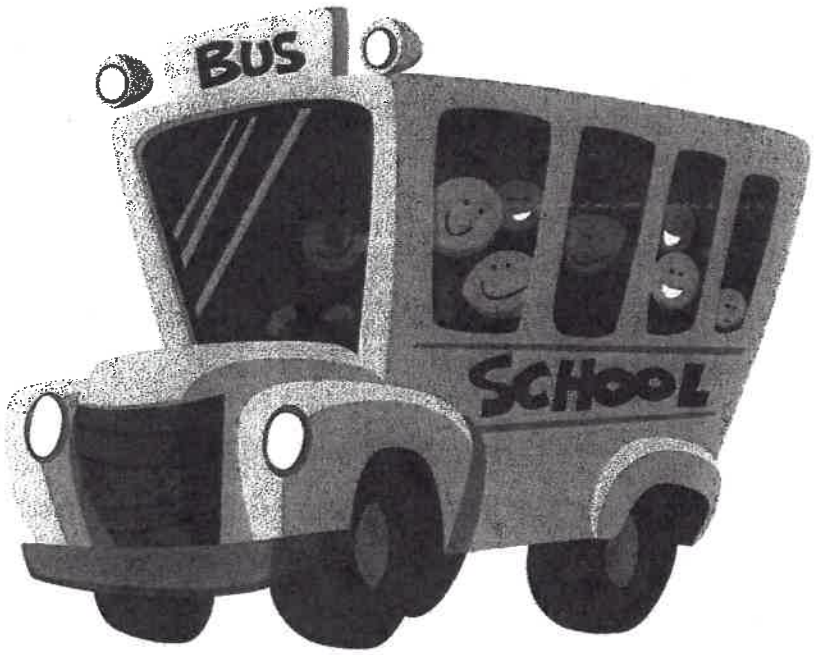
2026-2027

Patrol Member's Handbook

Name



Read carefully before your first week. Then keep this packet in your binders for future references. Don't forget to share it with your parents.

Welcome to the Safety Patrol Program

Patrol Members and Parents,

Congratulations on joining the 2026-2027 Safety Patrol squad at Wilder Elementary. I am glad you are here. Here is your patrol member's handbook for the year. Please read it over carefully so that you are aware of your responsibilities as a member of the Wilder Elementary Safety Patrol. Make sure you keep it in a safe place for future references.

During your week of patrol, you are expected to show up at 8:25 am if you are a morning patroller or 3:10 pm if you are an afternoon patroller. The check-in chart and equipment will be in my room, 126. Please enter quietly.

I am very excited to start a new year, and I am glad to have you as a member of the safety patrol program. You provide an important service here at Wilder and I look forward to working with you.

***Important Notice**: *Please remember that as a member of patrol, it is expected that you model good behavior, be on time, and perform your duties safely. If you cannot follow these expectations, you will be relieved of your patrol duties. You are allowed a total of 3 infractions. This could be one, or a combination of the following. (Unexcused absences, behavior issues, bus tickets, missed meetings, or consistently being late for your duty.)*

If you need to contact me, please email me or call the school:

Mrs. Harewood
Wilder Safety Patrol Coordinator
rharewood@lwsd.org
425-936-2740

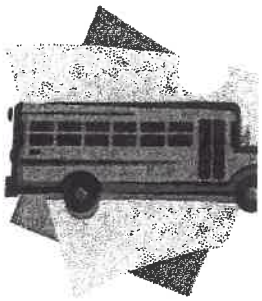
Patrol Members Expectations

All members are expected to:

- Be on time.
- Make sure you sign in each day.
- Dress appropriately for the weather (if it is raining, I expect you to be wearing a waterproof jacket and a hat/hood)
- Perform your job without distraction from friends.
- Be polite to everyone.
- Direct students…not traffic
- Know the emergency procedures.
- Wear your vest and keep it fastened (you need to be visible)
- Always exhibit good behaviors.
- Take care of the equipment
- Be respectful of others.
- Remember… your job is to help others make wise choices. (**YOU** must do the same. Lead by example.)

*****If you are going to be absent during your patrol week find a sub in advance. Also, remember to let Mrs. Harewood know and give the name of your sub.

- Have fun being a leader.



When does my 1st week of patrol begin?

Here is your first squad week assignment for the 2024-2025 school year. Please check the squad assignment sheet for your name and the squad you are assigned to this year. Then look below to find out when your squad is on for the first time.

Squad one will begin on Monday, Sept. 21-25
Squad two will begin Sept. 28-Oct. 2.

Welcome to Safety Patrol. I am looking forward to working with you.

Wilder Safety Patrol Coordinator

Mrs. Harewood
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Patrol Meetings Schedule for 2026-2027

Mark your calendars! I have set our meeting dates schedule for the year. Put these dates on your calendar and be sure that you attend all meetings. The date for each meeting is listed below. Be sure to put them on your calendar! If you need to miss a meeting, please talk to me before the meeting. This includes being out of town during a scheduled meeting. Be responsible and plan ahead. You also need to make arrangements to get the information you missed. If you are sick and cannot make the meeting, be sure to email me. It is your responsibility to find a sub if you are not able to be at your weekly post when scheduled.

Meeting dates for 2026-2027:

*Friday, September 11, 2026: Information meeting and permission forms, 8:00 in room 126.

*Friday September 18, 2026: Training and squad assignments, 8:00 in room 126.

Note: All of the following meetings will be held in room 126 at 8:00am.

* Wednesday, October 28, 2026
* Wednesday, December 16, 2026
* Wednesday, February 3, 2027
* Wednesday, April 7, 2027
* Wednesday, May 26, 2027

Patrol Schedule: 2024-2025

You must let Mrs. Harewood know if you are going to miss patrol.

