

## Wildcats Newsletter

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## It's a note from the principal ...

Dear Werner Community,

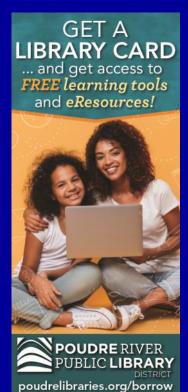
As we enter November, I want to share how grateful I am for the community we have. The support of our parents, the care of our teachers, and the joy our students bring each day makes our school the best. Thanks for all you do to make our school a great place to be!

Coming up this month, we have opportunities to serve others and to celebrate community some more. From our Meals that Matter to the Turkey Roundup, we have the opportunity to help support others with food insecurity in our community. We also have the opportunity to celebrate our community with our Donuts with Grownups. Look for more details to come soon for this great event on November 9-10.

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## **Coming up in November:**

Werner Calendar

**Note From The Principal** 

- Nov. 3- Werner Fun Run 2022 (Time TBD)
- Nov. 9 & 10- Donuts with Grownups, 7:45-8:30 am, Werner Gym/ Flex Room
- Nov. 10- PTA Meeting, 6-9 PM, at Board and Brush (see flyer)
- Nov. 11- NO SCHOOL, Staff Work Day
- Nov. 17- Turkey Roundup, Morning Drop-off
- Nov. 21-25- NO SCHOOL, Fall Break
- Nov. 28-Dec. 1- Book Fair, Media Center

Thanks, again, for making Werner a great place to be! Best regards,

Hayden



### **CANS Around the Oval**

Hello Wildcats,

With your support, Werner was able to donate \$560.50 and 502.7 pounds of food to Larimer County Food Bank through the CSU tradition of C.A.N.S. Around the Oval!

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Thank you!

Werner Student Council and Kindness Club



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### **Counseling Corner**

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I wanted parents to know about a free seminar from one of my favorite parenting/guardian site. Please see below for information and how to sign

Need Solutions? Call 800-338-4065



In this event we'll talk about the key to becoming a more effective parent.

And to raising responsible, emotionally stable, successful kids.

It starts with BRAIN HEALTH





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## **Counseling Corner**

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Have you ever known a parent who just doesn't get it?

The kind of parent who continually makes the same mistakes over and over?

Maybe they're too domineering...

Maybe they're more interested in being their child's friend than in being their parent...

Or maybe they set a bad example...

It can make you wonder, What were they thinking?

Maybe it's your spouse who wants to be a great parent but keeps tripping up and creating unnecessary drama in the family.

Or maybe it's you.

What is it that is keeping you—or someone you know—from being the kind of parent you want to be?

It all starts in the BRAIN!

This event will introduce you to:

- Why your effectiveness as a parent depends on your brain
- Everyday habits that hurt the brain, and simple strategies that boost the brain
- How to take advantage of our proven Brain-Psychology approach
- The 4 Circles of Parenting Success
- Why it's never too late to start boosting brain health

Reserve your spot and join us on Thursday, November 3, 2022 - 10am / 2pm / 5pm PT

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## **Supporting our Schools**





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Go to site below and sign up:

https://courses.loveandlogic.com/healthy-brains-nov-2022? utm\_campaign=nov\_event&utm\_medium=love\_logic&utm\_source=email&utm\_term=healthy\_brain

It is already that time of year for giving, and Werner wants to make sure all families have needed food and essentials. If you would like to give to Meals that Matter, please send a check, cash, or gift card with your student on or before November 10<sup>th</sup>. We will attach the monetary gift to a Turkey to give to families the week of November 14<sup>th</sup>. Please do not feel obligated and if your family is in need, please contact Julie Flemister

(<u>iflemist@psdschools.org</u>) or Jenny Whetsell (<u>iwhetsel@psdschools.org</u>). Everything is confidential and we are internally grateful for all the donations. Please note, we will be asking again for monetary or gift card donations again in December for the Werner Giving Tree.

Kindergarten is learning about RESILIENCY and how to keep calm even during difficult times. First and second graders are learning how to calm their brains when they are upset, and the 3 parts of the brain related to feelings. Please talk to your student(s) about how you calm your brain when you are feeling frustrated or sad. We talk about the more you practice calming your brain, the faster we can solve problems, learn, and build better friendships.

Third grade is continuing with Conflict Resolution and what to do with a conflict. We have been exploring how conflict is normal and how it can be healthy. We also have had many discussions about the difference between normal peer conflict and bullying. Fourth graders are building skills on how to deal with conflict, build resiliency and keeping our brain calm during these times. Fifth grades are learning about bully-proofing and conflict resolution. Please ask your 5<sup>th</sup> grade about tools for stopping mean people or bullies.

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November is a time to give thanks and I rely a lot on Love and Logic for home and work for their thankful wisdom. The following was taken from an email from Dr. Charles Fay.

How Can We Teach Our Kids Selflessness?

