



## Welcome Zoom Participants!!!

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- Set your screen name to your full name so we can take down accurate attendance.
- Make sure your chat window is open.
- Mute your mic.
- If you want to share a question or comment, say so in chat! I will let you know when to unmute and ask your question.
- Let me know if you can't hear, and I can ask the speaker to repeat or speak up

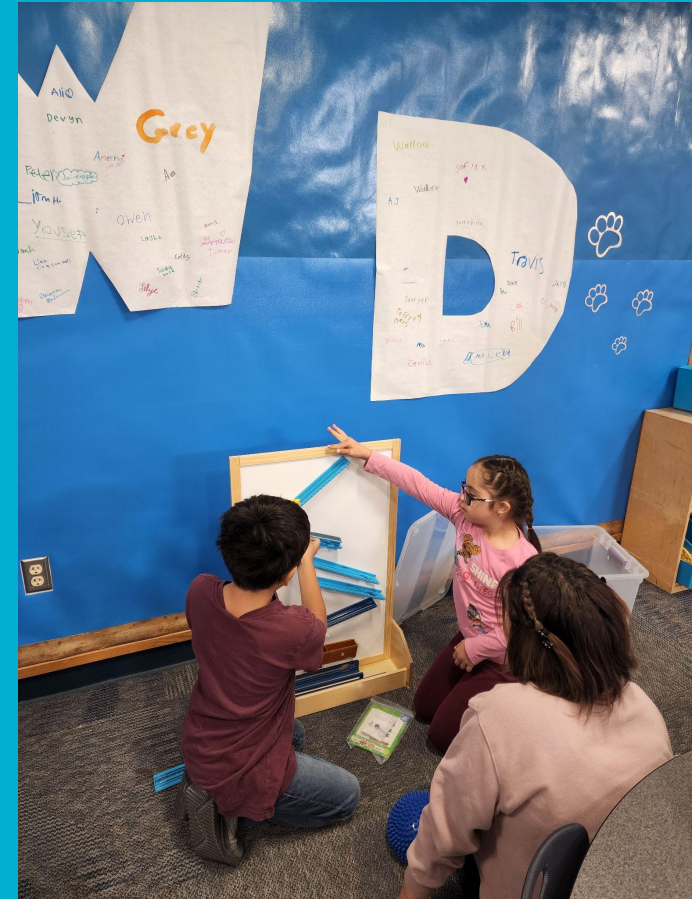


**September 2nd, 2022**

1. Welcome & Introductions
2. Guest: Mr. Vigness
3. Guest: Mrs. Wright
4. Principal's Report: Mrs. Romero
5. Treasurer's Report: Kim Reitz
6. Requisitions: Kevin Walsh
7. Review & Approve August Meeting Minutes
8. Committee Chair Reports
  - Step it Up - Cara
  - Google Calendar- Heather
  - Website - Paul
  - Parent Affiliated Organization Training - Shannon
  - Ice Cream Social - Heather
  - Exploration Station - Susan or Cara
  - Trunk or Treat - Susan
  - Art Masterpiece - Meghann
  - Legacy Tiles / Garden - Meghann
  - Kinder Volunteers - Meghann
  - First Responder's Day - Stacey
  - What's for Dinner & Waggoner Night Out - Shannon

# The Wildcat Den

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A Place for: Friendship, Play, Support, Growth, Fun

# Wildcat Den Coordinator

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Mrs. Susan Wright M.S., CCC-SLP

CI Waggoner's Speech Language Pathologist  
(SLP)

7th year at Wag; 10th year in the district

Job Entails: Articulation, language, social skills,  
fluency (stuttering) etc.



# What is Wildcat Den? EST. 2019

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## A Safe Place to:

**Make friends, Share thoughts and ideas with respect, Engage/connect with others**

## Logistics:

**20 minute lunch recess on Wednesday (vs. going outside)**

## Goals:

- 1. For students with identified needs in social skills: wildcats to get support with making connections/problem solving**
- 2. For our Role Models: learn compassion and patience for classmates who do things a little differently/reduce stigma around students who need help in this area**

# What do we have currently?

## 1 | Science/STEM



## 2 | Games/Play



## 3 | Art/Calm Space



# Fun Facts

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1. Wildcat Den was previously “friendship group” started 6 years ago due to a need for a kindergarten student on the Autism Spectrum.
2. Since then, we’ve graduated from 1 grade level to all 6; supporting 1 student to supporting dozens.
3. We’ve upgraded from the cozy speech room to a full-size classroom #42.

