

What's Up Winkley?

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Upcoming Dates:

- * 2/2 Literacy Night
- * 2/6 - 2/7 No School
- * 2/14 Valentine's Parties
- * 2/15 Author Visit
- * 2/16 PTA Meeting 6pm
- * 2/18 Father/Daughter Dance 6pm
- * 2/21 No Cook Night - Bush's Chicken
- * 2/24 Spirit Wear Friday
- * 3/1 Yes! You Can!

It's time for all the Winkley Daddy-o's to grab their best gals and join us for a Father/Daughter dance 50's style!

Saturday February 18th 2017
6:30 - 8:30pm

Are you a greaser or a jock? A pink lady or a biker chick? Grab your poodle skirts or cuff those jeans and show us your best 50's attire! (suggested but not required)

This is a special night for our Winkley girls! Don't miss it!

- * **Dancing**
- * **Desserts**
- * **Souvenir Photo**



This is a free event sponsored by the Winkley PTA for Winkley girls and their fathers. There will be a separate Mother/Son event.

Spirit Wear Friday!

Show us your Wolverine Spirit! The next Winkley Spirit Wear Friday is February 24th!



Our PTA Board would like to challenge our Wolverine Parents to join us at our next PTA meeting! We'll be discussing upcoming events, voting on budgets, and discussing your PTA's future. As if that wasn't enough- There will be cookies! February 16th - 6pm



Thank you to all who have donated their families gently used shoes to the World Wear Project. We are excited that we have been able to donate \$63 to the foundation we partnered with, Fostering Hope Austin. Keep the shoes coming!



Valentine Grams will go on sale Jan. 30th. Grams are \$1.50 and will include a Spirit Monkey patch of your choice, heart card with a sucker. They can be purchased for teachers, friends, and you can even send them to your own kids!

The schedule for sales dates are listed below.

Cash or Check only!!

The Valentine Grams will be delivered to the classrooms on Feb 14th after lunch.

Jan 30th - after school
Feb 1st - before school
Feb 3rd - after school
Feb 8th - after school
Feb 10th - before school

Author Visit

We are honored to have Chris Barton, an award-winning, bestselling local author coming to read to the kids February 15th. His books are read throughout the year in classrooms and during library time so we have some very excited kids awaiting his visit. For more information, visit [Chris Barton's](#) website.

**This newsletter has been approved by
Winkley Elementary and LISD**

Keep up to date with what's going on by liking our "Winkley Elementary PTA" page on Facebook.



Information will also be on our webpage at <http://winkley.my-pta.org>.



Literacy Night

LOST & FOUND

Lost and Found will be donating **MONTHLY** this year!
Clothing not labeled or claimed will be donated on 2/17!

February 2nd - 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Have you ever struggled with working with your student when reading at home? Come to literacy night and visit with teachers to learn strategies to question your student, work on fluency, and develop vocabulary skills. Students can come listen to guest readers, and participate in fun literacy activities and parents can come learn more about the upcoming STAAR tests and procedures.

No Cook Night

February 21st
5pm - 8pm



BLACKOUT

Mother Son Dance

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

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YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS ONE!

Winkley has **NEW** ideas for 2017!

HIP HOP DJ GLOW STICK DANCE



Yearbooks are on sale for \$20!

Last day to purchase a yearbook online is April 30, 2017.

www.balfour.com

Type Winkley Elementary School



The Spring Carnival is coming up in April!

This is a super fun event for everyone! If you had as much fun as we did last year, please consider volunteering. We need helpers for decorations, sponsorship and games! This event needs volunteers in order to be successful - and will not be possible without YOUR help! Grab a friend and help make the Spring Carnival fun for everyone!

Please contact Jami Robinson at winkleyfundraiser@gmail.com for more information.



The 1st Winkley Spelling Bee was held on December 9, 2016. There were 49 participants who did an amazing job! The runner up for our school bee was Kayla King and the winner of the bee was Ana Anderson. Ana will represent Winkley at the Regional Bee on Thursday, February 9th at 6:30 pm at the Cedar Valley Middle School cafeteria in Round Rock.

Kayla will be there to represent Winkley in the event that Ana cannot. We would love to see lots of Winkley students cheering on Ana and Kayla as they represent our school at the Regional Bee!

We are excited to welcome a guest speaker March 1st to give a presentation called "[Yes! You Can!](#)" Lloyd Bacharach, a [Paralympian](#) in the Atlanta 1996 Olympics, is an amazing motivational and inspiring speaker. He will touch on overcoming negativity, bullying, having and building your self-esteem, and so much more related to the simple message of **YES...YOU CAN!**



We are always in need of volunteers!

Please contact Edna Allen for volunteer opportunities.

winkleyvolunteercoordinator@gmail.com

Please remember.... You will need to have a current Leander ISD volunteer application approved before serving. Click here to fill it out:

<https://volunteer.leanderisd.org>