Wattles Update

January 31, 2020

(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, FEBRUARY 3

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

5th Grade "Got Caught" Program- during school day 11:00-12:00 pm (Mr. Martin's classroom)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Early Release Day-12:39 Dismissal-

PTO Meeting 8:45 am-Cafeteria

4th Grade Entrepreneur Day 11:00-12:00 pm (Gym)

PTO Dining for Dollars - The Great Greek Mediterranean Grill at 708 W Big Beaver (just west of I-75 on the righthand side)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Baker Band Performs for Wattles 9:30 am

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Wattles Painting Party – January 31 is the last day to sign up: Wattles is having a community Painting Party on Saturday, February 29, 2020! Volunteer Painters are still needed for the afternoon shift. Please invite neighbors and other community members. Pizza and salad lunch will be provided-please be sure to sign-up for that as well. You can sign up by on the Wattles website at *wattles.k12.mi.us* or Click here to sign up

Noon Aides Needed: We are in need of noon aides at Wattles. The paid position is 2 hours a day (11:00-1:00) Monday thru Friday. Although 5 days a week is preferred, we can also hire part-time staff who can work 3 or 4 days a week. Please share with friends and neighbors who might be interested. For more information, please contact me at jbrasington@troy.k12.mi.us



Kindergarten Round-Up: Wattles has begun to identify Kindergarten students for the 2020-21 school year. Enrollment packets were mailed out on Monday for students who are currently on our list. If you have a child who will be five years old on or before September 1, 2020* please call the Wattles office at 248-823-3400 to place your child on our incoming Kindergarten list and receive an enrollment packet. Please see the flyer below for more details.

Wattles Talent Show: Our Wattles Talent Show rehearsal/try-out is on February 19, 2020. To sign up for an audition time, please visit www.wattlestalent.com by Monday, February 3, 2020. We usually have around 50 acts--ranging from singing, gymnastics, soccer dribbling, comedy, dance, karate, and the list goes on. It is a great way for students to gain confidence and highlight what special skills they may have.

Winter Enrichment Classes held at Wattles: Please see the flyer below with winter enrichment classes that are held at Wattles.

5th Grade-Troy Fitness Run: Mark your calendars! The Troy Fitness Run will be Saturday, May 16, 2020 at Boulan Park beginning at 9:15 am. Registration begins in February. Please see the flyer below for more details. You can also check out information at: Troy Fitness Run

Bus Drivers Needed: The Troy School District Transportation department is in need of bus drivers. Interested applicants can apply at the Troy School District Transportation Office located at 120 Hart St, Troy, MI 48098 between the hours of 7:00 am and 4:00 pm or contact us at 248-823-4054. Please see the attached flyer below for details.

Food Services: Troy Schools Food Service Department, which is contracted by the Chartwells K-12, is gearing up to expand our Food Service Staff by seeking friendly people willing to fill various vacancies that are responsible for providing lunches to the students of the Troy School District. Not to worry if you haven't had previous experience, as "on the job" training will be provided!

Depending on the school, the hours would primarily be during the middle of the day and would range from 3 to 4 hours a day. And you would be earning some extra money while your students are in school! We are especially seeking elementary cooks, which does have more hours. So, come join our team by calling **248-823-5089**, or email Nicole Gervais at ngervais@troy.k12.mi.us, or come into the office at the Service Center, 4420 Livernois, Troy 48098 for more information. I look forward to hearing from you!

Needed Clinic Clothes: Now that cold weather is upon us, we are in need of both boys' and girls' pants and tops in our clinic. Pants with elastic waistbands are preferred. Any donations are greatly appreciated.

Recess- Inside or Outside: Troy School District policy states that there will be no outdoor recess when temperatures are below 15°. *It is important that children dress appropriately:* boots, hats, gloves and/or mittens and a warm coat (please label). **All students are expected to participate in recess.** Fresh air, physical play and exercise helps develop fitness and is important to children's ability to focus during learning times. Generally, if a child is well enough to attend school, he/she is well enough to go outside for a short recess period to take a break and get some fresh air.

Drop Offs/Indoor Lineup: We started indoor line up due to the cold weather. Students should NOT be dropped off before 8:30 am as there is no adult supervision before this time. We appreciate your cooperation on this policy.

Box Tops for Education: Thanks to all those students and parents who have already turned in their Box Top collection sheet. Please continue to collect Box Tops and download the app so you can begin scanning receipts. The introductory letter you received previously explained how the Box Top collection is in the process of going digital. We would love every family to turn in a collection sheet based on items you already purchase that participates in Box Tops. Funds will be used to recognize staff throughout the year.

