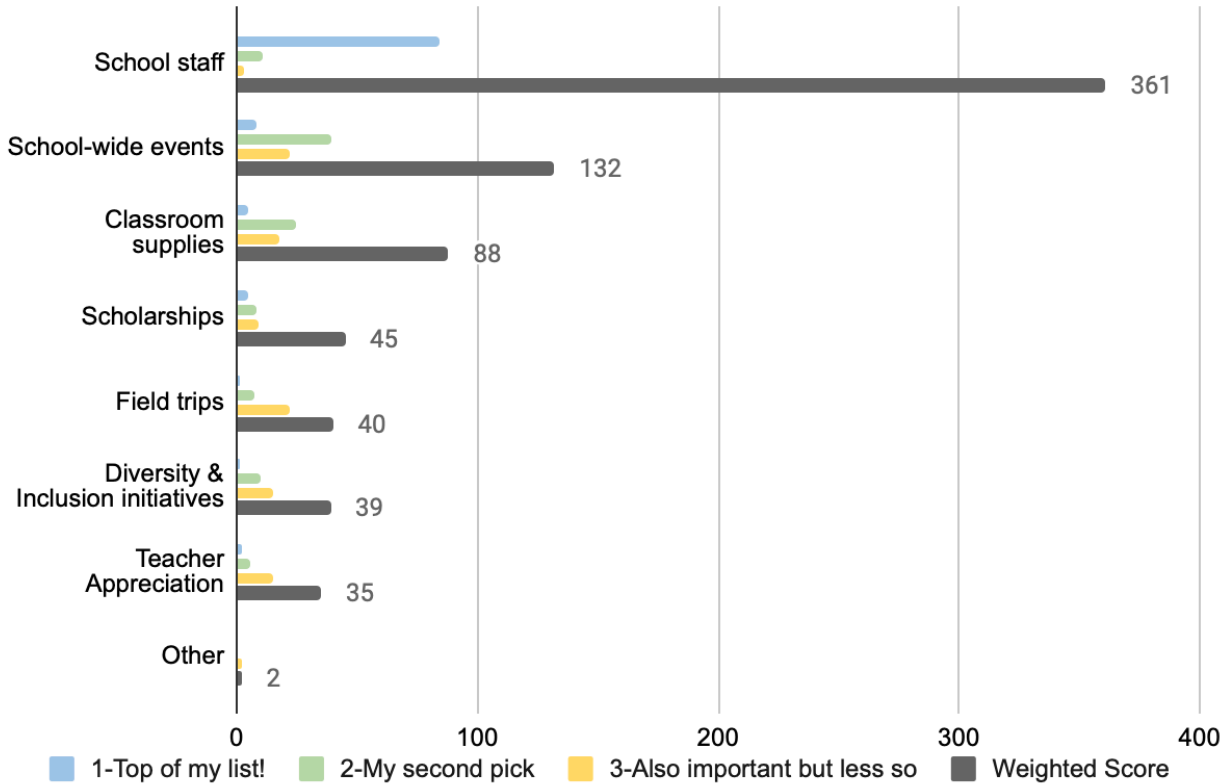


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1. What are your top 3 budget priorities?



Comments:

<i>Bring back garden curriculum</i>
<i>Can parents weigh in on where money for staff goes? If not, I do not want to fund staff.</i>
<i>Expanding aftercare spots!</i>
<i>Hard to choose just three, I think classroom supplies and teacher appreciation is also important, would tie for third along with field trips.</i>
<i>Having a librarian at the school is incredibly important to our family.</i>
<i>I don't think we should be paying for any staff. It seems not fair as not all schools have PTAs with funds to do this, I assume. Couldn't volunteers help address some of the staffing needs?</i>
<i>I think school-wide events should include diversity and inclusion events, so I hope that is covered.</i>
<i>I would like to see more resources go to the playground, garden, school technology, cafeteria (painting, art, technology), more full time afterschool programs and language immersion,</i>
<i>School Activities (missing on list)</i>
<i>Small turf field for recess soccer games. New basketball hoops!</i>
<i>STEM and language classes as after school options!!</i>
<i>the carnival rides seem like they must be expensive.</i>
<i>Would love Kids time to get more spaces !</i>
<i>Would love to see the playground black top area improved</i>