In honor of the self-sacrifice of veterans and their families, it seems appropriate to consider how we can instill these values in our children. When we do, they benefit and so does our world. It's a win-win deal!

#### Teach them to serve you and their family

Are your kids working hard to serve you... or are you doing all of the work? Children should not be treated as slaves. They should, however, be expected to do their fair share of work around the house... so they don't believe their parents are slaves.

### Expect tangible mini acts of service

There's a "train" at Denver International Airport that shuttles passengers from the main terminal to the various airline concourses. It's almost always the same scene: The seats are filled with children, teens, and young adults, while older... even elderly people... are forced to stand.

Is there something wrong with this picture?

#### Allow boredom

Too many of us feel compelled to entertain our kids anytime they experience a bit of dullness. Can you see the connection between doing so and them believing they are the center of the universe? Is it good for kids to be occasionally bored while you shop, while you have a conversation with someone, while you wait in line, or while you spend a quiet weekend at home?

### Limit exposure to popular media

A steady, unsupervised diet of on-screen narcissism and negativity is certain to make our job of raising selfless kids much harder.

#### Community service... as a privilege not a punishment

Great parents occasionally say things like, "This is great! Today we get to go over to the nursing home on Elm Street and read to seniors who can't see well enough to read for themselves." Or they say, "The park is trashed. It's going to feel so good to help out by cleaning it up!"

Great parents also ignore complaining and eye rolling as they load the family into the car. Just like most things that are good for them, kids often need a bit of prodding to realize how good it feels to help. A friend of mine commented, "They hated it at first. Now they love it. It's become a real family bonding opportunity."

In honor of our veterans and their families, can we give some careful thought to how we might raise young people who understand selflessness... and the fact that the best way to feel good about oneself is to serve?

-Dr. Charles Fav

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Mark your calendars! The Book Fair is returning November 29<sup>th</sup>- December 1<sup>st</sup>. Look for more information coming soon.

### **Meals That Matter**

Thanksgiving and all of its delicious celebrations and traditions are right around the corner. Keeping with tradition, Werner is collecting monetary donations for our 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Meals That Matter program. With your contribution, Meals That Matter will provide Werner families in need of a little extra help this season with a grocery gift card and a frozen turkey (courtesy of the Larimer County Food Bank) to ensure all families can celebrate this special time of year. Please consider donating any amount to support this important program for our friends and neighbors.

Donations will be collected in the front office through November 11 and can be made via cash, check, or PayPal <a href="https://www.paypal.com/donate?">https://www.paypal.com/donate?</a> <a href="https://www.paypal.com/donate?">hosted button id=EESPSETKRWW9E</a>

Checks should be made payable to Werner Elementary PTA. Please include "Meals That Matter" on your check or envelope.

For questions, please contact Kathy Green at (970) 631-2688.

THANKS FOR GIVING!



# It is time for Werner's 13th Annual MEALS THAT MATTER

## Community Service Project

Let's come together to provide the means for a Thanksgiving meal for families in our own community!

This year we are once again collecting MONETARY DONATIONS only. We will distribute those funds via grocery gift cards to our families along with a frozen turkey provided by the Larimer County Food Bank.

Please consider donating any amount you can contribute by CASH or CHECK to the Werner Office by Friday November 11th, 2022. All checks should be made out to Werner Elementary PTA. Please write "Meals That Matter" on your check or envelope.

If you would like to donate using your credit or debit card please visit the link <a href="https://www.paypal.com/donate?hosted">https://www.paypal.com/donate?hosted</a> button id=EESPSETKRWW9E

For questions, please contact Kathy Green at (970) 631-2688.

If you feel like your family could benefit from Meals that Matter, please contact our School Counselor, Julie Flemister, at jflemist@psdschools.org

## THANKS FOR GIVING!

Please note, we will be asking again for monetary or gift donations again in December for the Werner Giving Tree.

## DONUT LOVERS WANTED

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR DONUTS W/GROWN-UPS

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WERNER PTA
INVITES YOU TO:







WED. 11/9 A-M THURS. 11/10 N-Z 7:45-8:30AM IN CAFETERIA



CHILDREN CAN INVITE ONE GROWN-UP TO ENJOY A DONUT WITH BEFORE SCHOOL.







# **TOUR de TURKEY**

Round Up!

**EVERYONE** in **OUR COMMUNITY** deserves *HEARTY HOLIDAY MEALS* 



Release the Frozen Turkeys, Tofurkeys, Hams or Chickens!

The Turkey Round Up is one of our favorite community events and is needed this year more than ever. So, grab a frozen turkey or two and denote for your school.

