



## Paws for Books BOGO Book Fair



This spring's Scholastic Book Fair, where *all* items are buy one/get one free (even posters and trinkets), will be held April 16-20. Stock up for summer reading and join us for family fun on Wednesday with extended hours during the Spring Music Showcase, featuring 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders.

Thank you to those who have already signed up to help, and to co-chairs Erica Dziedzic and Zaje Harrell! We still have slots to fill in order to stay open for all posted hours. Go to the "I Want to Volunteer" on the WSA website to help with Book Fair or the Spring Music Showcase.

	Morning Hours	After School Hours
<b>Monday</b>	Teacher preview only	3:30 – 5:00pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	8:00 – 9:00am	3:30 – 6:00pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	8:00 – 9:00am	3:30 – 8:00pm <i>plus</i> <b>Spring Music Showcase</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	8:00 – 9:00am	3:30 – 5:00pm
<b>Friday</b>	7:30 – 9:00am	Volunteer to tear down beginning at 3:30!

## Mileage Club Volunteers Needed



We are seeking volunteers each afternoon from April 9 through May 25 to help punch cards for Mileage Club. It takes less than an hour! Can you take a few shifts and help out coordinators Marianne Flynn and Mary Lytle?

## Carnival Planning Begins!

The Whitehills Carnival will be held Friday, May 18! This is an old-fashioned family event with a cake walk, duck pond, and other games you remember from your own school carnival. Tickets are priced at just 50 cents each so the whole family can join in, and wristbands (unlimited games) will be available for pre-sale after school on May 11 and May 16. To volunteer or donate concessions, visit the WSA website or you can contact Carnival chair Lynsey Clayton at [whitehillscarnival@gmail.com](mailto:whitehillscarnival@gmail.com) for other ways to help! Lynsey is especially looking for assistance building a new game if you're good with tools!



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Mileage Club Begins

Daily through May 25

### WSA Meeting

Tuesday, April 10  
6:00pm

### Popcorn Friday

Friday, April 13

### Walk and Roll Safety Day

Saturday, April 14  
1:00-3:00pm  
At MacDonald Middle School

### Paws for Books BOGO Book Fair

Monday-Friday, April 16-20

### Spring Music Showcase

Wednesday, April 18  
6:30-7:30pm

### Marco's Pizza Night

Thursday, April 19

### Science Club

Friday, April 20  
3:35-5:30pm

### Christian's Greenhouse Fundraiser Begins

Friday, April 20  
Deadline for orders May 4, see WSA website and flyers for details

### Spring Box Tops Deadline

Friday, May 4

## CONNECT WITH US

### Email

[whitehillsparents@gmail.com](mailto:whitehillsparents@gmail.com)

### Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/whitehillsparents>

### Web

<https://whitehillsparents.org>

### Board

President: Joy Campbell  
Vice President: Jen Gorchow  
Treasurer: Jeff Hicks  
Secretary: Elizabeth Ivkovich

### Meetings

At 6:00pm, second Tuesday of each month in the library

# WOLF PACK WRITERS

Proudly featuring the work of Whitehills students



## Should We Protect Nature? Yes!

by Camila Doblas-Burt

We want our environment clean, but with the Enbridge Pipeline 5 at the Straits of Mackinac, that could be a problem. Pipeline 5 was made to be used for 50 years, but it's been used for 62 years! Oil spills are terrible! Pipeline spills can't be cleaned until all the oil is out and it takes a long time to clean. The Kalamazoo incident happened a long time ago and there is still some oil left! Enbridge pipeline has had 804 spills from 1999-2010. Who knows when Pipeline 5 is going to burst! That would harm water, plants, animals, and their habitats! Should we shut down the pipeline to save them? Or should we replace it? Either way, it would save the habitats, animals, and water. We don't want our beautiful lakes to turn into gooey oil.



### Whitehills Baby Boom!

Did you know about the Whitehills baby boom? Lots of our Wolves have new "pups" in their families—14 babies have joined Whitehills families in the last year, 2 girls and 12 boys! We asked Henry Peck to write about how things have changed since his baby brother was born. We're looking forward to these little ones joining the Wolf Pack in a few years!

## Living with Baby Victor

by Henry Peck

Hi my name is Henry Peck!!! My sister Ruby and I have a new baby brother. His name is Victor and he is three months old. Having a baby brother in the house is a big change. Victor needs a lot of attention. He needs to be fed, changed, played with, and put down for naps. My sister and I help by getting bottles ready and getting his pacifier for him when he is fussy. Victor is a super happy and cheerful baby, we got super lucky. He usually can be entertained when I play video games like Madden 16 or Dynasty Warriors 8 Empire. When we found out we were having a baby brother I was ecstatic, but Ruby was bawling because she wanted a baby sister.

Now that he is in our lives we both love him a lot and we are the happiest big brother and sister on Earth! Do you want a baby brother or sister now or do you think a baby is too much work?



*Henry, Ruby, and baby Victor*

### ABOUT THE AUTHORS

**Camila Doblas-Burt** is 9 years old and is in Mrs. Kemsley's third grade class. She loves Harry Potter, and being part of the Wolf Pack!

**Henry Peck** is a fourth grader in Ms. Desilets' class. He plays Quest basketball, baseball, and soccer and enjoys video games, doing math, and going to sports games.

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