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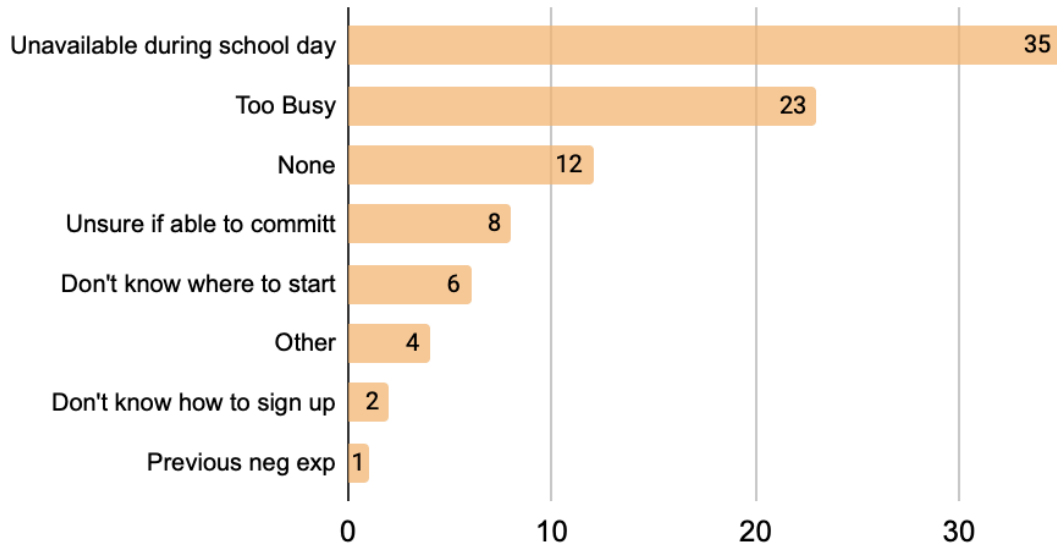
2. Is asking for 5 volunteer hours per student reasonable?

No	12	17.91%
Yes	55	82.09%
Respondents	67	100.00%

3. Do you plan on volunteering this year?

No	7	10.29%
Yes	61	89.71%
Respondents	68	100.00%

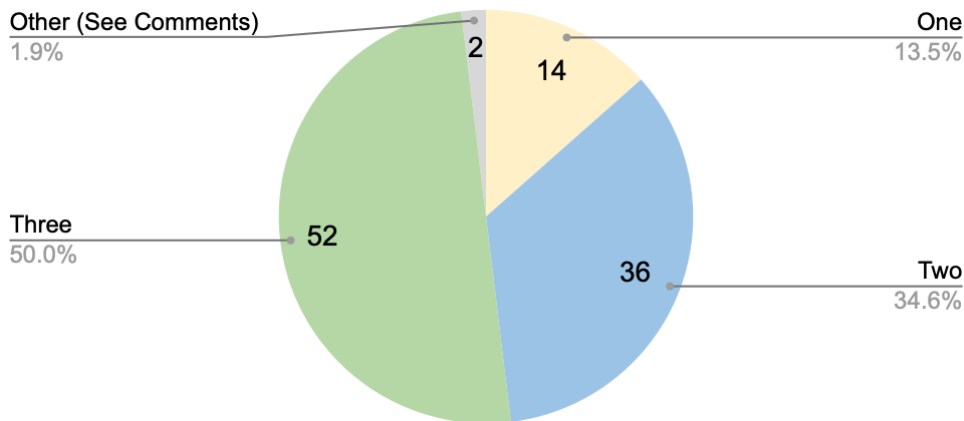
4. What may make volunteering difficult for you? (Check all that apply)



