

# Wattles Update

October 25, 2019

(248) 823-3400

Absence Line: (248) 823-3401

Office Hours: 8:05 a.m. – 4:05 p.m.

<http://wattles.troy.k12.mi.us>

## Next Week's Events:

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 28**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29**

Kaiser Picture Re-Take Day/Yearbook/Candid

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30**

Early Release Day-12:39 Dismissal

Halloween Parade 11:50 am

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31**

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1**



## ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

**Parent-Teacher Conferences:** We strive for 100% participation at parent-teacher conferences and appreciate the time you spent with us the past two days. I hope the conferences were able to provide you with insight into your child's progress at school. On behalf of the teaching staff, thank you for your support. If you have any follow-up questions, please be sure to contact your child's teacher.

**Kaiser Picture Re-take and Group Pictures:** Kaiser will be here on Tuesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> to take pictures for students who were absent on picture day or are new to our school since picture day. If you would like to purchase a picture package, please remember to have your child bring in a completed picture order form with payment on October 29. If your child is going to have their picture retaken, they must return their complete original picture package prior to having their picture redone.

Also, it will be group photo day. If your child is involved in Girl Scouts or Boy Scouts, please have them wear their uniform. We will take group photos for our yearbook.

**Halloween Parade/Parties:** Our Halloween Parade will be held on Wednesday, October 30<sup>th</sup> and start at 11:50 am. This is an Early Release day and school will be dismissed at 12:39 pm. In selecting Halloween costumes, please avoid costumes that have a horror or violence theme. Students may NOT bring toy guns, knives, or swords to school as part of their costumes. **Students are NOT to wear their costumes to school.** All costumes are to be brought to school in a bag

Please see the schedule below for grade level party times.

Halloween Parties and Times				
School Wide Parade 11:50-12:10				
Wednesday, October 30th				
<u>Grade</u>	<u>Halloween Party Time</u>	Time Parent are allowed to come to classroom to help students in costumes	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Parade</u>
<u>K</u>	11:00	10:30	10:30-11:00 costumes 11:00-11:45 party	11:50-12:10
<u>1</u>	11:00	10:45		11:50-12:10
<u>2</u>	10:50	10:30		11:50-12:10
<u>3</u>	10:30	10:00	10:30-11:30 party	11:50-12:10
<u>4</u>	11:00	10:45		11:50-12:10
<u>5</u>	11:10	11:10	Cafeteria Set-up @ 11:00	11:50-12:10

**WatchDOGS:** If you would like to volunteer for our WatchDOG program, (dads/significant males) a link to our sign up genius was sent out earlier this week and can also be found on the Wattles Website. You will need to turn in an ICHAT form with a copy of your driver's license to the office a minimum of two weeks before your volunteer date. Once you have done that and would like to volunteer, you can click on the link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e094dacab29a6fc1-wattles>

**Lunch Account Balances-**We have several negative lunch balances. Please be sure to put money on your child's account if you receive a low lunch balance notice.

**Parent Portal:** You should have received directions for setting up or updating your Parent Portal in Powerschools. It is extremely important for you to do this as this is where your emergency contact information, report cards, Ipad Insurance etc is all contained. Reminder emails are going out weekly for parents who still needed to update this information. We still have approximately 60 families who have not completed this process.

**If your child is Absent or Tardy:** Please leave a message on the ABSENCE LINE at (248) 823-3401 if your child will not be in school for any reason, or if he/she will be late. The absence line is on 24/7 for your convenience. Please do not call the main number to report an absence. When calling, please leave the child's name, (spell the last name) teacher's name, day/date, and a brief explanation for the absence.

**Medications for 2019/2020 School Year:** Remember, If your child takes medication during the school day, your child's physician needs to complete an "Authorization for Medication" form (available on the Wattles website—"Forms"). This form must accompany any medication to be distributed during school hours. For students with allergies requiring an EPI pen, a FARE form must also be completed. All medicine MUST be brought (**in its original bottle/box/container**) to the office by the parent. Children may not bring any medication to school, including over-the-counter cough medicine, etc., without an "Authorization for Medication" form on file in the school office.

