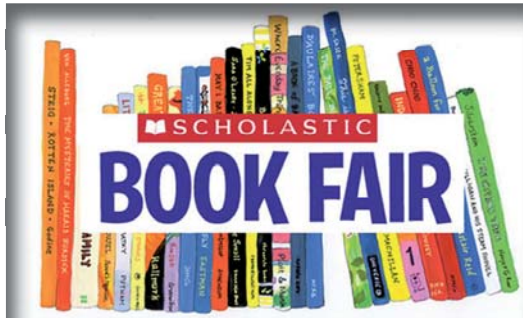


Wildcat News Brief

October 4, 2016



Arrrgh!! The Scholastic Book Fair is Oct. 10th - Oct. 15th



Shopping hours are 7:45 AM - 3:30 PM

Family Night is Tuesday, October 11 from 3:30 – 7pm

Thursday, October 13th, we will be open until 4pm
due to the home football game

Students will visit the book fair with their ELA class and create a wish list of books they would like to purchase.

All proceeds support the WMMS media center and classroom libraries. And, last year, we raised over \$4,500 for our school! That's a lot of students reading great books!

You can send money in with your student to purchase books, parents can visit and shop during our store hours, or shop as a family on the October 11th Family Night event.

This is a **tax free shopping event**. Cash, checks (to WMMS PTA) and credit cards are accepted. Students should get a pass from their teacher to shop after school.

Got Change?

The All for Books coin drive runs Oct. 3 - Oct. 7 during lunch!

Vote for your favorite NC university with your spare change during lunch all week.

Who will win? App State, Duke, ECU, NC State, UNC, NC Central, or Wake Forest?

We will celebrate the winner by wearing that university's school colors on Monday, October 3!

**All for Books
Coin Drive!**



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If we hit our \$500 goal, the whole school gets to dress like pirates on October 12th in honor of our pirate themed book fair!

We hear Ms. Aman and Ms. Haney have their pirate gear ready!

The All for Books program provides financial help to ensure all WMMS students are able to get a book during the fair.



Family Night is October 11, 3:30 - 7:00 PM

Come to the WMMS media center to shop the book fair! Buy a book from the teacher wish board and donate it to your student's classroom.

Bring the whole family! Don't worry about dinner because Chick-fil-A will be selling food in the media center courtyard!

VOLUNTEERS, sign up for a shift or two.

You can help students find books, run a cash register or help with Family Night. You will receive \$5 in Scholastic Bucks (to be spent at the book fair), if you work two shifts.

*You must be an approved WCPSS volunteer to work the book fair.

All registered volunteers can sign up online at: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090445abae2c7-wmms7>



Shop our online book fair until October 21st! - <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/wmms>

Students can create an online wish list and share it via email. Grandparents love to give the gift of books to their grandchildren, so be sure to send that wish list with them!

Drugs Uncovered: What Parents and Adults Need to Know

Wednesday, October 12th - 7-9 pm

Parents, guardians, educators and counselors are invited to a FREE workshop on drug and alcohol abuse and ways to equip young people with the skills to make healthy choices.

The workshop, “Drugs Uncovered: What Parents and Adults Need to Know”, will be held from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm on Wednesday, October 12, 2016 at West Millbrook Middle School, located at 8115 Strickland Road, Raleigh 27615.

This workshop is co-sponsored by The City of Raleigh Substance Abuse Advisory Commission and presented by the Poe Center.

Recently updated and enhanced, the Poe Center’s DRUGS UNCOVERED program explores the teenage drug, alcohol and tobacco culture of today. The two hour workshop combines a lecture-style format with an interactive, traveling exhibit. At approximately 20’ X 20’, the Poe Center’s “Teenager of Today’s Bedroom” holds over 70 references to substances that include elements of pop culture and common and not-so-common hiding places for drugs, alcohol and tobacco.



Participants will learn about trends in substance abuse and ways to communicate effectively with children and teens about these issues. All attendees will also receive FREE materials, including resources to educate young people about being drug-free and alcohol-free.

Parents and adults who work with elementary, middle and high school students are strongly encouraged to participate! This program is FREE but it’s for ADULTS ONLY!

Seating for the workshop is limited, please register online at <http://bit.ly/2b3lln2>. You may contact Jodi Bulmer with questions at jodi.bulmer@gmail.com OR (919) 337-2275.

