

# GET INVOLVED



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Organization Name	Grades/Involvement/Supports	Mission	Ways Parents & Community Members Can Help	Immediate Needs	Important Dates Deadlines for 2019/2020 School Year	Contact Name/Email	Website/Social Media
Builders Club	Grades 5-6	Builders Club is an international student-led organization providing members with opportunities to perform service, build character and develop leadership.	Volunteer for certain events, provide snacks or supplies for meetings	We would love to have a community member as a representative who works with the teacher for planning, prep and with meetings.	Application is due by 10/01/19. Available at WLES office.	Sue Wanamaker sue.wanamaker@wlps.net	<a href="https://www.buildersclub.org/Discover/DiscoverWhatWeStandFor.aspx">https://www.buildersclub.org/Discover/DiscoverWhatWeStandFor.aspx</a>
Community Scholarship Fund	WLHS graduates. Board made up of parents, staff, retirees, alumni and community members	Since 1974, the Community Scholarship Fund's mission has been to reward our young people who have succeeded in academics, extra curricular activities and community service with college scholarships.	Make a tax-deductible donation. Designate a donation in honor of a loved one, community member or business.	Tax-deductible donations		Maria Carter-Ewald WLcommunityscholarship@gmail.com	<a href="http://www.wlcommunityscholarship.org">http://www.wlcommunityscholarship.org</a>
ES Building Healthy Communities Club	Grades K-6	A comprehensive, healthy school transformation program designed to improve the physical activity, nutrition, and academic achievement of Michigan children. This healthy school transformation gives students, teachers and administrators the tools they need to change the school environment through healthy living activities and education.			Oct-May	Sue Wanamaker sue.wanamaker@wlps.net	
ES Student Council	Grades 5-6	Develop leaders that help improve the culture of the community through serving and motivating others to do well.	By bringing ideas that need student support to the attention of members.	Elections in the fall	Meeting first monday of every month at lunch. Elections in October	Sarah Kief sarah.kief@wlps.net	
Key Club	Grades 7-12	Volunteering for the community and charities	Monetary donations			Eric Kobeck eric.kobeck@wlps.net	
National Honor Society (NHS)	Grades 10-12	The nation's premier organization established to recognize outstanding high school students who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of scholarship, service, leadership, and character.	Donations to support community service projects are appreciated	Garbage bags for Rake 'n' Run		Jill Henry jill.henry@wlps.net Candy Huddleston candice.huddleston@wlps.net	
National Junior Honor Society (NJHS)	Grades 8-9	See NHS	See NHS	See NHS	See NHS	LuAnn Easlick luann.easlick@wlps.net	
Quiz Bowl	Grades 9-12 who enjoy learning, and who have a competitive spirit.	A competitive sport of the mind. Our mission is to give students an opportunity to showcase what they know in a fun and rewarding sport. Our Varsity Quiz Bowl was runner-up in the state for the 18/19 season.	Come be a fan! Meets are open to the public. We are looking for support of our fundraisers, help providing transportation, snacks and encouragement of studying.	Good new talent and replacements for our buzzers and clock timers.	Try outs are the first of October. Meets are on Wednesday nights from November through the end of January.	JV: Julie Fleury luann.easlick@wlps.net Varsity: LuAnn Easlick julie.fleury@wlps.net	<a href="https://sites.google.com/a/wlps.net/wlps-quiz-bowl/">https://sites.google.com/a/wlps.net/wlps-quiz-bowl/</a>
School Safety Patrol	Grade 4	A group of students who help make the school safer by teaching and assisting fellow students about traffic safety, helping them cross roads and highways, and get on and off the bus.	Parents can help by reinforcing the principles of being a good safety patroller.		Application due 9/20/19. Available at the WLES office.	Aimee Taylor aimee.taylor@wlps.net	
Trip Club	Grades 9-10; Students travel in grades 11-12	International student travel helps young people to gain global awareness, make real world connections to school subject matter, and develop the interpersonal skills necessary to navigate new experiences with confidence, maturity, and flexibility.			Enrollment on the 2021 trip is closed	Jill Henry jill.henry@wlps.net Candy Huddleston candice.huddleston@wlps.net	
Whitmore Lake Athletic Association	Atheletes in grades 7-12	Raise moneys for the athletic programs of WLPS	Contact Brad McCormack	Fundraisers		Brad McCormack brad.mccormack@wlps.net	