**Wattles PTO:** As a parent or guardian of a Wattles student, you are automatically a PTO member! As a member, you are welcome to participate in any (or all!) of the many wonderful PTO events that take place throughout the school year. Children love it when their parents are involved at their school. While volunteering, parents enjoy the opportunity to meet other parents and share similar trials and tribulations of raising kids. Please feel free to contact our PTO president, Mrs. Lyons at [Elizabethlyons08@gmail.com](mailto:Elizabethlyons08@gmail.com) to inquire about how you can get involved.

**Lunch/Breakfast Menus:** Please see the attached breakfast and lunch menus below.

**Lease Expirations:** If you are currently leasing an apartment or home and your lease has expired, you must provide an updated lease to the Wattles office.

**Moves:** If you have moved, you must provide the Wattles office with your new proofs or residency. Please contact the Wattles office to notify them and obtain details on the necessary paperwork you need to submit.

**Box Tops for Education:** Please save your Box Tops from General Mills, Betty Crocker, Pillsbury, Kleenex and Ziploc products. Box Top collection is in the process of going digital. Old box top clips can still be saved but eventually you will be able to scan your receipt. More information will be sent out soon. For now, please continue to collect box tops. Your participation and assistance are greatly appreciated! Thanks to the many dedicated parents, Wattles receives several hundred dollars each school year from Box Tops.

**TYA Programs:** Please see the attached flyer for Troy Youth Assistance Programs that are currently being offered to parents.

**CAT Award Winners:** Every day students can earn a Wattles Wild C.A.T award (C.A.T. stands for Caught Acting Terrific) by demonstrating one of our Wattles character pillars of: 1) Choose Kindness; 2) Pursue Excellence; 3) Work for the Common Good. All students who received a C.A.T. award are entered into a drawing and have a chance to win a prize from our treasure chest on Wattles Wednesdays. Winners this week are:

**K-**Gabriel Lagrou

**1<sup>st</sup>-**Sharon Chiluka

**2<sup>nd</sup>-** Evy Wang

**3<sup>rd</sup>-** Nirantar Raundal

**4<sup>th</sup>-** Gabriel Bishay

**5<sup>th</sup>-** Jessie Wen

**Looking Ahead:**

**November 5-**Fall Fire Safety Presentations for Grade 1, 3, 5 (during school day)

**November 6-**PTO Meeting 8:45 am -Media Center—4<sup>th</sup> Grade Choose Wisely presentations (during day)

**November 9** – Special PTO Event at Local Gym – Details Forthcoming

**November 13-**Kindergarten to Ford Performing Arts Center 9:15-12:15

**November 14-**Movie Night-6:00 pm Gym

**November 20-**Early Release Day-12:39 Dismissal—PTO Dining for Dollars @ Mod Pizza

**November 21-**End of Marking Period # 1/3

**November 22-**No School

**November 27-29-**No School-Thanksgiving Recess

**December 2-**School Resumes



# October

## Breakfast Menu: Troy Elementary School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
30 Cherry Frudel Sliced Fresh Apples Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	1 Cinni-Mini French Toast Bites Assorted Fruit Juice Chilled Diced Pears 1% Low-fat Milk	2 Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Rosy Applesauce Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	3 Strawberry Banana Yogurt Muffin, Apple Cinnamon Fresh Banana Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	4 Trix Bar Assorted Fruit Juice Raisins 1% Low-fat Milk
7 Blueberry Bash Waffles Assorted Fruit Juice Chilled Diced Pears 1% Low-fat Milk	8 Maple Burst Mini Pancakes Fruit Cocktail Strawberries Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	9 Apple Jacks Assorted Fruit Juice Fresh Banana 1% Low-fat Milk	10 Cocoa Puffs Cereal bar Fresh Orange Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	11 Apple Frudel Assorted Fruit Juice Chilled Peaches 1% Low-fat Milk
14 Banana Chocolate Chunk BeneFIT Bar Sliced Fresh Apples Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	15 Turkey Sausage, Egg, & Cheese Bagel Assorted Fruit Juice Chilled Peaches 1% Low-fat Milk	16 Cheerios Raisins Apple Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	17 Berry Mini French Toast Fresh Banana Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	18 Raspberry Rainbow Yogurt Blueberry Muffin Fresh Orange Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk
21 Mini Cinnis Chilled Peaches Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	22 Egg & Cheese Bagel Sandwich Assorted Fruit Juice Fruit Cocktail w/ Strawberries 1% Low-fat Milk	23 Cocoa Puffs Cereal Fresh Banana Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	24 Mini Maple Madness Waffles Rosy Applesauce Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	25 Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Fresh Banana Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk
28 Cherry Frudel Sliced Fresh Apples Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	29 Cinni-Mini French Toast Bites Assorted Fruit Juice Chilled Diced Pears 1% Low-fat Milk	30 Cinnamon Toast Crunch Rosy Applesauce Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	31 Strawberry Banana Yogurt Muffin, Apple Cinnamon Fresh Banana Assorted Fruit Juice 1% Low-fat Milk	

