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Word Around the Webb Newsletter

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WEBB STREET SCHOOL

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School website

OUR MISSION

The purpose of Webb Street School is to provide a safe and caring environment that will provide a foundation for lifelong learning. Each student will have the opportunity to experience success with relevant, individualized learning experiences that occur in meaningful settings. We will seek to include family members and appropriate community members in providing relevant educational experiences for students in appropriate community settings.

SCHOOL EVENTS

SCHOOL CALENDAR LINK

SCHOOL NEWS

A School Family in Need

On Thanksgiving weekend one of our families lost their home and all their belongings do to a furnace fire. We are grateful the family was able to escape safely.



The school is donating all the proceeds from the

lettuce in the aquaponics system to the family. Please stop by and pickup a bag of lettuce or mixed greens. Each bag is \$3. A fresh batch of lettuce is picked every Monday.

If you would like to donate a gift card to Walmart or another store that the family could use to replace household items and clothing it would be greatly appreciated.

Congratulations to the Raffle Winners

On Tuesday, November 21st



Gaston County Sheriff **Explorers and Webb** Street School held a raffle drawing benefiting the school playground.

Congratulations to 1st

prize winner Leslie Wyatt who won a cruise to the Bahamas and to 2nd prize winner Rowena Barker who

won a family pass to Carowinds. Thank you to Gaston County Sheriff Department for



donating the prizes of the raffle and the continued support. The raffle raised over \$13,000 toward the playground.



Don't Miss The School Holiday Show

Please join us on Friday, December 15, 2017 at 1 pm for the best holiday show you will ever see. All the students are working hard preparing the most joyous and fun show.

MORE EXCITEMENT AROUND THE WEBB

WBTV Spotlights Webb

Thank you Ben Williamson of WBTV for highlighting our inclusive accessible playground. If you missed the story that aired on Thanksgiving day you can view it by clicking the link.



Community Foundation Awards Grant to PTO

Webb Street School and the PTO would like to thank the Community Foundation for awarding a \$30,000 grant for the inclusive accessible playground on November 21, 2017. This grant puts the project closer to the \$260,000 goal.



PTO Corner



Saturday, March 3, 2018 6 pm

The Art of Fashion 'An Enchanted Evening

As we are all doing our holiday shopping, and many of us use Amazon link your Amazon account with Webb Street School PTO. Amazon will donate 0.5% of your purchase to the school. Every little bit helps!

The PTO is selling Webb Street School ornaments. These make a great holiday gift. If you would like an ornament fill out the form that will be in Tuesday folder and send it back. Each ornament is \$5.

The PTO needs a secretary to keep minutes during the PTO meetings. If you are willing to take on the job let us know.



SPIDER BOWL









UNIQUE - DECEMBER

Elementary -- History - Explore why early settlers moved.

Middle school -- History/World History - Compares physical and human-made features of the past with those of today.

High school -- History/ World History - Investigates how communities and cultures have changed over time.

*Transition - Alcohol, Drugs and Tobacco (Personal Life) -*Explores issues concerning drugs, alcohol and tobacco.