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The Foundation (WLFEE)	All students in the district. Board is made up of parents, staff, and community members	Provide financial support and public relations support for programs and projects within the Whitmore Lake School district that enhance the educational opportunities available to all students	Parents can help by contributing to our Whitmore Lake Schools Patron drive. The drive will start in August 2019. A \$20 pledge will get you a Whitmore Lake Foundation sticker.	We are looking for sponsors for our 1st Annual Cornhole Tournament. The cost to sponsor a "lane" is \$100. Parents can also help by volunteering or just attending fundraisers put on by the Foundation.	October 5th is our first annual Corn Hold Tournament. This family friendly event will have an entry fee of \$30 a team. March 13th A Capella concert with world renowned artists at our Whitmore Lake Auditorium. April 2010 Zumbathon/Silent Auction	Ramona Meadows info@wlfee.org, 734.260-4228	<a href="http://www.wlfee.org">www.wlfee.org</a> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/WLFEE-1797912933795023">https://www.facebook.com/WLFEE-1797912933795023</a>
Whitmore Lake High School Drama Club	Play: Grades 9-12, Musical: Grades 7-12	To provide a creative outlet for students who have the desire to perform on the stage and to provide opportunities to students who are interested in the technical side of theater.	Parents and community members may help with set building, costumes, show promotion, or tickets/concessions sales.		Fall Play -November 15-17th, Spring Musical- March 6-8th	Carol Spilak carollrowe@gmail.com	
Whitmore Lake Music Boosters	Band and choir in Grades 5-12	Organized as a support group to represent concerned parents and students, the Music Boosters are dedicated to the enhancement of the music program and the fulfillment of musical opportunities for the students of the Whitmore Lake Public Schools.	Attend band and choir concerts, donate unused band instruments.	Funds for maintenance of school owned instruments (including donated instruments).	11/7/19 - Band-O-Rama concert 12/12/19 - Holiday Choir Concert 12/19/19 - Holiday Band Concert 2/20/20 - Choir Festival Informance 5/14/20 - Spring Band Concert 5/19/20 - Spring Choir Concert	Elisa Fixler elisa.fixler@wlps.net	<a href="http://fixler.weebly.com/">http://fixler.weebly.com/</a>
Whitmore Lake Public Schools PTO	Grades Pre-K-6	To partner with parents and teachers of WLPS to support the education of all students.	Do you have a special skill to lend or a product to donate to our silent auction? Do you just want to be more involved in your child's education? The PTO is the easiest way to get started.	Popcorn Friday volunteers, consider volunteering for one of our events, attend our meetings we always need new ideas and input.	PTO meetings are the first Tuesday of every month at 6:00 pm in the WLES library. Our first meeting is September 10, 2019	Lindsey Collins, Makenzie Jakabowski whitmorelakepto@gmail.com	<a href="http://www.facebook.com/wlpspto">www.facebook.com/wlpspto</a>
Whitmore Lake Robotics	Grades 5-8; Grades 9-12	<b>The mission of FIRST® is to inspire young people to be science and technology leaders and innovators by engaging them in exciting mentor-based programs that build science, engineering, and technology skills; that inspire innovation; and that foster well-rounded life capabilities, including self-confidence, communication, and leadership.</b>	A leader for a FIRST Lego League for grades K-4 and 5-7. Donations of time are the most important way to help. We need adult help with accounting, marketing, photography, videography, CAD, software, statistics, mechanical engineering, carpentry, general power tools, logistics, and electrical engineering.	Please visit this web link to see our current materials wish list. <a href="http://www.wlrobotics.org/wish-list.html">http://www.wlrobotics.org/wish-list.html</a>	Sign-up meeting for FLL and FLL jr. teams is June 5, 2019 Middle School (grades 5-8) Signup is June 5, 2019, there might be spots on the team available until September 7, 2019. High School Signup is any time before January 4, 2020 (The sooner the better.)	Laura Schwennesen lmschwennesen@gmail.com Jeff Schwennesen xjschwen@gmail.com	<a href="http://www.wlrobotics.org">http://www.wlrobotics.org</a> Facebook: Whitmore Lake Robotics Instagram: wlrobotics
Whitmore Lake Touchdown Club	Football players in grades 9-12	To raise money for the high school football program	Attend club meetings - 3rd Monday of every month at 7:00 PM			Brad Tanner bradtanner5115@gmail.com	
WISD Parent Advisory Committee	Special Education students birth to 26 years old	Consists of parents of students with special needs. We advise the WISD concerning the planning and implementation of special education programs and services. We work to ensure student success by strengthening the capacities of our local schools, families and communities through collaboration, use of best practices, technology, and a wide variety of strategies.	Attend parent meetings at WISD. Vote on WISD millage.	Meeting participation	We meet the third Tuesday of every month during the school year to discuss special education programs, issues and ideas on how to be of assistance to parents.	Shelli Kritzman shelli.kritzman@wlps.net	<a href="https://washtenawisd.org/departments/special-education/parent-advisory-committee">https://washtenawisd.org/departments/special-education/parent-advisory-committee</a>
WLHS Student Council	Grades 9-12	Student Council acts as a liaison between students and teachers, administration, and the school board. It also plans and implements a number of student activities including Homecoming, Snowcoming, the Holiday Assembly, and Spring Fling.	Volunteering as dance chaperones, Homecoming Parade safety volunteers, donating supplies for Homecoming floats		Homecoming- October 11	Kris Klump-Ward kris.ward@wlps.net	<a href="https://twitter.com/WLHSstucco">https://twitter.com/WLHSstucco</a>
WLMS Drama Club	Grades 5-8	The mission of WLMS drama club is to add the love of theater in all aspects to our students lives.	The WLMS Drama club would enjoy everyone in the community to attend their shows.	Our sound system needs updating	Auditions Sept 4 Show dates are Dec 6-8 and Feb 14-16	Patti Kobeck patti.kobeck@wlps.net	
WLPS Media Centers	Grades Pre-K-12	Connecting community and students to the transforming power of reading and knowledge.	Assist in the tasks associated with media center circulation.	Circulation desk shifts for both buildings for regular classroom visits and maintaining circulation tasks. Volunteer work can be	'August 25, 2019	Pamela Blount pam.blount@wlps.net	