

PTO Creative Arts

The Creative Arts committee is responsible for bringing enrichment performances and authors to our schools. We work with the principals and teaching staff to determine the type of programming.

The committee covers all of the Weston schools so being part of Creative Arts is a great way to help out—and stay in touch with what’s happening at the schools. A committee member contributes by attending monthly meetings; meeting, greeting and providing snacks for performers and authors; viewing our own booked programs; previewing performances in nearby schools; and booking artists. You can be involved as much as your schedule allows.

We meet monthly, generally the first Monday of the month. Look for our meeting reminders and locations in the PTO Westword newsletter. All meetings start at 9:30 am (come at 9:15 am for refreshments) except for our last meeting. Please join and support our Creative Arts committee.

Monthly Meeting Dates:

September 13
October 5 (Tuesday)
November 1
December 6
January 4 (Tuesday)
February 1 (Tuesday)
March 14
April 4
May 2
June 6 – ** Start time 10:30 am End of Year Luncheon

Upcoming Performances:

The following programs are booked for this year. The Wordfest visiting authors are in *italics*. We will continue to book programs throughout the year. Please be aware that dates and details may change. Please see the weekly PTO Westword newsletter for the most up to date information:

Date:	Performer:	Time:	Audience:
September			
September 28, 2010	Travis Roy - Gr. 6, 7, 8	1:30 pm	Middle School 6 th – 8 th Grade in HS Auditorium
October			
<i>October 5, 7 & 8</i>	<i>Barbara O’Connor (author)</i>	<i>TDB</i>	<i>Field – Grade 5</i>
October 8, 2010	Theatre Espresso	9:00 am	Middle School – 8 th Grade

Date:	Performer:	Time:	Audience:
October 13, 2010	Manguito – Latin American Music	8:30 am	Field School – Grade 4 & 5
October 25, 2010	New Rep on Tour: The Scarlet Letter	8:30 am	High School - 10 th Grade
<i>October 22, 2010</i>	<i>Suzy Kline (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country – Grade 2</i>
<i>October 29, 2010</i>	<i>Laurie Halse Anderson (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field – Grade 5</i>
November			
November 4, 2010	Manguito – Latin American Music	9:00 and 10:00 am	Woodland - pre k - 3
<i>November 4, 2010 (begin date)</i>	<i>Lyn Littlefield Hoopes (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Woodland - 3rd Grade</i>
November 9, 2010	Manguito – Latin American Music	9:00 and 10:00 am	Country - pre k - 3
November 12, 2010	Revels Rep (Immigration Program)	10:00 AM	Field School - 4th Grade
<i>November 12, 2010</i>	<i>Michael Tougias (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field - 5th Grade</i>
<i>November 17 - 18, 2010</i>	<i>Giles Laroche (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country - 2nd Grade</i>
<i>November 22 - 23, 2010</i>	<i>Giles Laroche (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Woodland - 2nd Grade</i>
December			
<i>December 15, 2010</i>	<i>Grace Lin (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Woodland - 1st Grade</i>
<i>December 16, 2010</i>	<i>Grace Lin (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country - 1st Grade</i>
January			
January 11, 2011	Urban Improv (anti-bullying program)	9:00 am	Middle School –7 th Grade
<i>January 4, 2011 (begin date)</i>	<i>Lyn Littlefield Hoopes (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country- 3rd Grade</i>
January 11, 2011	Origination (Dance Workshops)	During PE classes 9:30 & 10:45 am	Field School - 5th Grade
January 13, 2011	Origination (Dance Workshop and Performance)	Workshop during PE & Performance 10:45 am	Field School - 5th Grade
<i>January 21, 2011</i>	<i>Jack Gantos (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Middle School - 6th Grade</i>

February

<i>February 9, 2011</i>	<i>Greg Tang (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country - 3rd Grade</i>
<i>February 10, 2011</i>	<i>Greg Tang (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Woodland - 3rd Grade</i>
<i>February 15, 2011</i>	<i>Valerie Tutson – storyteller</i>		<i>Woodland pre k - 3</i>
<i>February 16, 2011</i>	<i>Living Voices-Through the Eyes of a Friend (Anne Frank Story)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Middle School - 7th Grade</i>
<i>February 17, 2011</i>	<i>Valerie Tutson – storyteller</i>		<i>Country pre k - 3</i>

March

<i>March 1, 2011</i>	<i>New Rep on Tour: Hamlet</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>High School - 12th Grade</i>
<i>March 15, 2011</i>	<i>Jarrett Krosoczka (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country & Woodland-Kindergarten</i>
<i>March 18, 2011</i>	<i>Suzy Kline (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Woodland - 2nd Grade</i>

April

<i>April 5 & 7, 2011</i>	<i>Karen Montanaro</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Middle School</i>
<i>April 7, 2011</i>	<i>Allen Kurzweil (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field - 4th Grade</i>
<i>April 14, 2011</i>	<i>Karen Montanaro</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Woodland – pre k - 3</i>
<i>April 15, 2011</i>	<i>Karen Montanaro</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country – pre k - 3</i>
<i>April 25-27, 2011</i>	<i>Jeff Kelly (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field - 4th Grade</i>

May

<i>May 3, 2011</i>	<i>Brian Lies (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country & Woodland -1st Grade</i>
<i>May 5, 2011</i>	<i>Maryann Cocca-Leffler (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Woodland -Kindergarten</i>
<i>May 6, 2011</i>	<i>Maryann Cocca-Leffler (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Country -Kindergarten</i>
<i>May 10-12, 2011</i>	<i>Jeff Kelly (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field - 4th Grade</i>
<i>May 19-20, 2011</i>	<i>Judith Moffatt (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field - 4th Grade</i>

June

<i>June 1-3, 2011</i>	<i>Judith Moffatt (author)</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field - 4th Grade</i>
June 6, 2011	Karen Montanaro	TBD	Field - Grade 4 & 5
<i>June 8 or 9, 2011</i>	<i>Young Author's night with Jeff Kelly & Judith Moffatt</i>	<i>TBD</i>	<i>Field - 4th Grade</i>

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