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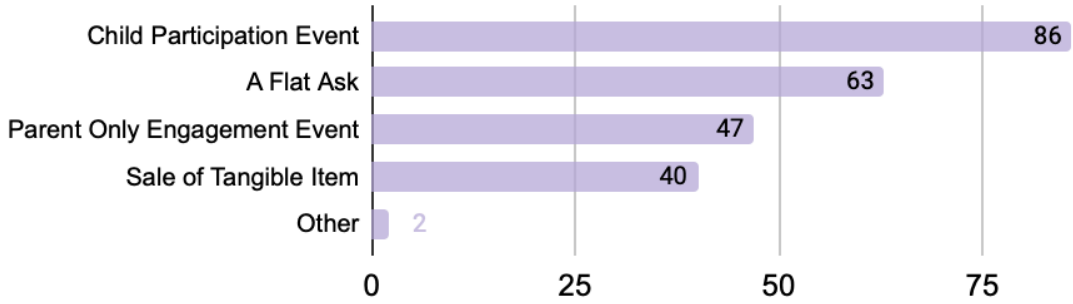
<i>English is not our first language</i>
<i>Full time job</i>
<i>5 hr target is maybe reasonable on average, but need to be sensitive to different family circumstances.</i>
<i>Work and childcare</i>

5. How many times a year should we ask you to participate in fundraising?



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6. Which types of fundraisers would you like to see at Wedgwood? (Check all that apply)

