



The Week @ Wyland

December 9, 2021

Dr. Laurie Tocci

2021 Holiday Concerts

We are excited to be able to host face-to-face concerts this year. Because our **4th and 5th Grade Chorus and Beginner Band Concert** involves so many students, we will follow these mitigation strategies.

- All audience members must wear masks.
- We encourage families to sit together.
- Where possible, audience chairs will be set up so there is more space between the rows.
- Chorus Members should arrive at 6:50 PM.
- Parents of children who only participate in Beginning Band are asked to arrive at 7:15 PM.
- Chorus-only families will be asked to leave at the end of their performance.
- Due to the limited seating capacity at some of our venues, we ask that families consider limiting the number of family members attending if possible. This will help us accommodate all of our families.

I know that you are anxious to get back into the school and see the performances. I want to be sure we are creating the safest situation possible. If you are not feeling well, please refrain from attending. Safety continues to be a priority.

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Common Sense Media

<https://www.common sense media.org/>

Student usage of the Internet will increase over the break. Please sign up and use this resource to help children make safe choices!

Monday, December 13

*Wear Your Sweats Day!

*Learning Lab (3:30-4:30 PM)

*Elementary Orchestra Combined Rehearsal
HMS (4:00-5:30 PM)

Tuesday, December 14

*Ugly Sweater Day!

*Learning Lab (3:30-4:30 PM)

*Intramural Games Club (3:30-4:40 PM)

*Pawsitive Helping Hands Club (3:30-4:30 PM)

*Elementary Orchestra Concert
HMS(7:00 PM)

Wednesday, December 15

*Be the Kind Kid/Blue & Gold Day!

*Learning Lab (3:30-4:30 PM)

Thursday, December 16

*Howell's Pals T-Shirt Day!

*4th Grade Full Band Rehearsal (2:25 PM)

*Learning Lab (3:30-4:30 PM)

*Grades 4-5 Chorus & Beginning Band Concert
Multipurpose Room (7:00 PM)

Friday, December 17

*Festive Wear Day!

Future Dates:

Dec. 21 Holiday Parties

Early Dismissal (1:45 PM)

Dec. 22-31 Winter Break!

Flyers this Week:



Wyland Flyers:

- Covid-19 Vaccine Clinic
- Wyland PTO Adopt-a-Family Program
- Basketball Cheerleading Clinic
- 2022 SaveAround Coupon Books
- Mabel's Labels PTO Fundraiser
- Metz Food Service
- Children's Health Insurance (CHIP)

My Student is Vaccinated...

Now that children have the opportunity to be vaccinated against COVID-19, if your child is identified as a close contact, the school nurse will ask if they are fully vaccinated. Close contacts who are fully vaccinated are not required to quarantine, but do need to be closely monitored for symptoms.

If your child is vaccinated and you would like to provide documentation to the school nurse, you may do so by sending in a copy of the completed vaccination card.

Covid-19 Symptom Checklist

You can find the updated Covid-19 symptom checklist [here](#).

Please contact Dawn Gunnett, our Health Office Nurse, with any questions.
dawn.gunnett@ht-sd.org or 412-492-6347

Water Bottles!

Our water fountains are currently inactive. Please remember to send your child with a refillable water bottle!

Wyland PTO Adopt-a-Family

The Wyland PTO Adopt-A-Family holiday support program is underway. The information is also in the Wyland Flyers.

- To **provide** a gift, gift wrap or gift cards for a family, please email Cody & Katie Ressel at: cody_ressel@yahoo.com to express your interest and to receive more information.



UPMC COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic



When: December 14

Where: Central Elementary School

What: Pfizer, Moderna, J&J Vaccines
1st & 2nd doses and Boosters

Who: Students, Staff, and Community Members age 5+.

To schedule an appointment visit:

<https://forms.office.com/r/WqnxCjBmPb>

Outdoor Recess



The temperatures are dropping! Wyland students will continue to have outdoor recess whenever possible. Generally, it will be outdoor recess as long as the temperatures are a wind chill factor of 20 degrees or above, and it is not raining. Please remember to dress your children according to the weather!

WYLAND PTO UPDATE

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Here is your link to purchase
A Wyland Yearbook!

Deadline is Jan 25, 2022.