**BREAKFAST:** A full student breakfast includes a choice of entree supplying grain and/or protein, two (2) fruit side dishes and choice of milk. Milk choices include 1% white. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



### HAVE YOU FILLED OUT A MEAL APPLICATION?

It takes just a few minutes! Turn in your meal program applications today.

Find menus, nutrition, allergen information and more online or on your phone!

Download School Menus by Nutrislice to your smartphone from the App Store or visit: [Troysd.nutrislice.com](http://Troysd.nutrislice.com)



## October 2019 Elementary School Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>30</p> <p>1. Chicken Tenders Oven Baked Curly Fries</p> <p>2. Turkey Ham and Cheese Hoagie</p> <p>3. Buffalo Popcorn Chicken Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Celery Sticks Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Golden Delicious Apple Fresh Orange Wedges</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1. Turkey Taco Meat Mexican Style Refried Beans Soft Flour Tortilla</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Ham &amp; Turkey Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Carrots Sliced Cucumbers Fresh Red Seedless Grapes Diced Watermelon</p>	<p>2</p> <p>1. Classic Pepperoni Pizza Tater Tots</p> <p>2. Classic Cheese Pizza</p> <p>3. Garden Salad with Mozzarella Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Cherry Tomatoes Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Banana Blueberries</p>	<p>3</p> <p>1. Turkey Hot Dog Seasoned Fries</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Ham &amp; Cheddar Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Broccoli Florets Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Mandarin Oranges Rosy Applesauce</p>	<p>4</p> <p>1. Maple Burst Mini Pancakes Turkey Sausage Patty</p> <p>2. Muffin &amp; Goldfish Fun Lunch</p> <p>3. Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Sliced Cucumbers Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Frozen Strawberries Fresh Pear</p>
<p>7</p> <p>1. Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes</p> <p>2. Turkey Sub</p> <p>3. Monterey Chicken Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Celery Sticks Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Golden Delicious Apple Fresh Orange Wedges</p>	<p>8</p> <p>1. Turkey Nachos Mexican Style Refried Beans</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Chicken and Cheese Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Carrots Sliced Cucumbers Fresh Red Seedless Grapes Diced Watermelon</p>	<p>9</p> <p>1. Classic Cheese Pizza</p> <p>2. Classic Pepperoni Pizza</p> <p>3. Turkey Taco Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Cherry Tomatoes Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Banana Blueberries</p>	<p>10</p> <p>1. Turkey Corn Dog</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Mixed Greens Salad with Cheese Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Broccoli Florets Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Mandarin Oranges Rosy Applesauce</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Turkey, Turkey Ham, &amp; Cheese Sub</p> <p>Pasta with Traditional Tomato Sauce Whole Grain Toasted Garlic Bread</p> <p>Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Sliced Cucumbers Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Frozen Strawberries Fresh Pear</p>
<p>14</p> <p>1. Breaded Chicken Drumstick BBQ Baked Beans Seasoned Fries</p> <p>2. Turkey Ham and Cheese Hoagie</p> <p>3. Chicken &amp; Mozzarella Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Celery Sticks Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Golden Delicious Apple Fresh Orange Wedges</p>	<p>15</p> <p>1. Classic American Cheeseburger Classic Hamburger Oven Baked Curly Fries</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Chicken and Cheese Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Carrots Homestyle Potato Salad Fresh Red Seedless Grapes Diced Watermelon</p>	<p>16</p> <p>1. Classic Cheese Pizza</p> <p>2. Classic Pepperoni Pizza</p> <p>3. Ham &amp; Turkey Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Cherry Tomatoes Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Banana Blueberries</p>	<p>17</p> <p>1. Chicken Nuggets Seasoned Zucchini</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Mixed Greens Salad with Cheese Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Broccoli Florets Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Mandarin Oranges Rosy Applesauce</p>	<p>18</p> <p>1. Whole Grain French Toast Sticks Hash Brown Patty</p> <p>2. Muffin &amp; Goldfish Fun Lunch</p> <p>3. Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Sliced Cucumbers Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Frozen Strawberries Fresh Pear</p>
<p>21</p> <p>1. Crispy Chicken Breast Sandwich Seasoned Corn</p> <p>2. Turkey Ham and Cheese Hoagie</p> <p>3. Popcorn Chicken &amp; Romaine Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Celery Sticks Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Golden Delicious Apple Fresh Orange Wedges</p>	<p>22</p> <p>1. Turkey Nachos Mexican Style Refried Beans</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Mixed Greens Salad with Cheese Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Carrots Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Fresh Red Seedless Grapes Diced Watermelon</p>	<p>23</p> <p><b>Half Day</b></p>	<p>24</p> <p><b>Half Day</b></p>	<p>25</p> <p>1. Whole Grain Waffles Turkey Sausage Patty Tater Tots</p> <p>2. Muffin &amp; Granola Fun Lunch</p> <p>3. Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Sliced Cucumbers Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Frozen Strawberries Fresh Pear</p>
<p>28</p> <p>1. Chicken Tenders Oven Baked Curly Fries</p> <p>2. Turkey Ham and Cheese Hoagie</p> <p>3. Buffalo Popcorn Chicken Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Celery Sticks Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Fresh Golden Delicious Apple Fresh Orange Wedges</p>	<p>29</p> <p>1. Turkey Taco Meat Mexican Style Refried Beans Soft Flour Tortilla</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Ham &amp; Turkey Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Carrots Sliced Cucumbers Fresh Red Seedless Grapes Diced Watermelon</p>	<p>30</p> <p><b>Early Release</b></p>	<p>31</p> <p>1. Turkey Hot Dog Seasoned Fries</p> <p>2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce</p> <p>3. Ham &amp; Cheddar Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Fresh Broccoli Florets Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Mandarin Oranges Rosy Applesauce</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1. Pancakes Turkey Sausage Patty</p> <p>2. Muffin &amp; Goldfish Fun Lunch</p> <p>3. Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll</p> <p>Sliced Cucumbers Lettuce &amp; Tomato Side Salad Sliced Fresh Strawberries Fresh Pear</p>

