

# PAW PRINTS

*A Newsletter from the Wilson PTG (Parent-Teacher Group)*



Join us for an evening of hands-on fun at STEM Night on Tuesday, February 24, from 5:00–7:00 p.m. in the Wilson gym. Current Wilson students and their families are invited to enjoy engaging activities led by Mobius staff and volunteers. This interactive event is designed for learners of all ages. Best of all, it's free to attend, made possible by your generous support during the 2025 Wildcat Walk. Volunteers are needed - we hope to see you there!



**DATES  
TO  
REMEMBER**

**PRESIDENTS' DAY (no school)**  
• February 16

**WEATHER MAKE-UP DAY (no school-unless days have been missed)**  
• February 17

**80s SPIRIT DAY**  
• February 20

**WILSON NIGHT AT SPOKANE CHIEFS**  
• February 20; 7:05 pm

**STEM NIGHT**  
• February 24; 5:00-7:00 pm

**PTG MEETING**  
• March 10; 7:00 pm

**WEATHER MAKE-UP DAY (no school unless days have been missed)**  
• March 13

# IN THE WILSON WORLD

## LEGO Robotics

This fall and winter, 19 Wilson students participated on two LEGO Robotics teams - the Wilson Dino Diggers and the Ancient Wildcat Builders. Both teams created one-of-a-kind designs aimed at improving the field of archaeology. Many thanks to the teacher and parent volunteers who made this extracurricular possible for a group of hardworking and creative fourth and fifth graders! Like many Wilson activities, LEGO Robotics is funded by the PTG via your contributions to the Wildcat Walk.



## DEI Committee Update

The Wilson PTG DEI committee is partnering with a group of Wilson teachers to develop a list of community organizations and resources available to teachers when looking to expand classroom learning. If you are interested in adding resources to this list, or if you would like to join the Wilson DEI group once a month to talk about ways to contribute to a more welcoming community, email [Janelle Klein](mailto:Janelle.Klein).

## Student-Designed Shirts Available

Congratulations to 5th grader Norilee Chapman on winning the t-shirt design contest! Youth shirts are just \$10 and are available to order now through February 23 at the [Wilson Swag Store](#).



## Thinking Green

by Bre Orcasitas

Interested in joining the Green Committee? Contact Bre at [bre434@gmail.com](mailto:bre434@gmail.com)

Did you know that Wilson has a Green Committee, as well as a Green Club? The Green Committee provides caregivers a voice to advocate for sustainable alternatives regarding school events and daily operations at Wilson. The Green Club is for students in grades 3-5, who enjoy nature, and care about the planet. The Green Club meets bi-monthly.

Individually, we can lessen our impact, collectively we can make a big difference. If you'd like to help ensure that the Green Committee/Club continues into future years, please consider volunteering. To learn more, visit our [website](#).

## PTG REIMBURSEMENT POLICY UPDATE

When submitting a reimbursement request, please be sure to include complete invoices or receipts that show the total amount and applicable tax, not just a screenshot of individual items or shopping carts. If your receipt includes items that are not part of the reimbursement request, please highlight or circle the items you are requesting reimbursement for.

## YOU'RE INVITED: MARCH PTG MEETING

Meet other parents, bring new ideas to the school community, and learn about opportunities for volunteering and supporting our school! We meet the second Tuesday of each month in the Wilson library, and on Zoom. Watch for the agenda in your inbox during the week prior to each meeting.

**NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, March 10 from 7:00-8:00 pm**

[Meeting Link](#)

Meeting ID: 863 2266 5646

Passcode: 20242025

## WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

*Want to include an item on the next agenda? Fill out the [request form](#). (due the first Tuesday of the month)*

*Need financial support for a project or activity for Wilson students? Submit the mini-grant [request form](#). The proposal will be reviewed and voted upon at an upcoming PTG meeting. (due the first Tuesday of the month)*

*Know of a Wilson event or activity that should be highlighted in the newsletter? Send photos and/or event details to [Stephane Newman](#). (due the first Friday of the month)*

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