# How can others get involved?

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Amazon Wishlist-Donations to keep things fresh/stocked

Requisition for Today 9.2.2022

Conversations at Home:

Inclusivity

Questions? Reach out to me!

[swright@kyrene.org](mailto:swright@kyrene.org)

Matter of fact language



Thank you!

# Waggoner Elementary School PTO, Inc.

## Statement of Activity

August 2022

	TOTAL	
	AUG 2022	JUL - AUG, 2022 (YTD)
<b>Revenue</b>		
Fundraising Events		
Waggoner Night Out/What's For Dinner	979.12	979.12
<b>Total Fundraising Events</b>	<b>979.12</b>	<b>979.12</b>
Grocery and Retail Programs		
EZ\$ - Grocer & Retail Rebates	590.70	590.70
<b>Total Grocery and Retail Programs</b>	<b>590.70</b>	<b>590.70</b>
Gross Sales of Goods		
Waggoner T-Shirt Sales	2,116.65	3,390.52
Water Bottle Sales		58.66
Yearbook - sales	525.00	525.00
<b>Total Gross Sales of Goods</b>	<b>2,641.65</b>	<b>3,974.18</b>
Revenue - Other		
Interest - Savings Account	0.22	0.44
<b>Total Revenue - Other</b>	<b>0.22</b>	<b>0.44</b>
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$4,211.69</b>	<b>\$5,544.44</b>
Cost of Goods Sold		
Cost of Sold Goods		
Waggoner T-Shirt Costs		4,047.44
<b>Total Cost of Sold Goods</b>		<b>4,047.44</b>
<b>Total Cost of Goods Sold</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$4,047.44</b>
<b>GROSS PROFIT</b>	<b>\$4,211.69</b>	<b>\$1,497.00</b>

	TOTAL	
	AUG 2022	JUL - AUG, 2022 (YTD)
<b>Expenditures</b>		
Classroom Support		
Instruction Supplies	959.78	959.78
Science Closet	89.04	89.04
<b>Total Classroom Support</b>	<b>1,048.82</b>	<b>1,048.82</b>
PTO Administration		
Supplies	186.52	193.04
<b>Total PTO Administration</b>	<b>186.52</b>	<b>193.04</b>
PTO Discretionary Fund	141.81	141.81
School Support		
Front Office Discretionary Fund	301.53	301.53
Health Office Supplies	500.00	500.00
School Support/Grade Level Fund K-5th/SPED	90.51	90.51
Water - Teacher Lounge	147.78	152.08
<b>Total School Support</b>	<b>1,039.82</b>	<b>1,044.12</b>
Staff Support		
Educator Workshop Fees	749.69	749.69
Staff Appreciation	1,050.31	1,681.81
Staff Appreciation - t-shirts		784.90
<b>Total Staff Support</b>	<b>1,800.00</b>	<b>3,216.40</b>
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$4,216.97</b>	<b>\$5,644.19</b>
<b>NET OPERATING REVENUE</b>	<b>\$ -5.28</b>	<b>\$ -4,147.19</b>
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# Waggoner Elementary School PTO, Inc.

## Statement of Financial Position

As of August 31, 2022

	TOTAL
<b>ASSETS</b>	
Current Assets	
Bank Accounts	
Checking at Bank of America	17,007.33
Office Cash Drawer	-606.23
Savings at Bank of America	12,734.99
<b>Total Bank Accounts</b>	<b>\$29,136.09</b>
Other Current Assets	
Uncategorized Asset	185.00
<b>Total Other Current Assets</b>	<b>\$185.00</b>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>\$29,321.09</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$29,321.09</b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND EQUITY</b>	
Liabilities	
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	30,981.99
Unrestrict (retained earnings)	2,486.29
Net Revenue	-4,147.19
<b>Total Equity</b>	<b>\$29,321.09</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY</b>	<b>\$29,321.09</b>



Waggoner Elementary PTO School Requisition Request

Request submitted by: Susan Wnght Date: 8-31-22  
(Wildcat Den)  
Phone: 480-541-5731 Email: swnght@kyrene.org  
This request is for: Updated Supplies for Wildcat Den  
Funds needed for request: \$250.00  
Reason for request: We just need a refresh!  
Beneficiaries would be: 100+ kids across all grade levels  
Approximately what percentage of students would be impacted? about 20%  
Additional details: I've also created an amazon  
wishlist!

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Disapproved \_\_\_\_\_ Tabled \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Summary: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your idea and helping to make Waggoner a great school for our children!

Monday, September 12th, will be the kick off!!!

***"Invest In Our Waggoner Wildcats!"***



Send 10 emails, get a code and fill out the Golden Ticket!!! Golden Tickets due Tuesday (and Wednesday) morning to get the prizes!