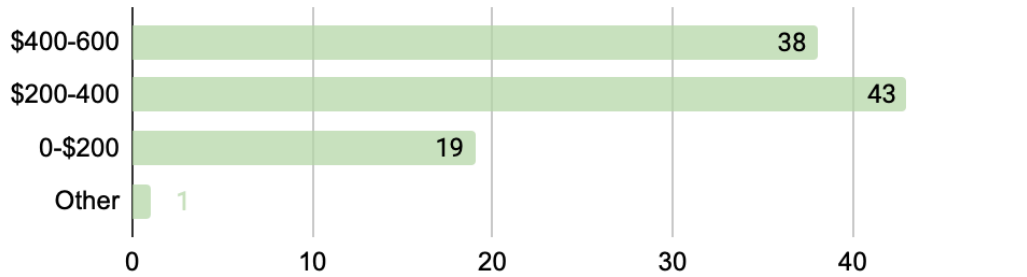


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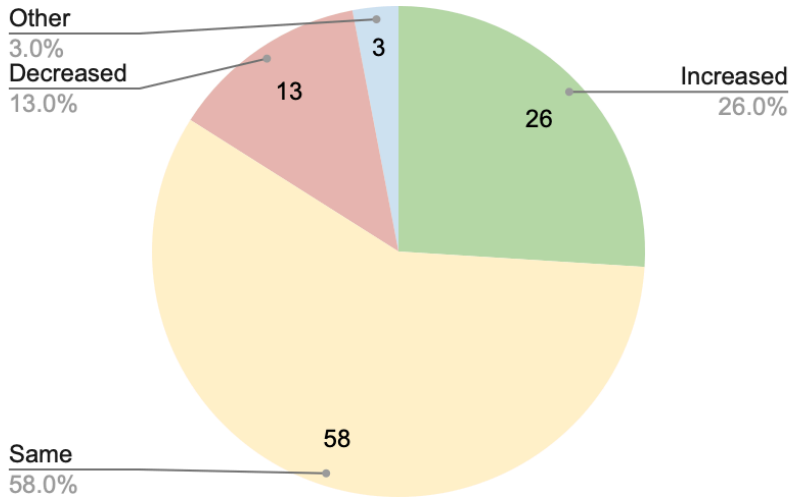
<i>4 big events. Can we do something along the lines like cookie dough fundraiser?</i>
<i>Having as much notice as possible on fundraising is helpful.</i>
<i>How about a garden specific fundraiser?</i>
<i>I know it took more volunteer overhead, but I preferred it when kids were more involved with gathering pledges. Parents sending out emails and fundraising on a child's behalf separates the child from the process. It would be nice if kids still got pledge forms they could use to collect pledges. This would keep them more involved.</i>
<i>We're giving more through the kid-events this year but won't give through the auction because the auction feels wrong for public school.</i>
<i>I like that each fundraiser comes with a target amount per student so that if my student can't meet that goal through family, neighbors etc we (parents) can make up the difference!</i>
<i>I think having a fundraiser per quarter to keep on track with Budget seems appropriate. Just being transparent (as you have been in past) with where we are on meeting target!</i>
<i>I'm disappointed that the auction has come back. On one hand, I suppose if there is energy to plan one and people will go and donate a lot of money, that's great. But it feels like an awful lot of work for an event that doesn't include everyone. I'm wondering how the planning committee is going to go about procuring items--are all families going to be asked to consider donating items for the silent or live auction? How will that feel to families who can't or don't want to participate in an auction? I wish we had kept the Big Give and a separate, non-fundraising parent social event. Our family intends to give money to the Move-a-Thon and Read-a-Thon and do a flat donation after that to reach the \$500 per student goal.</i>
<i>It is always very helpful to know where the money is going. A lot of times it is not clear how the fundraised money is used.</i>
<i>Love the 3 fundraisers going this year!</i>
<i>need to be asked more to give</i>
<i>None</i>
<i>Spread out the asks...they were too close together last year. Fall move a thon is a good idea.</i>
<i>Thank you for all you are doing!</i>
<i>this is our first year with a student at wedgwood</i>
<i>What positions at the school does the PTA currently support? What are the options? Can we increase instrumental music? I would favor that.</i>
<i>Would love difference items for sale. There is only so many times people can wash their car so we're finding people still have tickets from the year before.</i>
<i>Would love to be able to know exactly where the fundraising money goes. Also, would be nice to be able to fundraise for more resources including increased amount of students to be able to participate in musical instruments, more library time, and more time with the art and music specialist at school.</i>

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7. What would feel like a reasonable ask to your family (regardless of how much you give)?



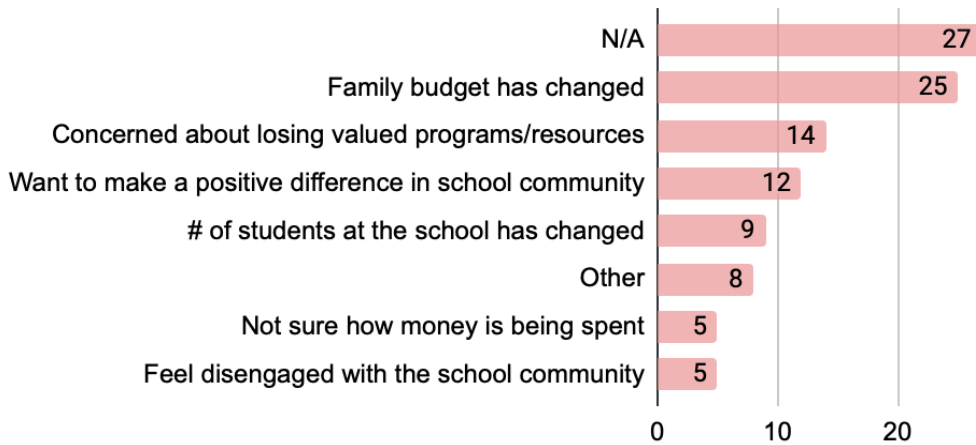
8. This year, how does your giving compare to the last 2 school years?



Comments:

NA
NA new to school
We are first time student parents (Kindergarten)

9. If your giving to Wedgwood has changed in the last 2 years, please share the reason(s) for this. (Check all that apply).