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# Thursday, Nov. 17



Drop off turkey at front entry sign during morning drop-off (8:30-8:50 am)





## What's Happening at Werner

















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## November 2022

THESDAY

## Werner Elementary

EDIDAY

### Breakfast

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	WGR Pumpkin Bread or Seasonal Loaf Bread     Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety     Assorted Coreal     Assorted Coreal     Assorted Truit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	Whole Grain Waffle, Maple     Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety     Assorted Cereal     Assortment of Fruit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	Yogurt Parfait     Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety     Assorted Cereal     Assortment of Fruit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	Egg Scramble with Tortilla     Mulfin Assorted & Yogurt Variety     Assorted Cereal     Assorted Truit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice
Breakfast Sausage Pizza     Assorted Muffins     Assorted Cereal     Assorted Truit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	Mini Crimemon Rolls     Assorted Muffins     Assorted Cereal     Assortment of Fruit     Milk Veriety     Assorted Juice	Pancoke & Sausage Wrap Assorted Muffins Assorted Cereal Assortment of Fruit Milk Variety Assorted Juice	Breakfast Round     Assorted Muffins     Assorted Cereal     Assortment of Fruit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	School
Egg Scramble with Tortilla  Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety  Assorted Cereal  Assortent of Fruit  Milk Variety  Assorted Juice	Whole Grain Waffle, Maple     Muffin Assorted & Yogurt     Variety     Assorted Cereal     Assortent of Fruit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	Breakfest Sousage Pizza     Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety     Assorted Cereal     Assortment of Fruit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	Yogurt Parfeit     Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety     Assorted Cereal     Assortment of Fruit     Milk Variety     Assorted Juice	Mini Cinnemon Rolls     Mutfin Assorbed & Yogurt Variety     Assorbed Cereal     Assorbed Truit     Milk Variety     Assorbed Juice
HAVE A GOOD Fall break	No School Today	No School Today	Happy 6	No School Today

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- WG Seasonal Loaf Bread
- Assorted Muttins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- · Assorted Juice

### 29

- Breekfast Sausage Ptzza
   Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Veriety
- Assorted Juice

### 30

- Mini Cinnamon Rolls
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- · Assortment of Fruit
- · Milk Variety
- · Asserted Juice



## November 2022

### Werner Elementary

Lunch

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY Food Offered Daily: Hamburger & Cheeseburger Astan Tertyaki Chicken & Rice -Beef Taco & Rice Cheese Pizza Solad Bor Chicken Patty Sandwich Mac & Cheese Moat Lovers Pizza Chicken Strips Fruit Salad Cold Delt Meat & Goldfish Dell Sandwich Cold Delt Meat & Goldfish Chef Salad & Roll Asserted Salad Dressings Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Whole Wheat Dinner Roll ColdDelt Yogurt & Goldfish or . ColdDelt Yogurt & Goldfish or ColdDelt Yogurt & Goldfish or ColdDelt Yogurt & Goldfish or Chocolate Milk Pretzels Pretzels Pretzels Pretzels Milk fat free Green Beans Steamed Veggles Black Beans Peas Milk low fat 1% **Nugget Dipping Sauces**  Assorted Italian Condiments Assorted Condiments Mexican Condiments-ELEM 7 8 9 10 i Lasagna with Veggles Cheese Calzone & Marinara Meatball Sandwich Orange Chicken & Rice Chicken Burrito Hot Dog Chicken Drumstick & Roll Fish Filet Cold Delt Meat & Roll Cold Delt Meat & Roll Dell Sandwich Delt Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich School Cold Delt Yogurt & Roll Green Beans Steamed Broccolt Refried Beans Assorted Italian Condiments Mexican Condiments-ELEM 14 15 16 18 17 Chicken Nuggets Pork Chop Sandwich Chicken Tacos & Rice Cheese Ptzza Astam noodle & Meatball Cheese Raviol & Roll Mac & Cheese Chicken Patty Sandwich Cheese Calzone & Marinara Pizza Bites Cold Delt Meat & Pretzels Cold Delt Meat & Pretzels Delt Sandwich Cold Delt Meat & Pretzels Chicken Caesar Wrap Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Pb&J Sandwich Cold Delt Yogurt & Pretzel or Cold Delt Yogurt & Pretzel or . Cold Delt Yogurt & Pretzel or . Cold Delt Yogurt & Pretzel or Cold Delt Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish Pb&J Sandwich Goldfish Goldfish Goldfish Goldfish Steamed Broccolt Green Beans Steamed Veggles Black Boans · Peas Assorted Italian Condiments . Assorted Italian Condiments Mexican Condiments- ELEM . Assorted Italian Condiments Nugget Dipping Sauces

No School Today

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No School Today



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- Chicken Alfredo Cheese Calzone & Marinara
- Turkey or Ham & Cheese
- Sandwich ColdDelt Yogurt & Goldfish or
- Pretzels
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Green Beans
- Assorted Italian Condiments Steamed Broccoli
- Tomato Soup & Grilled
- Turkey or Ham & Cheese
- Sandwich

- Pb&J Sandwich



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Hamburger & Cheeseburger

Fish Sticks

Cold Delt Meat & Goldfish

ColdDelt Yogurt & Goldfish or Pretzels:

Pb&J Sandwich

Steamed Carrets

Orange Chicken & Rice

Cheese

ColdDell Yogurt & Goldfish or

Pretzels