The 2 classes that send the most emails by the donation deadline will earn a

**GIANT Funky Monkey**

for their class plus a \$25 Starbucks gift card for their teacher!

*\*One for grades K – 2 and one for grades 3+*

- Students will work with their parents or guardians to register and send emails, via their personal donation page!

Any ties will be subject to a drawing!

- Your school's Step It Up! contact can keep you updated via their administrative access!

A decorative golden ticket form with a scalloped border and "STEP IT UP!" logos in the corners. It features a central banner that says "OFFICIAL GOLDEN TICKET". Below the banner are fields for "STUDENT NAME:", "TEACHER:", "COMPLETION CODE NUMBER:", and "PARENT SIGNATURE:". There are also fields for "PARENT PHONE NUMBER:". At the bottom, there are two checkboxes: "WE SENT 10+ EMAILS" and "WE SENT 20+ EMAILS". A disclaimer at the very bottom reads: "BY RETURNING THE GOLDEN TICKET, I ACKNOWLEDGE WE SENT AT LEAST 10 EMAILS VIA THE ONLINE DONATION PLATFORM."/>

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TEACHER: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPLETION CODE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

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BY RETURNING THE GOLDEN TICKET, I ACKNOWLEDGE WE SENT AT LEAST 10 EMAILS VIA THE ONLINE DONATION PLATFORM.

**Class Competition!** 2 classes who send the most emails will earn this GIANT Funky Monkey!

Day of Awesomeness: Tuesday, October 18th.



# 2022-2023 CALENDAR

This school year, the Waggoner PTO put together a [Google calendar for all the school events](#).

This calendar is populated with:

- [Waggoner Night Outs](#) (with details on their location & times of the events)
- [Teachers/Staff birthdays](#) (with links to their favorite things)
- ['No School' days, including Fall, Winter, and Spring Break](#)
- [Picture Day](#) (includes attachment of 2022 fall background that will be used)
- [Trunk or Treat, Turkey Trot, Glow Party, Chalk Art Day](#) (with links to those event's PTO webpages)

As other events get scheduled ([Carnival](#), [Yearbook Contests](#), etc), you will automatically be notified, if you are linked/subscribe to calendar. 😊

[waggonerpto.com/calendar](http://waggonerpto.com/calendar)

## Parent Roundtable / Parent Affiliated Organization Training with Brian Lockery

- New format of PSC-includes parent roundtables, CAFE meetings (with parents and community members), Kyrene Business Alliance
- Talked about district goals for the next year
  - including review of district equity statement-adopted in May, 2022; review of “portrait of a Kyrene kid, overview of implementation of goals over the next 10 months
- Reviewed best practices for finances, record keeping, fundraisers, cash handling, bylaws and more
- Annual application to School Board-submitted this week



# WAGGONER ICE CREAM SOCIAL



What a GREAT turnout!



We served 13 gallons (26 ½ gallons)  
...and 2 pints of dairy free dessert.

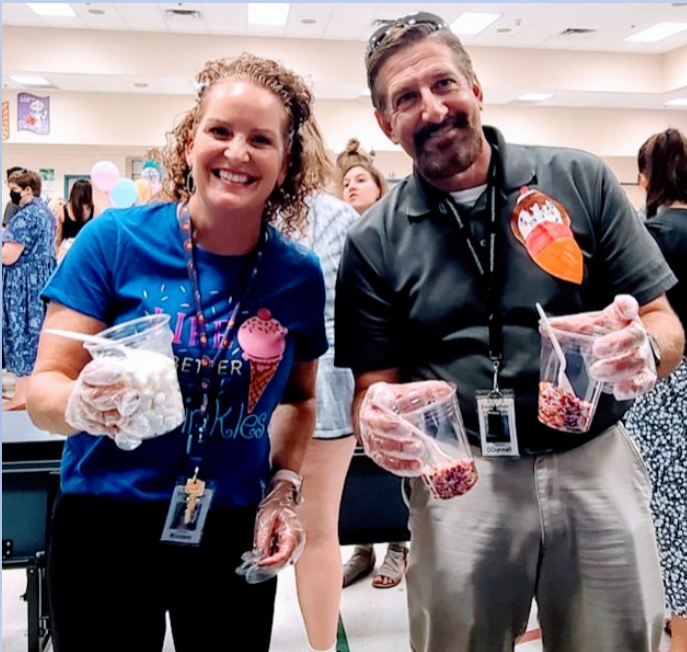


Lessons Learned:

- need more ice cream & whipped topping  
...and less syrup
- an outside activity for kids would be great  
(a chalk art activity?)



