



## Wolf-a-Thon Frequently Asked Questions

### 1. What is the Wolf-a-Thon?

The Wolf-a-Thon is our big Spring Fundraiser for CSI. Because of the current pandemic, we cannot do our traditional Walk-a-Thon fundraiser, so we'll be doing a 14-day Wolf-a-Thon where students will be completing "activities" instead of walking "laps". Friends and Family can choose to pledge a "flat dollar amount" or "per activity".

### 2. Wait, I'm confused. What are "activities"?

Activities are things your child(ren) can choose to do throughout the Wolf-a-Thon from April 2 - 16th. The Activity Card has many ideas and options for your student(s) to choose their own. The activities are for both indoor and outdoor and take into account current social distancing protocols and provide a variety of physical, social/emotional, academic options.

### 3. Do we need to keep track of how many activities my child(ren) do?

Yes. Please keep track on the chart at the bottom of the Activity Card. That way the friends and family who pledged "per activity" will be notified that your student(s) did [blank] number of activities. You can either enter these totals daily, weekly, or in total on your Pledgestar online page.

- For example, as you know, the Wolf-a-Thon is 14 days long. So if your child does 1 activity per day, your child would have completed 14 activities. And if your family member pledged \$2.00 per activity, the total they would submit is \$28.00.

Enter the final activity amount to your student's Pledgestar online page by 4/23 for them to be entered in a drawing for prizes!

### 4. How do we collect the pledges?

There are two options:

- 1) Collect your pledges on Pledgestar. It's an excellent and easy-to-use website that you can create specifically for your student(s). Your Pledgestar page is private and is not searchable online without your personal link.
- 2) Collect pledges using the paper form and turn it in with the checks (made out to CSI PTO) or cash to the PTO box in the Welcome Center by 4/23. Please **only** use the paper pledge sheet for pledges that cannot be gathered digitally on Pledgestar.com.

### 5. How can we win prizes?

- There are three ways for individuals to earn prizes:
  - 1) Just for participating by entering the activity count at the bottom portion of the Activity Card to your Pledgestar online page by 4/23, students will be entered in a drawing. We will also have drawings for the students who raise over \$100, \$250, and \$500. See the prize list for prizes possible per amount raised.
  - 2) On Pledgestar, we can view the number of pledge requests that are sent out, so there will be a winner from each grade level for sending out the most pledge requests. Reach out to all your family and friends.
  - 3) For having the most funds raised per grade level.
- There are also class prizes for the most pledge requests sent out and the most funds raised.
- Each student can only win one drawing. If your student raises over \$500, they will be put in that tier's drawings. If they do not win a prize at that level, they will be included in the \$250 drawings, and so forth down to the participation drawings. We want as many winners as possible. This does not include prizes for most pledge requests, funds raised, or class prizes.
- Prize winners and award winning classes will be announced on Friday, 4/23 and prizes will be distributed the following week.

### 6. What kinds of prizes are there?

The prize list is posted at [csipto.com/wat](https://csipto.com/wat) but some of the highlights are a hoverboard, a drone, an art class with Mrs. Cordero, a camera, and a gift basket from William Yao Orthodontics. There are prizes that will appeal to all grade levels.

### 7. What will the money be used for?

The funds will be put towards Design Lab, Fabrication Lab, Enrichment Programs, the Think Tank, Classroom Projects, the Hospitality Committee events, Field Trips & Assemblies, fundraisers, operating expenses, community events, new programs, and [more](#).