



WWS ELEMENTARY OCTOBER NEWSLETTER



Happy October families!

At Windham Woods this month, students have enjoyed diving into lessons on outer space and birds of prey! Foundations have been set in reading and math and students are starting to experience the growth that comes with being pushed out of their comfort zone! Here is a closer look into some Elementary happenings this month!

-Kristen & the Elementary team

Birds of Prey



WWS Elementary was lucky to have Wingmasters visit us this month! Wingmasters gave a live bird presentation and taught us more about falcons, hawks, and owls. Students prepared great questions for the presenters and enjoyed getting a closer look at these majestic creatures!

Fall Fest



The Elementary program enjoyed celebrating Fall Fest together yesterday! Classes worked together to build scarecrows for the scarecrow building competition, painted pumpkins, and enjoyed donuts and cider while playing lawn games before parading through the Middle / Upper halls for our annual Halloween parade! Thank you to our amazing parent volunteers!



Rewarded for THRIVE-ing

THRIVE is a WWS acronym that represents our values system:

TRUST
HARD WORK
RESPECT
INCLUSION
VISION
EMPATHY



Students engage in weekly lessons on these values in ECO.

Students can be positively recognized for displaying these values by their teachers everyday! WWS Elementary students have the opportunity to earn THRIVE bucks for everyday demonstrations of these values (ex: thanking a friend, respecting the needs of others) and can also be awarded a THRIVE recognition award for things like attempting assignments that feel overwhelming and going out of one's way to help a friend. So far 20 students have received the THRIVE recognition award this month! One lucky winner's name will be drawn to win free lunch from 33 Hilltop and an ATV ride at the end of the month!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

PARENT CONFERENCES

Please sign up for parent conferences by October 31st! Conference sign ups will close on 11/1. All conferences will be in person unless virtual is requested. We cannot wait to share the amazing growth of your children with you!





Parent Conferences- Friday, November 3, 2023



As the weather becomes colder, please send your children in with warm coats, hats, and gloves. We LOVE exploring the outdoors during all seasons at WWS!