Email the PTO with questions or
concerns at wyland.pto@gmail.com

Click to Order

calendar of events

DECEMBER

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|-------|--------------------------------|
| 1 | PTO Meeting @ 7P |
| 6-9 | Holiday Shop* |
| 8 | Grade 5/6 Band Concert |
| 14 | Elem. Orchestra Concert |
| 16 | Chorus / Gr. 4 Band Concert |
| 21 | Winter Holiday Parties* |
| 21 | Early Dismissal (1:45P) |
| 22-31 | No School Winter Break |

*Indicates where there may be volunteer opportunities
if mitigation strategies can be met.

All events are subject to change and/or cancellation.



What to expect in 2022 ...

We will be chatting about:

- Special Guest Breakfast
- Bingo
- Sweetheart Dance
- Playground Enhancement News
- Update to Clearance regulations
- Pasta Dinner
- Gifts Baskets
- And much more ...



Your PTO has compiled a list of your
teachers and staff '**favorite things**'

We wanted to share that list with you
for an opportunity to treat them to a
note or gesture to brighten their day!

We remain so thankful for their
knowledge, kindness, hard work and
patience with our students.

CLICK HERE

WYLAND PTO UPDATE

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Your Next PTO Meeting
WED, JAN 12 @ 7pm

Key Communicator Meeting
No Meeting in Dec. // JAN 24,
2022

Contact the PTO Exec Board
21-22
wyland.pto@gmail.com



Lunch Anyone?

Your Dec and Jan lunch menu
are posted on the Hampton
Schools site.

[Click Here to access quickly!](#)

Makes a great gift! Savearound Coupon Book Sale!

- Valid for places in Allison Park and the surrounding Pittsburgh areas
- These books can make great gift ideas for grandparents, neighbors, aunts & uncles, etc.
- Proceeds from these purchase benefit your PTO to contribute to classroom enhancements.

[Want a preview. click here](#)
[To order. click here](#)



REMINDER ...

Early Dismissal Date
Tue, Dec 21 @ 1:45P

Attendance/Absences

When a student is absent, parents/guardians should call (412) 486-6000 by 9:15 AM to report the reason for absence. An automated call will be sent for all absent students, even those whose parents/guardians have reported the absence. Upon returning to school, the student must bring a written excuse stating the reason for absence or a medical excuse signed by a physician.

School Hours for 2021-2022:

Regular School Day (Doors will open at 8:00 AM)

- Grades 1-5: 8:45 AM -3:30 PM
- AM Kindergarten: 8:45 AM -11:25 AM
- PM Kindergarten: 12:50 PM - 3:30 PM

Note: Students will be marked Tardy after 8:55 AM

Early Dismissal Days:

- Grades 1-5: 8:45 AM -1:45 PM
- AM Kindergarten: 8:45 AM - 10:45 AM
- PM Kindergarten: 11:45 AM - 1:45 PM

2-Hour Delay Days:

- Grades 1-5: 10:45 AM - 3:30 PM
- AM Kindergarten: 10:45 AM - 12:40 PM
- PM Kindergarten: 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM



Early Dismissal Dates: Students are dismissed at 1:45 PM on these dates:

Friday, September 17, 2021

Friday, October 8, 2021

Wednesday, November 24, 2021

Tuesday, December 21, 2021

Friday, January 14, 2022

Thursday, February 17, 2022

Thursday, March 17, 2022

Wednesday, April 13, 2022

Friday, May 13, 2022

Note: If there is a 2-hour delay on an early dismissal day, the early dismissal is canceled and students will follow the 2-hour delay schedule

Other Early Dismissal Dates:

Thursday, November 11: 12:45 PM Dismissal for Parent/Teacher Conferences

Thursday, June 9: 11:45 AM Dismissal

Friday, June 10: 11:45 AM Dismissal (Last day of school)

Communication

Communication Tool	Location
School Calendar	Summer 2021 Mailed Home
The Week@Wyland	https://hwe.ht-sd.org/ <i>Under Featured Information</i>
District Website	http://www.ht-sd.org
PTO Email/Newsletter	wyland.pto@gmail.com
Student Take-Home Folders	In Backpacks
Infinite Campus (Student Management System)	Parent Portal: Links Icon on District Website (www.ht-sd.org) OR https://ht-sd.infinitecampus.org/campus/portal/hampton_township.jsp
Wyland Facebook Account	Search for Laurie Tocci (laurie.tocci.3)
Twitter	@WylandElementa1
Wyland PTO Facebook Page	To protect the privacy of Wyland families, the Wyland PTO Facebook page is private, but any Wyland parent/guardian is invited to join. Contact the Wyland PTO to learn how. (President.WylandPTO@gmail.com)



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