

Wilkerson Weekly Update 11/30/18



Upcoming Events

11/30 – Orchestra after school Rehearsal/Lock-In, 4:30-8:30pm

12/3 – Orchestra Concert, 6:30pm

12/4 – 6th Grade Math Benchmark

12/6 – Spirit Night at Raising Canes on Rayford Rd.

12/11 – Science Club after school

12/11 – Choir Concert, 6:30pm

12/13 – Band Concert, 6:30pm

12/19 – Early Release at 12:45

12/20-1/7 – Winter Break

1/8 – Students Return to School (This is a Tuesday.)

2019-2020 School Calendar

The District-Level Planning and Decision-Making Committee is in the process of developing the 2019-2020 School Calendar. The DLPDMC has developed two drafts for review and comment. You are invited to review the proposals and provide feedback. <https://www.conroeisd.net/about/school-calendar-process/>

Nominations for Gifted and Talented Screening

Nominations are now open for the Conroe Independent School District Gifted and Talented program. Although the testing will not take place until late January, nominations will be accepted through December 19, 2018. Test results are received in May, and will be considered for GT placement in the 2019-20 school year. Nominations may be made by parents or teachers, and forms are available in the front office. Nomination forms are also available on the CISD GT homepage. All nomination forms must be returned to Ms. Roddy by December 19.

Lost and Found

The lost and found collection at Wilkerson is growing by the day! If your child is missing a jacket, lunch box, etc. please encourage them to check the lost and found rack near the girls' restroom in the gym. Parents, you are also welcome to sign in at the front desk and check for yourselves. Any items not claimed by Friday, December 14 will be donated to a local charity.

JOIN OUR FUNDRAISER AT RAISING CANE'S!

**Mention the fundraiser at the register
and Cane's will donate 15% of sales to:**

Wilkerson Intermediate

DATE & TIME:

December 6th, 2018 from 5:30pm - 8:30pm

LOCATION:

**520 Rayford Rd Spring, TX 77386
281-419-5444**



Tutorials

Tutorials are now available before school on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 8:00-8:30. Students may attend any tutorial session available for their grade level/subject, even if not provided by their regular teacher. Students can pick up a tutorial pass at the front or back doors upon arrival at 8:00am. If your child needs help in an area that's not available before school, please notify your child's teacher.

| Math – 5 th Grade | | | |
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| Day | Teacher | | |
| Tuesday | Traylor – Room 320 | Taylor – Room 504 | B. Johnson – Room 506 |
| Wednesday | Traylor – Room 320 | Taylor – Room 504 | B. Johnson – Room 506 |
| Friday | Hernandez – Room 510 | | Gillett – Room 518 |

| Math – 6 th Grade | | | |
|------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Day | Teacher | | |
| Tuesday | Hill – Room 603 | Doggett – Room 611 | Stonebreaker – Room 615 |
| Wednesday | Dougherty – Room 608 | | Randolph – Room 606 |
| Friday | Dougherty – Room 608 | | Randolph – Room 606 |

| Science – 5 th Grade | | |
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| Day | Teacher | Topic/Concept |
| Tuesday | Fowler- Room 505 | Science Vocabulary |
| Wednesday | Fowler- Room 505 | Spiral Review (Previously learned material) |
| Friday | Fowler- Room 505 | Current Concepts |

From the Clinic - Vaccines Required

Students who have turned 11 years old are eligible to receive the following vaccines. These vaccines are required before entering 7th grade.

- **Tdap: Tetanus – diphtheria –pertussis vaccine.** If your child has had a tetanus containing vaccine in the past five years, the Tdap vaccine will not be required until after five years has passed.
- **MCV4: Meningococcal vaccine.** One dose is required to protect from meningococcal meningitis.

Please send in vaccination records if your child has already received these immunizations, so I may update your child's school health record. Your child's doctor may also fax vaccination records to me.

Please call the clinic if you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's vaccinations.

Nurse Barry cbarry@conroeisd.net

832-592-8911 (phone) 832-592-8910 (fax)

School Hours

8:00am – Front doors open (students report directly to cafeteria).

***Students may not be dropped off prior to 8:00am as no staff is on duty to monitor student safety.**

8:30am – Students are released to homerooms (those who arrive at/after 8:30 go directly to HR).

8:40am – Daily announcements begin

8:50 – Start bell rings and instruction begins (those who enter the building after the 8:50 bell will be counted tardy).

4:00 – Dismissal bell

Stay connected with Wilkerson PTO!

PTO Needs YOU! Have donations, but not time? No problem!! Have time, but no money? No problem!! We want whatever you have to give. Help us HELP OUR SCHOOL! You can join by returning the attached membership form OR by contacting us through any of the options below!