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.

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

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.

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 to inquire about how you can get involved.

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

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.

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.

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-Danial Garas

1st-Mahima Vinod

2nd-Yasmin Del Cueto

3rd-Olivia Urben

4th-Everett Lowrie

5th- Juliana Juncaj

Looking Ahead:

February 14-Pajama Day!

February 17 & 18-No School -Mid Winter Recess

February 19-School Resumes-Full Day---Talent Show Rehearsal/Try Outs (Stage/Gym 6:00-8:00)

February 25-5th Grade Tar Wars Presentation during day-Hearing Screening begins for grades K, 2, 4

February 26-Early Release Day-12:39 Dismissal -PTO Dining for Dollars

March 5-4th Grade Disability Workshop (during school day)

March 6-No School-End of Marking Period #2/3

March 11-Kaiser Fun Day Pictures (am)

March 12-PTO Meeting-6:30 pm-Media Center

March 19-1/2 Day-12:29 Dismissal-Afternoon and Evening Conferences (by invitation only)

March 24-3rd Grade Concert 6:00 pm-Stage/Gym

March 25-Early Release Day-12:39 pm Dismissal-Talent Show 6:00 pm (Stage/Gym) PTO Dining for Dollars

March 31-1st Grade to Macomb Center for the Performing Arts 9:15-11:40

April 2-No School for K-12

April 3-No School-Spring Break Begins-School Resumes Monday, April 13-Full Day

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April 15-PTO Meeting 8:45 Media Center

April 16th-Kindergarten Round-Up 6:30 pm

April 17th-COSI-"Energy"

April 20-Staff Appreciation Week begins-5th Grade Band Concert at Athens Gym 7:00 pm

April 23-Early Release Day-12:39 Dismissal-PTO Dining for Dollars

April 27-5th Grade Strings Concert-Athens Gym-7:00 pm-Wattles Book Fair Begins April 27-30th

April 28-1st Grade Concert-Mrs. Buchanan's class-6:00 pm



February 2020

Wattles Elementary Breakfast

THURSDAY FRIDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY MONDAY 5 6 7 3 Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Raspberry Rainbow Yogurt Cereal, Granola, 1.25 oz Berry Mini French Toast Banana Chocolate Chunk BeneFIT Bar Blueberry Muffin
 Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheerios Sides for All Meals Sides for All Meals Sides for All Meals Fresh Ranana Sides for All Meals Raisins Cheese Assorted Fruit Juice · Fresh Orange Apple Juice · Sliced Fresh Apples Sides for All Meals Assorted Fruit Juice Assorted Fruit Juice
 Chilled Peaches Assorted Fruit Juice 13 14 12 10 11 Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Cinnamon Toast Crunch Mini Maple Madness Waffles Cocoa Puffs Cereal Muffin, Apple Cinnamon, Mini Cinnis Sides for All Meals Cereal Sides for All Meals Sides for All Meals Whole Grain, IW, 1.8 oz Sides for All Meals Rosy Applesauce Fresh Banana Chilled Peaches Low Fat Mozzarella String Fresh Banana
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Cocoa Puffs Cereal Bar Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Main Entrees Apple Frudel Apple Jacks
 Sides for All Meals · Blueberry Bash Waffles Pancakes Sides for All Meals Sides for All Meals Sides for All Meals Sides for All Meals Assorted Fruit Juice Fruit Cocktail w/ Strawberries - Assorted Fruit Juice Fresh Orange Assorted Fruit Juice Assorted Fruit Juice Chilled Peaches Fresh Banana Assorted Fruit Juice Chilled Diced Pears

Menus Subject to Change We try our best to serve our menus as posted; however, sometimes last minute changes occur. Please check with the cafe manager prior to the meal if you have any concerns.

More Details: troysd.nutrislice.com/menu/wattles-elementary/breakfast/ Layout, design & Details: Code & Details: Nutrislice, Inc. Private and non-commercial uses permitted.

