

# The Wardlaw-Hartridge Fall Fair & Homecoming

## - Frequently Asked Questions -

### **Q: What is the Fall Fair?**

**A:** The Fall Fair is an exciting community day filled with fun and events for all. W-H families, friends, faculty, and alumni come for the day to have fun meeting new people or catch-up with old friends! It is a “fun” raising event and all proceeds directly fund the events and items the Parents’ Association provides throughout the school year.

### **Q: When? Where? What time is the Fall Fair?**

**A:** The Fall Fair is Saturday October 15th from 10am - 4pm on the school grounds. Some of the sports games do start earlier so please make sure to check the games schedule.

### **Q: Who attends the Fall Fair?**

**A:** Parents, alumni, staff, and friends of The Wardlaw-Hartridge School - but all are welcome to attend.

### **Q: What do you do at the Fall Fair?**

**A:** The Fall Fair has something for everyone. There are carnival games for all, bounce houses and obstacle courses, a petting zoo, pony rides, a rock wall climb, a wrecking ball (fun for all) and vendors/shops to start your holiday shopping ( or buy something for yourself). We also have our annual 50/50 raffle and basket “tricky tray” raffle.

### **Q: What is the 50/50 Raffle?**

**A:** We start selling the tickets about a month before Fall Fair and they stay on sale until approx 3:45pm the day of.

3 winners are then drawn at 4pm - the prizes are:

35% of all monies collected

10% of all monies collected

5% of all monies collected

The more tickets we sell - the larger the prizes!! Last year’s winners took home over \$9000.00!!!

You do not have to be present to win.

### **Q: What is the Basket Raffle?**

**A:** This is a “tricky tray” style raffle. Each class donates a basket as well as many other baskets donated by family and friends. You can drop tickets in the basket(s) you like throughout the day. Drawing begins around 3:30pm. You do not need to be present to win. In the past, baskets have included sports tickets, iPads, gift cards, experiences, school concert seats and so much more!!

### **Q: Is there food available?**

**A:** Yes - you can start your day at our coffee/tea station and enjoy a hot or cold beverage along with a roll or bagel. Then enjoy a sit down lunch in the Oakwood Room presented by an Upper Class or head to the Booster Club’s Grill Station to enjoy a hamburger, hot dog, and more. When you are ready for something sweet - stop by our Bakery for a large selection of treats - to enjoy while at Fall Fair - but don’t forget to take some home!!

Middle and Upper Schoolers also run their own fundraisers which in the past have included French fries, cotton candy and other carnival food!!

### **Q: What other events are happening during Fall Fair?**

**A:** Starting with the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, most classes and W-H sports teams are playing a game. Games usually start around 8:30am and run most of the day. There are also many alumni events: meet and greet at the Alumni tent, an awards reception, and alumni/faculty sporting events.

### **Q: Is there a website for the event?**

**A:** Yes. For information and forms/contracts please go to [www.whschool.org/fallfair](http://www.whschool.org/fallfair)

**Q: How can I help with the Fall Fair?**

**A:** We always need help with this amazing event. You can volunteer the day of Fall Fair for a half hour or as much time as you would like. Just let us know what time(s) you would like and which “station” you would like to volunteer. You can help sell raffle tickets, basket raffle tickets, at the coffee station, bakery station or at the carnival games. You can donate items for the basket raffle and/or the bakery. Monetary donations are also accepted.

**Q: I have more questions. Who do I contact?**

**A:** Feel free to email Kevin Kornecki at [kkornecki@comcast.net](mailto:kkornecki@comcast.net)