Sept. 21-25	Squad 1
Sept. 28-Oct. 2	Squad 2
Oct. 5-9	Squad 1
Oct. 12-16	Squad 2 (no school Oct. 16th)
Oct. 19-23	Squad 1
Oct. 26-30	Squad 2
Nov. 2-6	Squad 1
Nov. 9-13	Squad 2 (no school Nov. 11th)
Nov. 16-20	Squad 1
Nov. 23-27	Squad 2 (No school Nov. 25th & 27th Thanksgiving Break)
Nov. 30-Dec. 4	Squad 1
Dec. 7-11	Squad 2
Dec 14-18	Squad 1
Jan. 4-8	Squad 2
Jan. 11-15	Squad 1
Jan. 18-22	Squad 2 (No school Jan. 18th)
Jan. 25-29	Squad 1
Feb. 1-5	Squad 2
Feb. 8-12	Squad 1 (no school Feb. 11th & 12th)
Feb. 15-19	Squad 2 (no school Feb. 15th)
Feb. 22-26	Squad 1
Mar. 1-5	Squad 2
March 8-12	Squad 1 (no school Mar. 12th)
March 15-19	Squad 2
March 22-26	Squad 1
Mar 29-April 2	Squad 2
April 5-9	Squad 1
April 19-23	Squad 2
April 26-30	Squad 1
May 3-7	Squad 2
May 10-14	Squad 1
May 17-21	Squad 2
May 24-28	Squad 1 (no school May 28th)
May 31-June 4	Squad 2 (no school May 31st)
June 7-11	Squad 1
June 14-16	Squad 2 (June 16th last day of school)

Squad Assignments 2026-2027

Squad 1	Squad 2	Squad 3
AM	AM	AM
* Mallory Payne	*Dinili Ekanayake	
*Hollis Weins	Hirun Ekanayake	
William Gentry	Cade Hofmann	
Hridyaa Gupta	Ireland Maloney	
Kai Hubble	Auntrell Simpson	
Samved Jakatdar		
PM	PM	PM
Jackson Ennis		
Lushi Hoffman		

Patrol Jobs (positions)

Crosswalk (mornings and afternoons)

- Stand back one full step from the curb (this is behind the yellow line on both sides)
- Watch for natural gaps in traffic.
- Extend the flag at a 45-degree angle with the word "STOP" level with the ground so that drivers can easily read it. You and your partner should be on opposite sides of the lane so that walkers can cross between you.
- Always communicate with your partner before stepping onto the road. "Walkers."
- Say "ready…walk" when you are ready for people to cross.
- Always be Alert

After pedestrians have crossed the road…

- Lower the flag and walk ***backwards*** out of the street without turning your back to the traffic. Then, return to resting position (behind the yellow line with your flag in resting position))
- Your feet should be completely on the sidewalk at all times when you are not crossing walkers (not in the road).
- Remember that your flag is not used to direct traffic or as a twirling stick.
- Report any unsafe acts.
- Stay in position until you are dismissed by the adult you are working with.
- **There will always be an adult working with you. If you have any problems talk to the adult in charge!**

Morning Buses and Classroom Supervision

- 2 patrollers in the bus area to help direct traffic or walking younger students to their lines.
- 2 students at the kindergarten and 1st grade line up positions.
- Always be polite.
- Make sure students are keeping their hands, feet, backpacks, and other items to themselves.
- Always ask, never tell.
- **Never** touch a student to get them to listen to you or do what you say.
- Cooperate with adults.
- Remember, if you are having a problem with a student, refer that student to the adult in charge or let the teacher know when he or she comes for the class.
- Avoid talking with friends or siblings while you are on duty.
- Stay in your position until the teacher comes.
- Return to my room to fold and leave vests in the bin. Then get your backpacks.
- Go directly to class.
- If you are assigned flag salute, go to the office right away.

Buses (afternoon)

- Arrive in my classroom by 3:10, sign in, grab a vest, and head to your position.
- Two students at crosswalk. Check the sign in to see where you are.
- Assist me in making sure all students who are riding the bus are on the buses in a timely fashion.
- Remind students to walk (this is most important, and you need to use a strong voice).
- Help students find the correct bus if necessary.
- Make sure all walkways to the buses are clear before I dismiss buses.
- Stay in position until you are dismissed by me or another adult.
- Be visible so others can see you.
- Avoid talking with friends or siblings when you are working.

Squad One Patrol Schedule
for the weeks of:

Sept. 25-29, Oct. 16-19, Nov. 6-9, Nov. 27-Dec. 1, Jan.2-5, Jan. 22-26, Feb. 12-14, Mar. 4-8, Mar. 25-29, Apr. 22-26, May 13-17, June 3-7

Flag Salute will be a shared responsibility amongst fourth and fifth graders.

Squad One-a.m.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
*5 John Blue	CW JB	CW	CW	CW	CW
5- Jack Purple	CW	CW	CW	CW	CW
5- Scarlett Red	C	C	C	C	C
5- Tanya Green	C	C	C	C	C
5- Mark Brown	B	B	B	B	B
4- Gary Gray	B	B	B	B	B
Squad One-p.m.					
*5- Dan White	CW	CW	CW	CW	CW
4- Oliver Black	B	B	B	B	B
4- Robin Orange	CW	CW	CW	CW	CW

Remember to initial by your name. Do not make any changes to the schedule without talking with Mrs. Harewood.

CW-Crosswalk **C-Classrooms** **B-Buses**

Remember to return all materials neatly. Place flags in the container provided.