



# The Wildcat

October 29, 2021

Deadline for the November 5, 2021 Wildcat will be  
Wednesday, November 3rd, at 8:30 A.M.

Please call the Attendance Line  
982-3950 - Option #1  
if your child will be absent or tardy from school.  
Office #982-3975  
Jeffco Web Page:  
<http://westridge.jeffcopublicschools.org/>

## **Monday, November 1st**

3:00 - 4:00      Imagine Arts Academy in Room C7  
3:05 - 4:05      Strategic Chess in Library

## **Tuesday, November 2nd**

3:00 - 3:50      Taekwondo in the Gym

## **Wednesday, November 3rd**

3:05 - 4:05      Lego Club in Art Room

## **Thursday, November 4th**

2:15 - 2:45      Grades 2 & 3 Musical Performance *Squirm!* for students in grades 4 & 5  
2:15 - 2:45      Grades 2 & 3 Musical Performance *Squirm!* for students in grades K & 1  
3:00 - 4:30      Kid Stage in Music Room

## **Friday, November 5th**

Spirit Day - Wear your Westridge Shirts or sport our colors of burgundy & grey

Hello Everyone!

Have we already come to the end of October? As we launch into November, I would like to share a reflection. Each day this year has presented new challenges and many first time experiences for all of us and especially for our kids. As a leader, I try to be hands-on because I believe in our work and will always be a teacher at heart. Westridge is a strong team and a loving place for kids, staff, and families. I share this because right now, life still has many challenges for educators. We need to focus on empathy and know that we are all at Westridge to create the best learning environment possible for all students.

**November DRIVE Focus is Valuing People:**

To help foster that sense of empathy and gratitude, we are launching a letter writing challenge until November 19. Here is the outline for our plan:

- Students will share notes of thankfulness to peers in their classrooms and will be able to write notes of kindness to any staff member. Teachers will help structure this task.
- Staff will participate in sharing notes of gratitude.
- As a community member, you can show your thanks and grateful hearts to the people who have been supporting our collective success.

Thank you for participating to fill the buckets of our amazing staff. Link to the November Notes of Thanks:

[Sharing Our Gratitude](#)

# Dakota Ridge High School

## Book Fair!



Monday, Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> —  
Friday, Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>

### Hours:

**Monday:** 11:00am-3:30pm

**Tuesday:** 8:00am-7:00pm

**Wednesday:** 7:00am-3:30pm

**Thursday:** 8:00am-7:00pm

**Friday:** 7:00am-3:30pm

- A portion of the sales donated to the library for new books!
- Cash, checks, & credit cards accepted
- Help support Dakota Ridge by shopping locally!
- Books available at the fair are high school level - all types and levels for online order!

Can't make the fair or don't see the book you want?

You can also order books online at [boulderbookstore.com](http://boulderbookstore.com)  
and mention DAKOTA RIDGE in the comments

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## Westridge PTA Happenings

October 29th, 2021

[www.facebook.com/groups/257696868179603](https://www.facebook.com/groups/257696868179603)

[www.WestridgePTA.com](http://www.WestridgePTA.com)



PTA's mission is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.

### 2021-2022 Westridge PTA Meeting Schedule

**PTA Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM. In person meetings are held in the library.**

- November 9, 2021
- January 11, 2022
- February 8, 2022
- March 8, 2022
- April 12, 2022
- May 10, 2022

### PTA Dates to Know!

Friday, November 5th: Westridge SPIRIT DAY!!!

Tuesday, November 9th: PTA Meeting



### Need Halloween Party Photos

Please send in any photos taken at the class Halloween parade and parties. See email below, thank you!

### SPIRIT DAY



**Friday, November 5th! Wear your school colors!**



**PTA Tuesday November 9th in the Westridge library**

### Westridge PTA Value Statement

The mission of Westridge PTA is to connect and appreciate the parents, teachers and students of Westridge by supporting their growth and potential through engaging activities, empowering them to use their passion and talent to better our school and community. We give support to engaging activities, which build positive relationships, ignite innovation, and support all types of learning.

## Halloween Parade and Party Photos



[westridge.yearbook@yahoo.com](mailto:westridge.yearbook@yahoo.com)

**Please send in any Halloween parade or party pictures from Friday, October 29th to the email address above...Thank you for your help!**