

Did You Know?

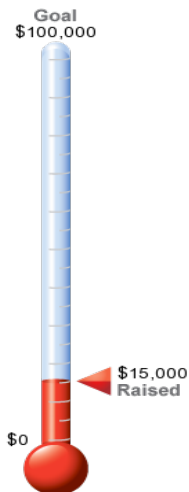
With spring just around the corner, our thoughts turn to outdoor play. Did you know that schools do not open with a finished outdoor space? It is up to each school to raise money for an outdoor play space. Let's work together to create great space for our kids outside!

School Council **OUTSIDE** goals:

- ✓ Accessible for all students
- ✓ Useable through all seasons
- ✓ Extension of the school classroom

Getting started

We're working on some great plans – but we need funds to finalize our ideas. Our goal is to raise \$100,000 to finish all spaces outside at Vista Hills.



Fundraising dollars from the Kernels popcorn sale and an exciting Spring event will be dedicated to the outside play space.

How can I get involved?

We can work together to make this happen! There are many ways to get involved.

- ✓ Cash donation (amounts of \$15 or more are eligible for a tax receipt. Make cheques payable to Waterloo Education Foundation Inc. and put Vista Hills Playground in the memo line)
- ✓ Corporate sponsor – we are looking for some lead sponsors for this project. Do you know of or work for a company whose corporate culture supports education and may like to get involved? Send us an email at vistahillsoutside@gmail.com to receive a corporate sponsor package
- ✓ Get your kids involved! Hold a bake sale, make letters to ask family and friends for support etc. This play space is for them!
- ✓ Spread the word – ask family members, friends and neighbours to consider donating to this important initiative.
- ✓ Volunteer on our fundraising committee. Many levels of involvement. Join a dynamic group to put a plan in place to raise the funds that are needed. Email vistahillsoutside@gmail.com to start the conversation.

What's next?

Be on the lookout for updates via the school website. We will provide more information on the plans, donor recognition and a progress tracker, so stay tuned!

Contact us:

Vista Hills School Council Outside Committee
vistahillsoutside@gmail.com

Name: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

- I would like to make a donation to Vista Hills Outside. Cheques payable to: WEFI, with 'Vista Hills Playground' in the memo line. Donations over \$15 will receive a tax receipt.
- I would like to volunteer on the Vista Hills Outside Committee.
- I know of a corporate sponsor who may be interested in this project.
- For instructions on how to donate online, email vistahillsoutside@gmail.com