overpriced. Can we skip harassing the relatives this year?
- ☐ \$50 - I do not want to watch my children walk, skip, or run at the next "thon". Also, they have enough "free" t-shirts collecting dust. Please take this donation and carry on without me!
- ☐ \$75 - I do not have the time or energy to volunteer. Please accept this donation and remove me from your call list!
- ☐ \$100 - Please accept this donation as appreciation for not having to buy, sell, and do anything for fundraisers this school year!

**Donation Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Cash / Check (payable to WPTSA) / PayPal([woodlandptsa@gmail.com](mailto:woodlandptsa@gmail.com))

**WMS: Please return forms and donations to school office no later than 11/5.**


Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_


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# Woodland Public Schools — Middle School Menu — NOVEMBER 2021

## BREAKFAST MENU

11/1 No School	11/2 No School	11/3 Biscuit & Gravy	V 11/4 Maple Waffles	V 11/5 Donut
V 11/8 Pancake Bites	V 11/9 Cheese Omelet w/toast	11/10 Breakfast Pizza	11/11 No school	V 11/12 Cinnamon Roll
V 11/13 French Toast Sticks	V 11/16 Waffles	11/17 Breakfast Bowl	V 11/18 Pancakes	V 11/19 Cinnamon Roll
V 11/22 Blueberry Pancakes	V 11/23 Apple Frudel	11/24 No school	11/25 No school	11/26 No school
11/29 Breakfast Pizza	V 11/30 Pancake Bites			

## LUNCH MENU

11/1 No School	11/2 No School	V 11/3 BYO Nachos	V 11/4 Cheesy Breadsticks w/sauce	V 11/5 BYO Nachos
V 11/8 BYO Nachos	V 11/9 Bean & Cheese Burrito	V 11/10 BYO Nachos	11/11 No school	V 11/12 BYO Nachos
V 11/13 BYO Nachos	11/16 Tot'chos	V 11/17 BYO Nachos	11/18 Turkey Gravy & Mashed Potatoes & roll	V 11/19 BYO Nachos
V 11/22 BYO Nachos	11/23 BBQ Pork Sandwich	11/24 No school	11/25 No school	11/26 No school
V 11/29 BYO Nachos	V 11/30 Mini Cheese Ravioli w/sauce & roll			

V Vegetarian or can be without meat products

The breakfast items will include the following:

The Main Hot Entrée on the Calendar

Assorted Cereals

Assorted Breakfast Sandwiches

Bagels and muffins will alternate every other week.



### EVERYDAY CHOICES

Pepperoni & Cheese Pizza V



### DAILY GRILL CHOICES

Hamburger, Cheeseburger, Chicken Burger, & Spicy Chicken



### DAILY FAST TAKE CHOICES

Your choice of a Sandwich, Salad, Protein Box or Fruit Parfait V

ONE BREAKFAST AND ONE LUNCH MEAL ARE **FREE** TO ALL STUDENTS THROUGH THE REMAINDER OF THE SCHOOL YEAR.

ALL STUDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO GET THEIR MEALS AND HAVE SPACE TO SIT AND EAT WHILE REMAINING 6 FEET APART FROM OTHERS.

MILK, JUICE, FRUIT AND A VEGETABLE WILL BE GIVEN WITH EVERY MEAL.

"This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Menus are subject to change.

Woodland Public School District does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression, gender identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following employee(s) has been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination:

Vicky Barnes, Title IX Officer, Civil Right Coordinator, and Affirmative Action Officer, 800 Second St. Woodland, WA 98674, [barnesv@woodlandschools.org](mailto:barnesv@woodlandschools.org), (360) 841-2702  
Jake Hall, 504 Coordinator, 800 Second St. Woodland, WA 98674, [hallj@woodlandschools.org](mailto:hallj@woodlandschools.org), (360) 841-2720

You can report discrimination and discriminatory harassment to any school staff member or to the district's Civil Rights Coordinator, listed above. You also have the right to file a complaint. For a copy of your district's nondiscrimination policy and procedure, contact your school or district office or view it online at [www.woodlandschools.org/policies](http://www.woodlandschools.org/policies). You can also make a complaint with the Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Department of