

Wolf Tracks



Eastlake High School PTSA Weekly News

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Week at a Glance

Mon: NO SCHOOL -- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Tues: LWSD -- Meet Preferred LWSD Superintendent Candidate 5:30 p.m., Sammamish City Hall

Wed: LWSD -- Meet Preferred LWSD Superintendent Candidate 4 p.m., LWSD Resource Center

Wed: Incoming Sophomore Parent Night 7 p.m., Theater

Announcements

Court Ruling: State Must Fund Education

Jan. 5 was a historic day for our state's public schools! In a unanimous ruling, the Washington Supreme Court upheld a trial court ruling that the Washington Constitution requires the legislature to provide ample funding for the education of all children and that the state has failed to fulfill that duty. For more details from the Washington State PTA, please [click here](#). To sign a petition in support of this ruling, please [click here](#).

Sign up for Practice SAT & ACT!

Looking for ways to gain an advantage on SAT and ACT testing AND reduce test-related fear, worry and anxiety? Then don't miss the PTSA-sponsored "FearFree" SAT and ACT practice tests on Feb. 25 and March 24. These casual, low-stress practice

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tests will help assess strengths and weaknesses across all subject areas on either the SAT or ACT. Test takers (and their parents) are invited to attend a free scores-back session for a personalized, detailed report analyzing their performance section by section. A Princeton Review expert will review and explain scores and share strategies for improvement. Please [click here](#) to sign up.

Unravel the Mystery of Dyslexia

On Jan. 24, the Lake Washington School District will present the dyslexia training that all LWSD staff received last year. Come and learn what every single teacher and staff member learned about dyslexia! Questions and answers will be included. Please [click here](#) for more details.

Scholarship Video Contest worth \$3K

Why are scholarships important to you? That is the subject of a video contest worth up to \$3,000 in scholarship money. Students are invited to create an original video no longer than 60 seconds that answers the question "Why are scholarships important to you?" Group entries (no more than three) will also be accepted. This opportunity is for all high school seniors and current undergraduate students in the state of Washington or Washington residents who will be enrolled at least part time at an accredited university or college (2-year or 4-year) during the 2012-2013 academic year. The due date is Jan. 31, 2012. For more information, [click here](#) for the flyer or contact info@thewashboardcontest.org.

Incoming Freshman and Sophomore Dates

Eastlake High School will be hosting two parent nights in January for parents of students who will be attending EHS next year.

Incoming Sophomore Parent Night (current 9th-grade parents) is scheduled on Wednesday, Jan. 18. A meeting for parents of students in Special Education will start at 6:30 p.m. in Room C205. The incoming sophomore information session is from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the EHS Theater.

Incoming Freshman Parent Night (current 8th-grade parents) is scheduled on Wednesday, Jan. 25. A meeting for parents of students in Special Education will start at 6:30 p.m. in Room C205. The incoming freshman information session is from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the EHS Theater.

'JOG' Club Sponsoring Coin Drive

Eastlake's Junior Orthopedic Guild will hold a coin drive during lunch in the Commons from Jan. 30 to Feb. 3. It will be a

Eastlake Student Store

Stop by during
the school year
7 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Monday-Friday.

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happily accepted.

competition between the boys and girls! All money raised will be donated from the Eastlake High School community at the KISS 106.1 Radiothon in March to support uncompensated care at Seattle Children's Hospital. Save your coins for a great cause! Contact [Mr. Monahan](#) or [Sandy Marshall](#) with any questions.

Volunteer Corner

PTSA is Looking for Volunteers!

Webmaster: The PTSA is looking for a volunteer to serve as webmaster of the [EHS PTSA website](#) in the upcoming school year. We are hoping to incorporate the ability to input forms and payments online. Technical/editing skills a plus!

Student Directory Chair: The PTSA is looking for a volunteer to serve as Directory Chair in the upcoming school year. This person will work with a committee to compile a directory of all students, including home addresses, phone numbers and email addresses. This position is particularly important because EHS will have two incoming classes next year. Please indicate whether you are interested in working on this committee or serving as chair.

Holiday Bazaar Chair: The PTSA is looking for a volunteer to serve as Chair of the Holiday Bazaar in the upcoming school year. This person will be responsible for overseeing the Holiday Bazaar that is held at EHS the first Saturday in November.

If you are interested in any of the above volunteer opportunities, please contact EHS PTSA Vice President of Volunteers Monica DeRaspe-Bolles at volunteer@ehsptsa.org. For a complete list of volunteer positions at EHS PTSA, please [click here](#).

Upcoming Events

To access the full-year EHS PTSA Calendar, [click here](#). To view the EHS Sports Calendar, [click here](#). For the complete LWSD Calendar, [click here](#).

- Jan. 24:** EHS Music Boosters 5:30 p.m., Band Room
- Jan. 24:** [LWSD PTSA Special Needs Mtg.](#) 7 p.m.
- Jan. 25:** PTSA Gen. Membership Mtg.; 6:30 p.m., Library
- Jan. 25:** Incoming Freshman Parent Night 7 p.m., Theater
- Jan. 26:** [Sammamish Plateau Parent Network](#) 7 p.m.
- Jan. 27:** [Sammamish Plateau Parent Network](#) 11:30 a.m.
- Jan. 27:** Last Day of First Semester
- Jan. 31:** [LWSD PTSA Nominating Com. Training](#) 7 p.m.
- Feb. 2:** [LWSD PTSA Council Mtg.](#) 9:30 a.m.
- Feb. 11:** Northlake Regional High School Music Dept.

[Solo/Ensemble](#) 8 a.m.-5 p.m., EHS

Feb. 13: [Spring Sports Registration Begins](#)

Feb. 13: EHS PTSA Board Meeting noon-1:30 p.m.

Feb. 16: NO SCHOOL -- Mid-Winter Break

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Feb. 20: NO SCHOOL -- Presidents Day

Feb. 20: [Legislative Focus Day](#) in Olympia

Feb. 28: LWSO PTSA Special Needs Mtg. 7 p.m.

Mar. 1: [LWSO PTSA Council Mtg.](#) 9:30 a.m.

Mar. 3: EHS TOLO Dance 8 p.m.

Mar. 12: EHS PTSA Board Meeting noon-1:30 p.m.

Mar. 14: [Junior Parent Night](#) 7-8:30 p.m., Theater

Mar. 16: NO SCHOOL -- LEAP DAY

Mar. 27: LWSO PTSA Special Needs Mtg. 7 p.m.

Mar. 28: EHS Mr. Eastlake Program 7 p.m.

Apr. 2-6: NO SCHOOL -- Spring Break

This email is provided as a courtesy of the EHS PTSA. For the most up-to-date information, refer to the official [LWSO](#) and [Eastlake High School](#) websites.

For community information and events, please refer to the [EHS Community Bulletin Board](#).

Submissions to Wolf Tracks. *Include all pertinent information in a Word document; email communications@ehsptsa.org. Please note the weekly deadline is Thursday at noon.*

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