



Will Carleton Academy

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Dear Will Carleton Academy Families,

One can't complain about this weekend's weather! It was pretty awesome considering that it is early November. I hope you all had a lovely weekend.

Thank you to those who brought Veterans to Opening Ceremony last Friday. Allowing the children to share someone close to them with such distinction is so important. The fellowship afterwards was very nice, too. The small group was thrilled to meet some new people with that common thread. It was wonderful to witness.

Preschool through 2nd grade families should be reminded about the Thanksgiving Feast invitation that was included in last week's mailer. Those are due to the office this Wednesday, November 15th. We look forward to this tradition on campus.

The November Board meeting scheduled for tomorrow evening has been canceled. The lack of quorum was a challenge to hold the monthly business meeting. The cancellation will give committees of the board time to meet if necessary. The board will be back to business as usual in December.

The Fall Athletic Banquet is this week on Thursday, November 16th at 6:00 pm in the gym. If your child(ren) participated in a fall sport, this is a great time to celebrate their accomplishments. Please plan to join all fall athletes and their families for this special event.

The office has 2022-2023 WCA yearbooks for sale. The shipment arrived and there are some left and for \$55.00 you can hold lots of memories in your hands! Give Mrs. Jackson or Mrs. Miller a call and they can help you with that request.

The Parent Forum has included the Pizza Day order form for November's Pizza Day a week early due to Thanksgiving Break next week. Pizza Day is the 29th of November but the team wanted to give you enough time to plan, order and pay. Hope this helps!

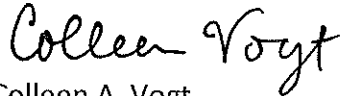
Speaking of Thanksgiving, please be reminded of our scheduled holiday break next week. Classes end with dismissal on Tuesday, November 21st at 3:30 pm and will resume on Monday, November 27th with Opening Ceremony at 8:10 am. This break includes the addition of the Wednesday before Thanksgiving; hopefully that allows for some added rest for our students and staff.

A reminder from the office about Formal Uniform Days: these days are Monday and Wednesday each week. The students need to wear the items that are delineated in the handbook for Formal Uniform Days by grade level such as, *hunter green polo, white oxford button down shirt, green plaid tie, or hunter green sweater vest*. It is also important to mention that black leggings or socks are not items included in the uniform policy for any day. I

appreciate your attention to this as WCA is committed to a uniform policy and it is truly one of the reasons families choose to attend our school. On the most recent parent survey, it was noted that the uniform policy needed to be enforced consistently; that is the responsibility of parents and administration as a team.

I hope you have a great week. Please be reminded that the week ends with a \$2.00 French Club Casual Day. School appropriate casual clothes may be worn for this fundraiser. Sounds like a great way to end our week!

Be well,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Colleen Vogt". The letters are fluid and connected, with a prominent loop at the end of the last name.

Colleen A. Vogt