

HOT CIDER

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Cider Mill School is a Community of Learners, ALL committed to being the best we can be.

Important Dates

Jan 02	New Year's Day Observance – No School
Jan 16	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – No School
Jan 20	SnowBall Dance Party – 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm
Jan 20	Reading Rocks! Dress Like a Rock Star Day!
Jan 20-Feb03	Reading Rocks Pledge Collection
Jan 24	4 th Grade Chorus/Orchestra – South (7.00- 8.00 pm)
Jan 25	4 th Grade Chorus/Orchestra – North (7.00- 8.00 pm)

Dear Cider Mill Parents and Guardians,

I hope everyone enjoyed a peaceful winter break and are looking forward to school on Tuesday!

Just a friendly reminder that our next PTA meeting is Tuesday, **January 10th at 9:15 a.m.** in the Cider Mill cafeteria. **Superintendent Dr. Kevin Smith will be joining us**, so bring your questions or comments. It's also the beginning of budget season, so now is a great time to start learning, asking questions, and getting involved!

As always, please feel free to contact us with any questions or issues at MichelleAKrupa@gmail.com or giddingsmelissa@hotmail.com.

Michelle Krupa and Melissa Reynolds
Cider Mill PTA Co-Presidents

Helpful Links

Important and Helpful Links:

Cider Mill Contact Info: (203) 762-3351

CM Attendance: (203) 834-4950 or cmattend@wiltonps.org

CM School

Handbook: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_f0M9w06qZRHnJLuF6Th_kbtDQqCPRABChT0M-ERmVM/edit

CM House

List: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Wg883jXBcWnTQOZNGLV746OvS6tnJaleYDL4q9doINy/edit>

CM Community Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1168962513117647/>

WPS Covid 19 Health and Safety

Protocols: https://s3.amazonaws.com/scschoollfiles/2699/wps_covid_protocols_2022-23_school_opening.pdf

WPS Back to School Website: https://www.wiltonps.org/342738_2

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Guide: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GaiNlxIMyxXW6MCCbSMi2fer2xLP0bfT/view?usp=drivesdk>

WPS 2022-23 School Calendar: https://s3.amazonaws.com/scschoollfiles/2699/revised_2022-23_district_calendar_472022.pdf

CM Interactive Calendar: https://www.wiltonps.org/576928_3

WPS App: Located in the Apple and Android app stores

Wilton BOE: https://wiltonps.org/338734_2

Pay for CM Club/Activities Fee: https://www.wiltonps.org/575955_3

Wilton PowerSchool Login: <https://wilton.powerschool.com/public/>

School Messenger Information: https://wiltonps.org/595543_3

Schoology Information: https://wiltonps.org/576129_3

Special Bus Assignments: https://wiltonps.org/579910_3

MySchoolBucks: <https://www.myschoolbucks.com/ver2/getmain?requestAction=home>

School Lunch Menus: <https://wilton.nutrislice.com/menu/menus-eula>

Join Wilton SEPTA: <https://www.wiltonsepta.org/>

School News

SnowBall Dance Party!

Due to overwhelming interest, we have decided to have TWO parties to accommodate more kids. We will be having 2 parties split up by grade. As space permits, the 4th Graders can choose either party.

Cider Mill PTA is excited to announce our first ever SNOWBALL DANCE PARTY

Friday, January 20th

For 3rd and 4th Graders at 5-7pm

For 4th and 5th Graders at 7-9pm

DJ, Dancing, PhotoBooth, Crafts, Games, and More!

DROP OFF Event in the Cider Mill Gym

Buy your tickets here: <https://bit.ly/CMSnowball>

*****TICKETS ARE LIMITED*****

Wilton Special Education PTA

Like our [Facebook](#) page and visit our [website](#) to stay updated with the latest meetings, news, and information. In preparation for the upcoming PPT, annual meeting, and transition meeting season, we will be sharing planning and organizing tips with families on collaborating with school teams.

- We invite teachers to take advantage of our [gifts and grants](#) program.
- Membership, Board, Committee positions open- it's not too late to join!
- We are seeking interested parents to help on our Community and Family Events Committee, including help for our April 2022 Diversity and Inclusion Awareness and Be Kind Campaign.

Community News

NAMI-CAN WILTON

The COVID pandemic has caused unprecedented stress in our society and many children's behaviors have been triggered as a result. What was manageable pre-Covid is now out of control. Find support for you, as you support your child who is struggling.

The **National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Child and Adolescent Network (CAN)** is a Support Group for parents of children with behavioral, emotional, and mental health issues. The meeting is free, confidential, safe, and led by trained volunteer facilitators who themselves have had personal experiences raising children with these concerns. Our meetings are a place to speak freely and be understood without embarrassment or the fear of being judged or treated differently.

Our meetings are held virtually over zoom and for security, you must contact Beth or Vanessa for the password. For more information contact: Beth at 203-984-0123 or beth44es@gmail.com OR Vanessa at 203-970-4130 or eliasvanessa5@gmail.com

Submit News to Hot Cider

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