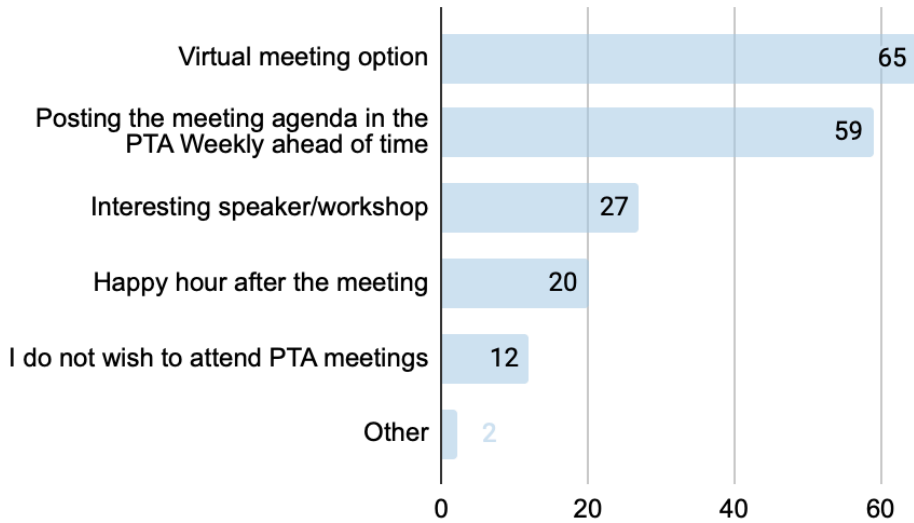


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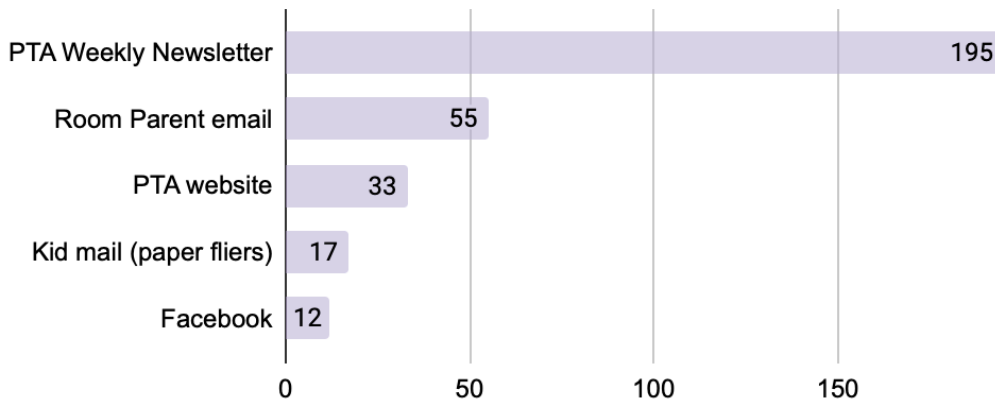
Change of school

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10. Which of the following would help you attend PTA meetings? Check all that apply.



