

Dear Parents and Families:

Reading is the most important skill you can teach a child. It empowers us and guides us toward a bright future in this ever changing world of technology. Of all the skills children learn, it is the one you can influence the most.

The Westchester Parents and Teachers for Children (WPTC) of Westchester Intermediate School invite you to visit our Scholastic Book Fair and experience a celebration of reading that provides families the opportunity to get involved in a universal mission: *encouraging kids to read every day so they can lead better lives.*

Our Scholastic Book Fair theme – **BOOK FAIR LUAU**– is part of IT'S A READING CELEBRATION reading event that brings to school a wonderful selection of fun, engaging, and affordable books kids want to read. Giving kids access to good books and the opportunity to choose their own books will motivate them to read more. And like most acquired skills, the more kids practice reading, the better they'll get.

Reading is vital to every child's success, and raising kids as readers means getting involved while they're young. Now is the time. Hope to see you there!

Book Fair Dates For Students: Wednesday, February 1st – Thursday, February 2nd – Friday, February 3rd

Student Shopping Hours: Students will shop with their class (schedule on back)

Note: Children will be shopping at this book fair with their classroom during school hours. Please make checks payable to the WPTC.

Please Note: There is an 8.5% tax on all Scholastic purchases.

Parent Shopping: Family Night, Thursday, February 2nd,
6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Sincerely,

Eve Stamos-Gioulis and Amy Ward
WIS Spring Book Fair Committee