

**Whittier Elementary School/Oak Park, Illinois**
**PTO Event Calendar – dates are subject to change – October 29, 2012**

DATE	EVENT	
8/20/12	New Kindergarten student welcome	
8/22/12	First day of school – Coffee Meet and Greet	Coffe and bagels on the playground before school
9/18/12	PTO Business Meeting	
9/20/12	Back to School Picnic	Grilling, food and band on the playground – community builder
10/3/12	Fun Run	Music and snacks for runners/walkers on the playground
10/16/12	PTO Meeting – Community Topic(s) or Event	
10/17-19/12	Book Fair	Scholastic Book Fair
10/18-19/12	½ Day of School – Family/Teacher Conferences	
10/29-30/12	Pumpkin Fest	Families/students decorate pumpkins for display and prizes
10/31/12	Halloween Parade	Students walk around playground in costume
11/7-9/12	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Camping Trip	5 <sup>th</sup> Graders go to Camp Edwards. PTO supplies scholarships.
11/13/12	PTO Business Meeting	
11/15/12	Turkey Trot	Students go to Taylor Park and run around the park to win a turkey.
11/16/12	Harvest Dance	Dance in the gym – sponsored by Girl Scouts
11/21-23/12	School Closed – Thanksgiving break	
12/6/12	SIT Family Night	
12/13/12	Music Concert (K-1-2-3)	
12/18/12	PTO Leadership and Chairs Meeting	
12/24/12-1/4/13	School Closed	
1/15/13	PTO Meeting – Community Topic(s) or Event	
1/18/13	Spaghetti Dinner	Spaghetti Dinner/fundraiser for PTO. Spaghetti is donated by a restaurant.
1/21/13	School Closed – MLK Day	
1/30/13-2/1/13	Book Fair	Scholastic Book Fair
1/31/13-2/1/13	½ day of school – Family/Teacher Conferences	
2/7/13	SIT Family Night	
2/18/13	President's Day	
2/19/13	PTO Business Meeting	
3/2/13	Fun Fair	Carnival games/food/prizes held throughout the school.
3/4/13	School Closed – Casimir Pulaski Day	
3/4-15/13	ISATs	
3/14/13	SIT Family Night	
3/19/13	PTO Leadership and Chairs Meeting	
3/21-29/13	Spring Break	
4/16/13	PTO Meeting – Community Topic(s) or Event	
4/21/13	Earth Day/Service Day	Volunteers help weed/maintain or do a project on the grounds.
5/8/13	Kindergarten Orientation	PTO provides snacks and drinks – hands out information on PTO
5/10/13	PTO End of the Year Picnic	Grilling/Food/Band on playground – community builder
5/14/13	PTO Business Meeting	
5/15/13	March to Success	Major fundraiser held outside of school – includes dinner and auction
TBD	Teach Appreciation Lunch	Parents provide food for teachers over their lunch break
5/23/13	Memorial Day Tribute	
5/24/13	Talent Show	
5/28/13	Olympic Day	
5/29/13	Honors Assembly	
5/30/13	Last Day of School	