Daily Specialty Salads can also be made a Vegetarian Option; Protein will be replaced with a Cheese Stick.



**Troy Youth Assistance**  
and  
**Troy Tech Talks**



Present a Screening of the New Documentary



LIKE is a documentary that explores the impact of social media on our lives and the effects of technology on the brain.

The goal of the film is to inspire and help equip us to self-regulate. Social media is a tool and social platforms are a place to connect, share, and care...

but is that what's really happening in our lives and in the lives of our children?

**Thursday, November 14 @ 7:00PM**  
**Troy High School Auditorium**

This film is recommended for ages 10 and up; parents should decide what's best for their family.

RSVP NOW: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0A49A9AB28A6F49-like>

**Space is limited!**  
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## Parenting Program

For PARENTS of 4th - 8th grade Students



2-week workshop:  
November 11 and 18, 2019  
7:00-8:30pm

### **PARENTING BEYOND BEHAVIOR**

- *Understanding different styles of parenting*
- *Managing difficult behaviors and emotions*
- *Setting healthy limits for parents and children*



**Presented by Joe Lilly, LMSW**

Child & Adolescent Therapist and Owner of Lillybrook Counseling Services

Program Location:

Troy School District Service Center  
4420 Livernois Road, Troy  
(Between Wattles and Long Lake Roads)

**Sign up early! Space is limited**

To Register: [click here](#)

or go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0A49A9AB28A6F49-parenting>

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