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February Elementary Lunch Menu



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3.Breaded Chicken Drumstick Baked Beans 2.Cheese Quesadilla Salsa 3.Chicken & Mozzarella Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Celery Sticks Sliced Cucumbers Fresh Golden Delicious Apple Fresh Orange Wedges	1. Classic American Cheeseburger/Hamburger Oven Baked Curly Fries 2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce Oven Baked Curly Fries 3. Chicken and Cheese Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Carrots Salad Topped w/ Chickpeas & Cheese Fresh Banana Diced Melon	5 1/2 Day Early Release	1.Chicken Nuggets Seasoned Zucchini 2.Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce 3.Mixed Greens Salad with Cheese Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Broccoli Florets Salad Topped w/ Chickpeas & Cheese Pineapple Rosy Applesauce	1.Whole Grain French Toas Sticks Hash Brown Patty 2.Muffin & Goldfish Fun Lun 3.Grilled Chicken Caesar Sal Whole Grain Dinner Roll Sliced Cucumbers Lettuce & Tomato Side Sala Blueberries Fresh Pear
10 1.Crispy Chicken Breast Sandwich Seasoned Corn 2.Soy Butter & Grape Jelly Sandwich 1.Popcorn Chicken & Romaine Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Celery Sticks Galad Topped w/ Chickpeas & Cheese Fresh Golden Delicious Apple Fresh Orange Wedges	1. Turkey Taco Meat Mexican Style Refried Beans Soft Flour Tortilla 2. Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce 3. Mixed Greens Salad with Cheese Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Carrots Silced Cucumbers Fresh Banana Diced Melon	1.Classic Cheese Pizza 2.Classic Pepperoni Pizza 3. Turkey Taco Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Cherry Tomatoes Salad Topped w/ Chickpeas & Cheese Fresh Red Seedless Grapes Blueberries	1.Macaroni & Cheese Savory Green Beans 2.Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce 3,Chicken and Cheese Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Broccoll Florets Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Pineapple Rosy Applesauce	1.Whole Grain Waffles Turkey Sausage Patty 2.Muffin & Granola Fun Lune 3.Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Sliced Cucumbers Salad Topped w/ Chickpeas Cheese Blueberries Fresh Pear
NO School Mid-Winter Break	NO School Mid-Winter Break	1. Classic Cheese Pizza 2. Classic Pepperoni Pizza 3. Turkey Taco Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Cherry Tomatoes Lettuce & Tomato Side Salad Fresh Red Seedless Grapes Blueberries	1.Turkey Hot Dog Seasoned Fries 2.Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce 3.Ham & Cheddar Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Broccoli Florets Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Pineapple Rosy Applesauce	1.Pancakes Turkey Sausage Patty Hash Brown Patty 2.Muffin & Goldfish Fun Lun 3.Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Sliced Cucumbers Salad Topped w/ Chickpeas Cheese Blueberries Fresh Pear
1.Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes Chicken Gravy 2.Soy Butter & Grape Jelly Sandwich 3.Monterey Chicken Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Celery Sticks alad Topped w/ Chickpeas & Cheese Fresh Golden Delicious Apple	1.Turkey Nachos Mexican Style Refried Beans 2.Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce 3.Chicken and Cheese Chef Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Carrots Sliced Cucumbers Fresh Banana Dicad Watermelon	26 1/2 Day Early Release	1.Turkey Corn Dog Tater Tots 2.Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce 3.Mixed Greens Salad with Cheese Whole Grain Dinner Roll Fresh Broccoli Florets Red and Green Bell Pepper Strips Pineapple Rosy Applesauce	1.Cheese Tortellini Alfredo Garlic Breadstick Roasted Broccoli 2. Turkey, Turkey Ham, & Cheese Sub 3.Chicken Caesar Salad Whole Grain Dinner Roll Sliced Cucumbers Salad Topped w/ Chickpeas Cheese Blueberries Fresh Pear

Milk choice include 1% White and 1% Chocolate. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

* Menu subject to change

Reduced Lunch Price \$0.40 Free and reduced applications available at your school office or call the food service office @1-248-823-5089 A la Carte Prices: Milk- \$.35 Juice- \$.50

Join us as the Troy School District prepares for KINDERGARTEN Enrollment



The Troy School District is beginning to identify Kindergarten students for the 2020-21 school year. If you have a child who will be five years old on or before September 1, 2020* please call the Wattles office at 248-823-3400 to place your child on our incoming Kindergarten list.

Important information and procedures for your child's enrollment process will be sent via US Mail to your home in early January. Beginning Monday, January 27th, Central Enrollment Staff will begin meeting with all incoming kindergarten parents to complete the enrollment process for your student at:

CENTRAL ENROLLMENT

Troy School District

Administration Building

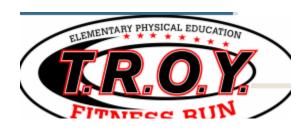
4400 Livernois, Troy, MI 48098 248.823.4002/4004

Please log in to the Troy School District website in early January for additional Enrollment Information and Procedures

http://www.troy.k12.mi.us



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WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

.The T.R.O.Y Fitness Run is a culminating event for our Troy fifth graders. For many years, they have been working hard on the T.R.O.Y Fitness Test which includes jogging, jump roping, sit and reach, plank and flexed arm hang. Students try to improve their own scores by moving up in levels. They are not competing against others just themselves.

