



Wedgwood Principal's Newsletter

Message from Mr. Liu

Hello Wedgwood Families,

Thank you to all the families that were able to attend Curriculum Night last night. If you were not able to attend, then [please follow this link to access the presentation](#). If you have questions about your child's classroom information, then please contact your child's teacher. If you have other school-wide questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me.

Go Marmots!

Respectfully,

Steve Liu

Twitter: @WedgwoodElem

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Date	Event
Monday, Oct 8 6:30-8:00 pm	PTA Board Meeting
Thursday, Oct 11 - During school day	School Picture Day
Thursday, Oct 11 6:00-8:00 pm	Kindergarten Social in Wedgwood cafeteria
Thursday, Oct 25 5:00-7:00 pm	Wedgwood Elementary Potluck

Updates from Nurse Sarah

Lice has arrived at Wedgwood already! We've had confirmed cases in almost every grade. Please help us by checking your student at home once a week. You want to look for small, tear-dropped shaped silvery or white eggs stuck to the hair shaft.

If your child does get lice:

- don't feel bad. There is no blaming/shaming/guilt about lice – anyone can get it and it does not mean you or your child is dirty.
- Treat with a lice-killing shampoo and comb the hair with a lice comb once a day for two weeks to remove eggs.

Please let Nurse Sarah know if you have any further questions. Here is more information about lice:

<https://www.nasn.org/programs/educational-initiatives/lice-lessons>

Flu shot clinic –

There will be a flu shot clinic at Wedgwood offering FREE flu shots to all students. Our tentative date is November 14th. Consent forms went home in the last few days. You may fill out the paperwork (or contact me if you need a new form) or sign up online at: register.seattleflu.com. Thanks for helping keep everyone at school healthy and ready to learn!

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Wedgwood Family Handbook

[Follow this link to access the Wedgwood Family Handbook](#). In it, you will find details about Wedgwood policies and procedures.

Walk to School Month - Walktober

Did you know that October is also known as Walktober and is International Walk to School Month? Just as Wedgwood does with Bike to School month, we will be sending a mileage log home for each student in Kid Mail so you can track your walking in October. **It will be in your child's folder on Monday.** Turn it in at the end of the month and we'll see which classroom has walked the most! Any walking counts -- not just walking to school. So if you bus or drive you can participate, too. This is a great warm-up for the Move-a-Thon.

Volunteer Info at Wedgwood

Seattle Public Schools has new online volunteer forms. [Please visit this link](#) to learn more information about this and to complete your volunteer paperwork online! If you need a paper volunteer application, please stop in at the Wedgwood office to pick it up. Wedgwood loves our volunteers!

Not getting the PTA newsletter?

Signing up for the PTA Weekly is easier than ever! Just click [here](#) and in a few seconds you'll be on the list to receive the weekly newsletter loaded with updates about programs, events, and everything else happening in our school community. Thanks for helping us reach as many people as possible! – The PTA