# Dancing On The Blacktop Kim Morrissey 

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## FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

Standards guiding the engagement of families and the community
Wichita Public Schools Family Engagement Office believes family and community engagement is vital to each student's path to success. The National Standards for Family-School Partnerships guides our efforts and includes: Welcoming All Families; Communicating Effectively; Supporting Student Success; Speaking Up for Every Child; Sharing Power and Collaborating with Community.

## FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

PTA's National Standards for Family-School Partnerships
Standard 1: Welcoming all families into the school community-Families are active participants in the life of the school, and feel welcomed, valued, and connected to each other, to school staff, and to what students are learning and doing in class.
Standard 2: Communicating effectively-Families and school staff engage in regular, meaningful communication about student learning.
Standard 3: Supporting student success-Families and school staff continuously collaborate to support students' learning and healthy development both at home and at school, and have regular opportunities to strengthen their knowledge and skills to do so effectively.
Standard 4: Speaking up for every child-Families are empowered to be advocates for their own and other children, to ensure that students are treated fairly and have access to learning opportunities that will support their success.
Standard 5: Sharing power-Families and school staff are equal partners in decisions that affect children and families and together inform, influence, and create policies, practices, and programs. Standard 6: Collaborating with community-Families and school staff collaborate with community members to connect students, families, and staff to expanded learning opportunities, community services, and civic participation.


## THEMES

Harvest Hoedown
Boogie on the Blacktop
Disco on the Drive
Dancing Through the Decades
Party Around the Planet
Broadway on the Blacktop
Bulldog Boogie


## ORGANIZATION

- Who, What and Where
$>$ PE, Music, Art, Library, PTA, Volunteers
$>$ Parking Lot, Play Pad,
Gymnasium


## ORGANIZATION

- How many dances, what combinations of grade levels
$>K / 1,2 / 3,4 / 5$
$>K, 1,2,3,4,5$
$>$ One dance or two dances per grouping



## ORGANIZATION

- Parents dance?
$>$ After each song
$>$ At the end of the performance


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## ORGANIZATION

- Nuts and Bolts
$>$ Food
- Vendors/Concessions
$>$ Food Trucks
$>$ Parent Group


## ORGANIZATION

## $>$ Sound System

> PR (District Public Relations, community media resources)
$>$ Lighting (consider time changes)


## ORGANIZATION

$>$ Decorations/Costumes
$>$ Equipment


## DANCES



## Harvest Hoedown

Copperhead Road
Turkey in the Straw

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5,6,7,8
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Hoedown Throwdown
Cotton-Eyed Joe
Tush Push
Old Brass Wagon
Scootin' Dance Boogie
Square Dance Cadence
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## Boogie on the Blacktop

Thriller
Monster Mash
Scarin' Alive
Purple People Eater
Bump In the Night

Witch Doctor
Itsy Bitsy Spider
Skeleton Square Dance
Addams Family
Ghostbusters

## THRILLER VIDEO

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## Dancing Thru the Decades

Heard It Through the Grapevine Rock Around the Clock I Will Survive
Eye of the Tiger
Charleston
Bad
Macarena


## Party Around the Planet

Irish Washerwoman
Tinikling
Jai Ho
Pat A Cake Polka
He Mele
Hora
La Comparsita (Tango)

Mexican Hat Dance
Am I Wrong
Lucky Seven
Jump In the Line
Tarentella
Seven Jumps
Wari Wari (Aerobic Drumming)
La Danse des Canard (Chicken Dance)

## Bulldog Boogie

Cha Cha Slide
Dynomite
Everything is Awesome
Happy
Roar

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