



Westridge Wildcat

November 7-11

Please call the Attendance Line for Absences and Tardies
303-982-3950 Option #1

Main Office Number 303-982-3975
Visit our Website!

<http://westridge.jeffcopublicschools.org/>

[Westridge Family Calendar 2022-2023](#)

This Week's Events at a Glance

Monday, November 7, 2022	
Tuesday, November 8, 2022	3:00-4:00 Science Matters in the art room 3:00-4:00 Taekwondo Club 5:30-6:15 SAC Meeting in the library 6:15-7:30 PTA Meeting in the library
Wednesday, November 9, 2022	
Thursday, November 10, 2022	
Friday, November 11, 2022	Picture Retake Day Movie Night in the gym

Music Performance

Our second and third graders have been working hard on their performance The Principal and the Pea! The performance will be at 9:30-10:00 on November 3 in the gym. When you arrive, come to the front door for a visitor's sticker.

Upcoming School Accountability Meeting

We have the second school accountability committee (SAC) Meeting on Tuesday, November 8 at 5:30. PTA will be the same night immediately following the SAC meeting. The topics we will discuss during SAC are: Budget update, start and end times for 2022-2023 school year, UIP update, and social and emotional trends and responses.

Fall Picture Make Up Day

Didn't like the way your photo turned out? We have picture make ups on November 11.

Thank you!

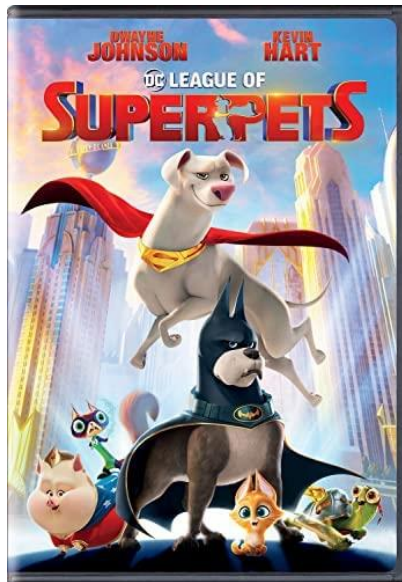
We had a great time on Halloween! Thank you for getting your kids ready in their costumes, donating food and craft items, to those who set up parties, and to everyone who came to join in the fun! Hopefully it was fun for your children!

Report Cards

Report cards will be coming home Friday, November 18, 2022. Just before the Thanksgiving break. They will be placed in Friday Folders.

Movie Night at Westridge

PTA has selected a movie for our movie night! Please join us November 11 at 6:00 to watch DC League of Super-Pets



WatchDOGS Sign Up

Attention all WatchDOG "DUDES"! We need you to help make Westridge thrive! Email Carla Cowan at Carla.cowan@jeffco.k12.co.us to volunteer to be a WatchDOG. Please let us know if you would like to monitor drop off or lunch/recess or to be a classroom helper, or all three!

100 Mile Club – Inclement Weather and Delayed Start Morning

When the temperature is below 20 degrees or it is snowing before 8 am, 100 Mile Club will not be meeting. When we have a delayed start for any reason, 100 Mile Club will not meet.



Dakota Ridge's Annual
Canned Food Drive
November 7th-16th

PLEASE BRING IN CANNED FOOD AND NON-PERISHABLE
ITEMS TO BE DONATED TO THE JEFFCO ACTION CENTER.
DROP-OFF BOXES WILL BE LOCATED IN MR. CUMMINGS'
ROOM (HR-120), MS. SULLIVAN'S ROOM (B-238), MRS.
LETOURNEAU'S ROOM (AR-212), AND IN THE MAIN OFFICE.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING THOSE IN NEED!





Join #TeamJeffco!

HIRING FAIR



**Educational Support
Staff & Tutors***

Math & Reading

**Wednesday, November 16
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**

**Jeffco Public Schools Education Center
1829 Denver West Drive, Bldg #27, Golden, CO 80401
Ed Center Board Room 5th Floor**

WHY ATTEND?

- Land your first experience in education
- Opportunity to speak with principals who are filling positions NOW
- Some offers may be made on the spot

WHY WORK FOR JEFFCO?

- Benefits eligible positions available
- Opportunity for growth
- PERA retirement
- Be an integral part of educating & enriching the lives of students

RSVP:



APPLY NOW:
jps.click/jobs

*Para Educator, Teacher Aid, Educational Assistant, Classroom Assistant, Individual Support Professional

Westridge PTA Happenings

November 2, 2022

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.

Upcoming Community Breakfast!

In December, Westridge PTA will be hosting 'Donuts with Grown Ups'! More information to come...



Dates to know:

Friday November 4th: **SPIRIT DAY!**

Tuesday November 8th: **PTA Meeting @ 6:30 pm**

Friday November 11th: **MOVIE NIGHT! Info coming soon!**

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[Westridge PTA Website](#)

**Westridge Team Spotlight:
'Getting to Know You' First Grade:**



Hi! I am Jennifer Westfall. I have been a teacher for Jefferson County Schools and for Westridge since 1999. I have taught 3rd grade, ¾ Multi-age, and 4th grade. I have enjoyed Westridge and working with all of the amazing staff at Westridge so much so, that my son and daughter both attended Westridge their entire elementary career. **Full Bio:** [Jennifer Westfall](#)



I am so excited to be teaching your child this year! I began my career in education as a paraprofessional at Westridge Elementary. It was at that time that I realized teaching was what I wanted to do when I grew up. I went to the University of Northern Colorado and was blessed to get my first teaching job at Westridge, where my children went, where I gained my love and passion for teaching, and where my granddaughter now attends. **Full Bio:** [Janet Fecht](#)



I am thrilled to have the opportunity to be your child's teacher this year. I hope you had a restful summer full of adventures and family fun and am hoping your child is ready for new learning experiences and excitement in their new class. **Full Bio:** [Mindy Sommers](#)



I have been teaching at Westridge Elementary since 1997. I enjoy learning with my students each day. They are so fun and full of information! We have three classroom Russian Tortoises named Samantha, Hibiscus, and Sequoia. **Full Bio:** [Christine Thompson](#)

Do you want to learn more about our Westridge staff members? You can view all of the bios [here](#).

Halloween Party Photos



We hope that everyone had a fun day being together and celebrating with their classes for Halloween! NOW, let's show off those amazing costumes and parties with photos in the yearbook! Please send in any pics taken during the celebration to:

westridge.yearbook@yahoo.com

THANK YOU!