



What a whirlwind of a first year we had! We started out with a total of \$8567.72 that had already been raised by WPS staff, students, families, and WPS SCC! The Wawota Playground committee kicked off their fundraising efforts with a Poinsettia fundraiser raising \$847.86.

We had the opportunity to cater the Wawken Rebate Supper April 17, 2018 raising \$2466.00! Thank-you to our volunteers who worked the supper and those that donated food.

We hosted a dance April 20, 2018 that raised \$1649.72. This is a combined total including ticket sales, concession sales, and monetary donations made at the dance. Very special thank-you to Mrs. Viola Taylor, Mrs. Myrna Olsen and everyone else who donated baking. An extra thank-you to Mrs. Olsen for saving the day and lending us her very capable popcorn maker, and Carey for racing to pick it up! Thank-you Austin Johnson, Jaicee Lemieux, Breck Van Meer, Dylan Mansfield, and Riley Klein for donating your time to work concession and DJ the littles dance. Thank-you Kathy Hamilton for donating coupons for the kids to enjoy a free meal at the Wawota Village Inn! Thank-you Sydney Shire for donating your time and talent taking pictures and providing a photo booth. A very special thank-you to Dale Orstead for providing the DJ equipment for the littles dance and being our DJ at the teen dance! We greatly appreciate everyone who helped make this dance a success, especially the kids/teens!

We kicked off our Beer & BBQ Survivor in May. Kayla Porter & Kelsey Rekken entertained us weekly travelling to such destinations as Mexico, Canada, Australia and Kelsey's backyard! A very special thank-you Kayla & Kelsey! You were hilarious and we all very much enjoyed your antics! Thank-you to all of our survivors who entered and bought immunity to stay alive, because of you we raised an amazing \$5204.39! 1<sup>ST</sup> place was won by Evelyn Maccuish, 2<sup>ND</sup> place: Don Fowler, 3<sup>RD</sup> place: Kyla Fingas. Congrats to our lucky survivors. A special thanks to Jaime Finlay and the Wawota Arts group for lending us their fundraising idea.

Enbridge donated \$10,000.00 to our efforts in June! Thank-you Enbridge!

Our 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Golf Tournament was held June 23, 2018. Thank-you to our hole sponsors, The Moosehead, Golf Kenosee, all the volunteers who planned, organized, and worked the tournament, or that donated food. You raised a whopping \$8158.73!!

Thank-you to anyone who donated directly to the school account, supported pizza lunches, or held a fundraiser on our behalf. It raised an additional \$3,265.61, giving us a grand total of \$40,156.03 raised to date!

Rather than set a monetary goal we decided to continue to raise funds until July 2020 and the current board at that time can decide to continue fundraising or build a structure with what has been raised.

**Special thanks to our outgoing board:**

Kayla Porter, President  
Lynette Cheveldae, Vice President  
Kelsey Rekken, Treasurer  
Michelle Klein, Secretary

**and a warm welcome to this year's board:**

Lynette Cheveldae, President  
Dayna Coffey, Vice President  
Sarah Weatherald, Treasurer  
Brandi Balfour, Secretary

**Upcoming Fundraisers for 2018/19 Poinsettia Fundraiser Pizza Lunches Jets Raffle Dance Golf Tournament Mud Run**

**Mark Your Calendar**

Our next meeting will be held at Kenosee Inn & Cabins, November 5, 2018 @ 7:00pm Everyone is welcome to attend!

**WAWOTA PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE**

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