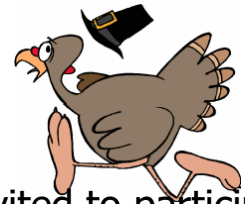


Waterloo's "Give & Gobble" Turkey Trot!

Thursday, November 9, 2023



Who: All Waterloo ES students, staff, and families are invited to participate!

What: Give. We are asking families to consider donating suggested household items based on the child's grade level. Donations will be collected in homeroom pods from October 27th - November 10th.

Trot. Run, jog, or walk the course.

Families are welcome to join the run or help monitor the course. If you're able to volunteer, please complete the following forms, located here: [volunteer forms](#)

and email them to Melissa_Verna@hcpss.org

Once you have completed the HCPSS forms, use this link to volunteer on SignUpGenius: [volunteer sign up](#)

When: Thursday, November 9th during your child's Related Arts time!

Rain date: Friday, November 10, 2023

4 th Grade:	9:35-10:35
3 rd Grade:	10:35-11:35
5 th Grade:	11:40-12:40
2 nd Grade:	12:45-1:45
Kindergarten:	1:45-2:45
1 st Grade:	2:45-3:45

Where: Grades K-2: The ½ mile course consists of 3 laps on the playground fields behind the school (by the parking lot).

Grades 3-5: The 1-mile course is 2 laps around the perimeter of the school, starting in the grassy area by the Pre-K/K wing.

Why: Our goal is to promote a healthy lifestyle. In addition to the run, all students will be invited to "gobble" down a healthy snack. **Many thanks** go out to Giant Foods for their generous fruit donation. We also wanted to provide support for some of our Waterloo families for the holiday season.

Holiday Care Package Donation Items

We are looking to collect items to provide families with holiday care packages. While we see a need for assistance with holiday meals, we also realize that Thanksgiving celebrations can be unique and go beyond the typical association of turkey and potatoes with our increasingly diversified community. Our hope this year is that providing personal and household items will lift financial strains in other areas so that families may purchase meal items of their choice. Please consider donating any of the following items for our care package drive.

If you wish to donate a grocery store (Giant, Weis) or multipurpose store (Walmart, Target) gift card to support families with their purchases instead of household donations, please feel free to do so. All gift card donations can be sent in with your child in an envelope labeled, "Holiday Care Donation, Attn: Ms. Tully."

K	Dental Hygiene/First Aid Ex: toothpaste, toothbrush, floss, mouthwash, bandaids, etc.
1st	Undergarments (<i>New and unused</i>) Ex: Socks, undershirts, underwear (kid sizes 4/5T- 10/12), etc.
2nd	Personal Care Items Ex: Bar soap, body wash, personal hygiene wipes, deodorant, Q-tips, cotton balls, lotion/body moisturizers, face wash, face lotion, nail clippers, files, ChapStick, etc.
3rd	Paper Supplies Ex: Toilet paper, paper towels, tissues, napkins, paper plates, baby wipes, cleaning wipes, etc.
4th	Kitchen Supplies Ex: Kitchen trash bags (13 gallon), small trash bags (4 gallon), large trash bags (30 gallon), sandwich/quart/gallon plastic bags, tin foil, dish soap, dish sponges, hand soap, etc.
5th	Laundry Items Ex: detergent, softener, dryer sheets, stain removal products, etc.

Thank you so much for your generosity!