Get Plugged In



Keeping up with school dates and events is a full-time job. Luckily we work for cheap!

Get plugged in to Wilkerson PTO and never forget picture day again.


Connect with us through all of the following, and we'll make sure you stay in the know.

 Like us on Facebook
[@wilkersonintermediatepto](#)

Join our 5th Grade Group
[@wilkerson5thgradeparents2018-2019](#)

Join our 6th Grade Group
[@wilkerson6thgradeparents2018-2019](#)

 Sign up for text alerts
Text [@wilkpto](#) to 81010

 Sign up to receive emails about events and volunteer opportunities
<https://goo.gl/forms/Qzxs3kyQ5t3GLQSZ2>

 Email us anytime
askwilkersonpto@gmail.com



Wilkerson PTO 2018-19



Sign up for important updates from Wilkerson PTO.

Get information for Wilkerson Intermediate School right on your phone—not on handouts.


Pick a way to receive messages for Wilkerson PTO:

A If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

On your iPhone or Android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link:

rmd.at/wilkpto

Follow the instructions to sign up for Remind. You'll be prompted to download the mobile app.




B If you don't have a smartphone, get text notifications.

Text the message [@wilkpto](#) to the number **81010**.

If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting [@wilkpto](#) to (832) 706-4476.

* Standard text message rates apply.



Don't have a mobile phone? Go to rmd.at/wilkpto on a desktop computer to sign up for email notifications.

Car Riders

- Dismissal begins at 4:00. Please arrive on campus no later than 4:15 to pick your student up.
- Enter the circle drive in the right-hand lane.
- Have your pink car rider sign displayed visibly through your car's front windshield, with your student's name printed in dark, bold letters.
 - If you do not have your pink car rider sign with you, please park and enter the building so staff can safely identify you as an adult with access to that student.
- Our duty staff will tell you a cone number to drive to. Please drive to THAT cone and wait for your student to meet you there.
- Please stay close to the curb in the right-hand lane while loading your student.
- Once you have loaded your student, you may switch lanes to the left-hand side to exit the circle driveway, if cars in front of you are still loading.
- DO NOT PARK IN THE LEFT-HAND LANE. That lane needs to remain clear for through-traffic. Of course there will be that time period close to 4:00 when the left-hand lane is stopped, due to pedestrian traffic and traffic on Sawmill Road.
- DO NOT park in the regular parking spaces and have your child walk to your car. This is an extreme safety hazard for your child AND it disrupts the flow of our car line when parked cars try to back up or enter the line. If not going through the car line, you need to meet your child at an off-campus location.

Thank you for your help with this. If we are all following the same routine, car rider dismissal will go as smoothly as possible.

Lunch Information

Meal Prices The meal prices for the 18-19 school year are:

Student Breakfast
\$1.35

Reduced Student Breakfast \$.30

Adult Breakfast \$2.30

Student Lunch \$2.85

Reduced Student Lunch \$.40

Adult Lunch \$3.55

- Breakfast and Lunch Menus are posted on the serving lines in the campus cafeteria, on the Child Nutrition website and on Wilkerson's website at <http://wilkerson.conroeisd.net/menus/lunch-menu/>.
- Online credit card payments can be made at www.myschoolbucks.com.
- Free and Reduced Applications All free and reduced applications will be processed online beginning this school year. The website to complete a free and reduced application is www.myschoolapps.com.

Cell Phone/Electronics Policy

Electronic devices (**including phones**) are permitted but **MUST** be turned off and concealed prior to entering the building. Students may notify parents of their arrival to campus before entering the building. Students may notify parents of departure after stepping outside the building. An electronic device should be stored with the student in his/her backpack or bag. **Your student may not respond**

to a call/text on his/her cell phone during the school day. Doing so will result in disciplinary action. If you need to reach your student, please contact the school and we will assist you.

Electronic readers are allowed for **reading purposes ONLY**. E-readers must be turned off during class time unless given permission to use by the teacher. Apple or other Smart watches may not be used to send/receive messages or access the internet.

Your child's phone and any other electronic device will be confiscated if used inappropriately. Repeated misuse of an electronic device will result in required parent retrieval, detention and/or loss of privilege to bring an electronic device to school.

Please note: The school is not responsible for lost or stolen cell phones and/or electronic devices.

Bus Registration

Even if you will not normally ride the bus, we encourage you to register so the option is available if needed. The earlier you register for the bus, the sooner your route information can be established. This is a multi-step process. Please see the following directions.