This event offers the students an opportunity to push themselves. Some students run to try to win a medal while others run/walk to have a good time with their friends. We want to spark a love for lifelong fitness and hopefully this race does that for your child!

Here are some details that you will need to know about the run:

Saturday, May 16th at 9:15 a.m.

2 mile run/walk

All Troy 5th graders are invited to participate

Location is at Boulan Park and Boulan Middle School

Cost is \$5

Register online you can click on the link below.

Participants receive t-shirt, race bib with timing device and food after the race Top ten boys and top ten girls win a medal

School with the largest percentage of participants wins a trophy that they will keep for the year.

School with the 8 fastest students will win a trophy that they will keep for the year.

Register starting in February

Hiring Bus Drivers - First Student - Troy School District

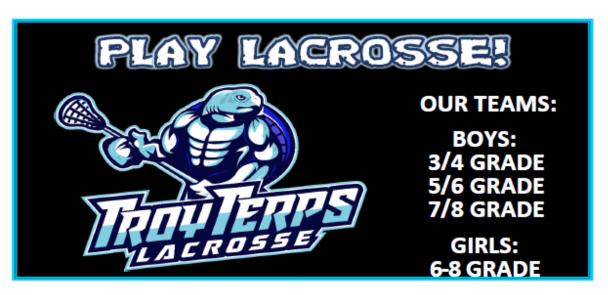
Imagine a job that you can fit around your other commitments. First Student offers flexible hours, time off during school holidays and opportunities to drive for field trips that your children or grandchildren take during the school year.

- Up to \$2000 Sign Bonus!
- \$17.50/HR Starting Wage. More with Experience
- · Free CDL Training!
- Guaranteed at least 20 hours a week!
- 7 Paid Holidays!

Interested applicants can apply at the Troy School District Transportation Office located at 120 Hart St, Troy, MI 48098 between the hours of 7:00 am and 4:00 pm or contact us at **248-823-4054**.

	WATTLES – WINTER ENRICHMENT CLASSES				
6202- 20W05	Snapology- Minecraft Basic (Grades K-2)	1/13/2020 - 3/16/2020 3:40 PM - 4:55 PM	Media, Wattles	Fee \$120.00	
6055- 20W11	Cheer/Dance/Pom	1/15/2020 - 4/1/2020 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM	Gym, Wattles	Fee \$99.00	
6203- 20W06	Snapology-Space Wars Robotics (Grades 2-5)	1/16/2020 - 3/5/2020 3:40 PM - 4:55 PM	Media, Wattles	Fee \$132.00	
6290- 20W11	Basketball Skills	1/16/2020 - 2/20/2020 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM	Gym, Wattles	Fee \$74.00	
6510- 20W12	Golf Lessons (grades K-5)	1/21/2020 - 3/17/2020 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM	Gym, Wattles	Fee \$159.00	
6051- 20W12	Chess Wizards- Strategies for Life!	1/24/2020 - 3/20/2020 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM	Media, Wattles	Fee \$172.00	
6214- 20W12	Drawing with Young Rembrandts	1/24/2020 - 3/13/2020 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM	Art, Wattles	Fee \$121.00	
6521- 20W07	Little Medical School - Heart, Lungs & Digestion	1/29/2020 - 3/18/2020 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM	Art, Wattles	Fee \$100.00	
6518- 20W11	Soccer Skills (grades K-5)	3/5/2020 - 3/26/2020 3:40 PM -	Outdoors/Gym, Wattles	Fee \$37.00	

4:40 PM



IT'S OK IF YOU DO NOT HAVE EXPERIENCE!
OUR GREAT COACHES WILL TEACH YOU HOW TO PLAY.

THE SEASON RUNS FROM FEBRUARY THROUGH THE BEGINNING OF JUNE AND WILL MEET 3-5 DAYS PER WEEK.

JOIN US AT OUR PLAYER/PARENT INFORMATIONAL MEETING TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2020 BAKER MS CAFETERIA AT 7:00PM

LEARN MORE AND CONTACT COACHES AT TROYTERPSLACROSSE.WEEBLY.COM
OR EMAIL: TROYTERPSLAX@GMAIL.COM

SCAN THE QR CODE TO CONNECT NOW!

OUR TEAMS AND COST TO PLAY:

3/4 GRADE BOYS - \$265

5/6 GRADE BOYS - \$350

7/8 GRADE BOYS - \$350

6-8 GRADE GIRLS - \$265



