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WATAUGA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear WES Families,

Thank you for making our Fall Festival a success! A good time was had by all and the proceeds will directly benefit WES students. Thanks to our PTA board, PTA members, teachers, and all volunteers for the hard work.

I would like to wish all Watauga families a happy, healthy, and relaxing Thanksgiving.

Marie Stanley, Principal

Fall Festival From the Students' Perspectives

Our teachers interviewed a few students regarding their thoughts on Fall Festival. Below are their responses:

Braedyn D. - "I liked the Haunted Hall."

Morgan T. - "I liked the apple butter."

Justus F. - "I liked the Haunted Hall, but I ran so fast, I dropped my tickets!"

Annabelle T. - "The cake walk was my favorite because I won 2 cakes!"

Lila P. - "Bouncing on the bouncy houses outside was my favorite!"

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Upcoming Events

November 7

Schools Closed

November 9

PTA

November 22-24

Thanksgiving Break

Honoring our Veterans

Our third grade students will participate in a performance at our November 9th PTA meeting. They will honor all veterans for their service to our country and the sacrifices they have made. Please come and join in the celebration.



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Watauga Students Learn About Making Apple Butter

All grade levels were able to observe apple butter being made at school on Friday, October 13th. Students asked intriguing questions and were able to sample the delicious apple butter later in the day. The apple butter was sold at our Fall Festival. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Rim Dillow, Mrs. Betty Dillow, and all PTA volunteers for making this special event happen! The PTA has apple butter for sale at \$4.00 for a half pint and \$6.00 for a pint. Please contact Mrs. Alyson Dillow if you would like to purchase apple butter.



Santa Saturday and Movie Night

Our PTA will sponsor Santa Saturday on November 18th from 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Students will have an opportunity to have their picture taken with Santa, paint an ornament, and enjoy a special treat. Concessions will open at 6:00 p.m. and a movie will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. The movie and popcorn are FREE! Additional details will be sent home soon. Please join us for a special night!



Have you been naughty or nice?



Join PTA Today!

PTA is a wonderful way to be involved and stay informed about Watauga's activities. Please email our PTA President or one of the PTA officers listed below about joining in the fun!

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Field Trips

November 1
First Grade to Bays Mountain

November 6
Second Grade to AHS "Food for America"

November 17
Preschool to Kidz Place

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