1. All information can be accessed through the CISD Transportation web page at <http://www.conroeisd.net/transportation/>.
2. If a student was registered last year, the system should carry them forward as a registered rider. If not, you can register (again) by selecting the **Register for Transportation** button.
3. If your child is registered for transportation, you will want to look at the orange column entitled **What Bus Do I Ride?**
4. When you click on the **Find Bus Route** button at the bottom of this column, you will be taken to the Compass page.
5. Compass is the system where transportation information is kept.
6. When you arrive on the Compass page, you must click on the **Student Eligibility** button at the bottom of the page.
7. When you click on this, it will take you to a prompt that requests two pieces of information. The first piece of requested information is the Student ID number. You can get this from Parent Access, last year's report card or by calling the school. (This is also your child's library and lunch number, so they may be able to help you.) The second piece of information the system uses to identify the student is the student's date of birth in DD/MM/YYYY format.
8. Next, click **Find**.
9. This will bring up the specific information about the location (address) and time the student will be picked up as well as the drop off location and the time.

Please note that parents should check back frequently as the first day of school approaches to make sure the route has not been updated.

Dress Code Policy

As you prepare for the new school year, please keep the dress code requirements in mind.

- Pictures, emblems, or writings on clothing that are any of the following are prohibited: lewd, violent, suggestive, offensive, vulgar or obscene, or advertise or depict tobacco

products, alcoholic beverages, drugs, weapons or any other prohibited items.

- Halter-tops, racer back shirts, muscle shirts, and spaghetti-straps tops are not permitted unless covered by another shirt. Shirts must fit under the arm so as not to expose undergarments or torso.
- Midriff shirts, or shirts exposing the midsection of the body, are not permitted.
- Heavy make-up/cosmetics may not be worn or applied at school.
- Hats/hoods are not to be worn inside the school.
- Hair and hairstyle that pose a distraction to the learning environment are not permitted.
- Pants/shorts may not be worn lower than undergarments.
- Shorts, dresses and skirts must reach fingertip length when the student rests his/her arms at his/her side (even when leggings/tights are worn underneath).
- Girls should wear shorts/tights under their dresses.
- Closed toed shoes with backs must be worn in PE. Tennis shoes are recommended. Flip flops may not be worn during PE.
- Leggings/jeggings should be paired with a long, loose fitting, flowing top that covers the hips.
- Additionally, any clothing or grooming that in the administration's judgment may reasonably be expected to cause disruption of or interference with normal school operations will be prohibited.

Any other dress code issues that are not written in the handbook will be considered on a case by case basis. Wilkerson administrators have final discretion as to what is or is not appropriate.

TWHS Basketball Feeder Night!

We are excited to be hosting our annual boys varsity basketball elementary night for our TWHS elementary feeder schools. The game is scheduled for Tuesday, December 11, against Klein Cain High School. The game will start at 7:00 p.m. Our elementary schools will be recognized that evening at the game. We recommend attendees to arrive a few minutes early to get in and find seats.

Students from TWHS feeder schools who wear their school shirt to the game will be permitted entrance to the game free of charge. Everyone else, parents, siblings, spectators, etc. **will be subject to the normal ticket rates/policy.**

Ticket Prices are as follows:

Adults - \$3.00

Senior Adults 60+ - \$2.00

Students - \$2.00

Children 6 & under - Free

As always, a CISD employee badge will allow the employee and immediate family into the games free of charge.



K-6 Youth Tennis Camp

SATURDAY DECEMBER 1ST
9AM-2PM (8:45 CHECK-IN)

Don't miss out on this Exciting Day of Kids Tennis!

Have your future Cavaliers wear their **BLUE** and **WHITE** to show support for College Park! Kids will spend the day learning tennis skills, rules, etiquette, fitness, playing games with new friends, lunch, snacks, and more. *In case of rain, check please your e-mail for an update from us. We may reschedule.*

Participant Name _____

Participant School and Grade _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Phone # _____

Parent/Guardian Email _____

Need to Borrow a Racket? Y N Any tennis experience? Y N

Notes: _____

In the event of injury to our child, we recognize that the Conroe Independent School District, its Board of Trustees, its agents and its employees are in no way liable for any injuries, medical expense, or damage and will have no insurance covering our child.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

LET'S GO!

K-6th Graders

8:45am check-in at courts and 2:00 pick-up

TW College Park Courts on Achievement Way off Hwy. 242

Only 80 Participants so mail your registration soon.

Lunch Provided by Russo's Pizza

Goodie Bags for kids and Raffle Prizes for Parents!

\$40 Per Participant

Please make checks payable to: *TWCP Tennis Boosters*

Please mail this form and your check to:

TWCP Tennis Boosters
c/o Leslie Schamun
234 S Crimson Clover Cir.
The Woodlands, TX
77381

Questions?
E-mail Leslie at
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