11. Of the following choices, which 2 are the best way to get PTA information to you?

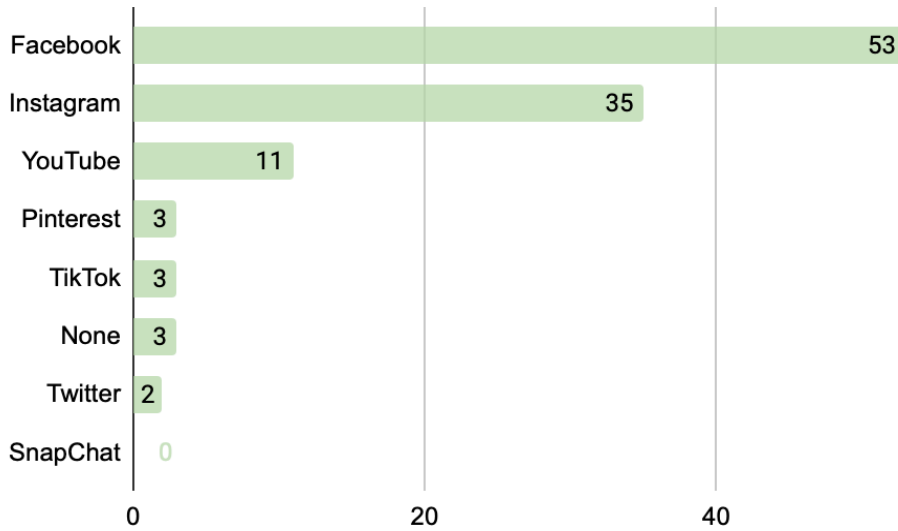


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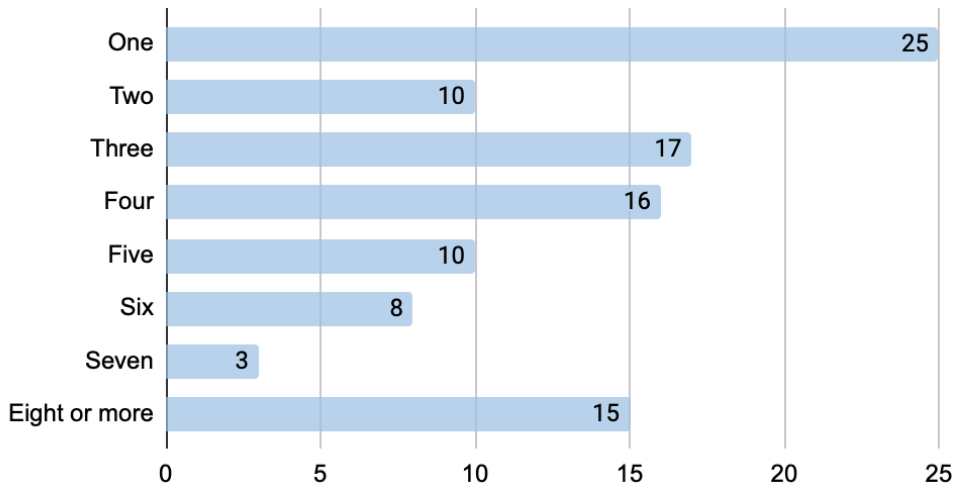
<i>Again, thank you!</i>
<i>as a new family the different kinds of pta meetings and roles and events have been very confusing! I did not realize that the october meeting was different from the november one, for example. could there be a pta 101 flyer or maybe a short video for new parents to watch?</i>
<i>If you had later meetings 8-9 or 7:30-8:30, it is hard to attend the meetings when you are at other sports activities or getting the kids to bed. Or have earlier meetings 3:30-4:30 and offer childcare. But 6-7:30 is right during dinner and getting the kids to bed time.</i>
<i>It is challenging to stay at school for an evening meeting. However, I do understand that providing a virtual option might lessen the amount of people who show up in person, which is a valuable connection and generally promotes higher engagement.</i>
<i>Kid mail is also helpful!</i>
<i>Newsletter seems VERY long and like the paragraphs could be shorter or even better bullet points.</i>
<i>thank you for your efforts to help fund our schools' needs</i>
<i>The pta weekly has good info, but feels long.</i>

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12. What social media platforms do you use? Check all that apply.



13. How many years have you been at Wedgwood Elementary?



14. What race / ethnicity / culture(s) do you identify with? (Free text)

Asian	5
Asian, White	3
Bi-racial (African-American and white)	1
Black and Asian	1
Caucasian	4
Caucasian/North African	1
Chinese	1
Hispanic/Asian	1
Hispanic/white	1
Japanese Filipino American	1
Jewish (Ashkenazi)	1
Latina	1
northern european	2
White	40
White and Chinese	1

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White European	1
White, Jewish	3
White/American/French/Scandinavian	1
Grand Total	69

15. Would your family like language / translation support?

No	105
Yes	1
Total Respondents	106

16. Do you or your child identify as having a disability, difference, or challenge that affects your everyday life?

No	99	95.19%
Yes	5	4.81%
Total Respondents	104	100.00%