Thank you again to our entire Waggoner  
Community for helping with this fun event.







# EXPLORATION STATION

TINKER • BUILD • CREATE

Thursday's 10-12:30 (During Lunch Recess)  
Contact Cara or Susan to volunteer!

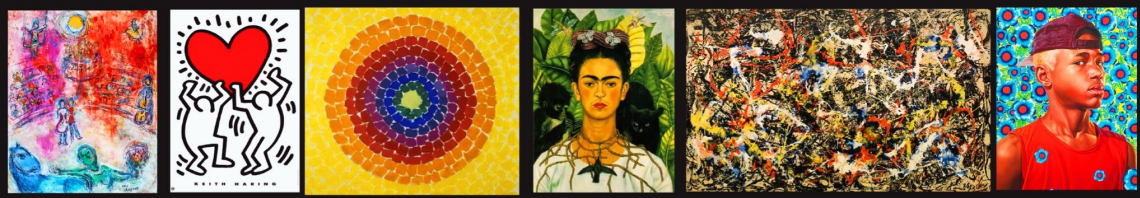


## 7th Annual Waggoner Trunk or Treat

- ★ Friday, October 28 5:30-7:30PM
- ★ Families decorate cars and hand out candy
- ★ Families donate candy and glow sticks
- ★ Dance area - Thriller performance
- ★ Costume parade
- ★ \$500 Budget

### In the Past...

- ★ Food trucks
- ★ PTO sold water
- ★ Photo booth
- ★ Pumpkin carving contest
- ★ Best Trunk Contest



# WAGGONER

## Art Masterpiece

[WaggonerPTO.com/Art-Masterpiece](http://WaggonerPTO.com/Art-Masterpiece)

To volunteer email: [WaggonerPTOArt@gmail.com](mailto:WaggonerPTOArt@gmail.com)



Informational Meeting on  
Wednesday, September 14 at 7:30

The goals of art masterpiece include:

- development of critical and higher order thinking skills-including the vocabulary for evaluating a piece of art;
- development of active listening skills-there is a TON of student engagement in an art masterpiece class;
- development of respect for different ideas, people, and cultures by looking at diverse pieces of art;
- development of personal connections-looking at art with a group connects you with the others in your group but also the past, the artist and everyone who has ever seen that art work.

# First Responder's Day



- Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 8:30am
- Mrs. Romero will lead the assembly
- Tempe Fire and Police Departments will be present
- Flag raising
- Mrs. Rittenhouse/Mrs. Layton leading students in song
- Students will present thank you cards & letters to First Responders
- Mrs. Warwick helped students with art projects to present to First Responders

Panera

Wednesday,  
September 14,  
2022

1707 West Warner  
Rd  
Tempe, AZ 85284  
(across from IKEA)

4:00pm - 8:00pm



Skateland

Wednesday,  
September 28,  
2022

1101 W Ray Rd  
Chandler, AZ  
85224

5:30pm - 8:00pm





## 9. Calendar of Events

### • **SEPTEMBER EVENTS**

- 5th – Labor Day - NO SCHOOL
- 9th – First Responder’s Day
- 12th – Step It Up Kick-Off
- 14th – Art Masterpiece Meeting @\_\_\_\_\_
- 14th – WNO@Panera (Warner Rd, near Ikea)
- 19th – Picture Day
- 28th – WNO @ Skateland
- 29th – Custodian’s Day
- 30th – Teacher’s Day – NO SCHOOL

### • **OCTOBER EVENTS**

- 3rd-7th – Fall Break – NO SCHOOL
- 10th – Staff Development - NO SCHOOL
- 12th – Make-up Picture Day
- 17th – 21st – PTO Book Fair
- 18th – Day of Awesomeness!
- 19th – WNO @ Oregano’s
- 28th – Trunk or Treat 530pm

### • **SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- 12th – Ms. Julianne Johnston birthday (staff)
- 12th – Ms. Sydney Ulm birthday (staff)
- 14th – Ms. Beverly Mack birthday (2nd)
- 15th – Ms. Leonor Cartagena birthday (3rd)
- 21st – Ms. Alicia Padilla birthday (CCD)
- 28th – Ms. Jill Nichols birthday (3rd)
- 30th – Ms. Erin Martin birthday (4th)
- 30th – Ms. Sarah Fahey birthday (4th)

### • **OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

- 15th – Ms. Kelsey Trainer birthday (5th)
- 18th – Ms. Paige Levy birthday (PE)
- 30th – Ms. Shelly Howard (5th)

## 10. Meeting Adjourned!

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