

The PTO

Friday, June 4, 2010
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Thanks You!

The PTO would like to acknowledge the many people who have contributed to our childrens lives this school year. Your contributions and volunteering efforts have paid off. It was a successful 2009-2010 school year. The list below is a small percentage of all who have helped make this year a special one for our kids. If you are not listed below and you helped out this year please know that your hard work has not gone unappreciated. Have a wonderful summer!

After School Programming

Daphne Monroy

Beautification Committee

Cristine Cogburn
Michelle Johnson
Caroline Vellinga

Book Fair

Sara Brubacher
Vikki Crandall
Lynette Etter
Angel Nollett

Box Tops/Labels

Shelley Caesar
Jennifer Linn
Julie Michie

Cartridges for Kids

Jean Masukevich

Directory/Membership

Kate Hatfield

Entertainment Books

Tracy Brandon
Diana Schmidt

Escript Program

Michele Drage
Dana Fath

Evening Programming

Lisa Stehno
Kimberly Gallant

Family Portraits

Kristin Enstrom
Danielle Alarcon

Father/Daughter Dance

Valerie Borzych
Erica Helzer

Fifth Grade Activities

Daphne Monroy
Caroline Vellinga

Fun Day

Steve Durlacher
Lisa Riley
Melissa Schladt
Mary Warp

Ladies Day Out

Kristen Splitt
Beth Talkington
Michelle Tuminaro
Laura Wallis

Local Merchant Coordinator

Maria Churak

Manna Gift Certificate Program

Michele Drage
Dana Fath

Market Day

Dawn Ives
Joann Skof

Mother/Son Dance

Ellen Anderson

Principals

Karen Machroli (ARS)
Erick Runck (MS)

Original Works

Daphne Monroy
Brigit Sturtecky

School Liasons

Beth Diller (ARS)
Susan Dilsaver (ARS)
Norene Carr (MS)
Jane Szybowicz (MS)

School Signs

Nancy Reineking (ARS)
Linda Conway (MS)

School Supplies

Krystie Lee

Spring Social

Laura Bright
Jo McGhee
Janine Miyuskovich

Strokes of Genius

Kristin Enstrom
Jeannine Masukevich

Strokes of Genius Volunteers

Heather Bond	Anje Kainrath
Heather Cook	Meg Lentz
Scott Cowen	Jean Masukevich
Vikki Crandall	Kristen Splitt
Michele Drage	Jodi Steeno
Kristin Enstrom	Lisa Stehno
Peter Freskos	Lori Stengren
Dawn Ives	Beth Talkington

Superintendent

Dr. Tim Mahaffy

Teacher Appreciation Week

Laura Bright
Kristen Kundrot
Sue Knar

Vendors

Domino's Pizza
Dunkin Donuts
Green Garden
Jimano's Pizzeria
Jimmy John's
McDonald's
Steak-n-Shake
The UPS Store

Walk-A-Thon

Michele Drage
Dana Fath

IMPORTANT DATES

Graduation	June 4th K-1:30
Last Day for ECE, Kindergarten & 8th	June 4th
Last Day for grades 1-7	June 7th MS 8:50; ARS 9:30
School Box pick-up	Aug. 17th 5-8pm
5th grade Locker Check	Aug. 16th-18th
MS Orientation & 1st day Early release	August 23rd MS 11:20; ARS 11:50
ARS Open House	Sept. 2nd

Market Day

In May District 3 made a profit of \$264. Thanks to the many volunteers who took time out of their busy schedules to help out with Market Day throughout the school year. Also, thank you to all the individuals who placed orders and enjoyed some delicious gourmet food. This fundraiser would not be possible without your support. Don't forget to place your order with the boy scouts during the summer.



Fun Day

The sun was shining...water balloons were flying...adorable faces were being painted. What a wonderful day in so many ways. Thanks to Steve Durlacher, Lisa Riley, Melissa Schladt and Mary Warp for planning such a fun event. Also, thanks to the many parent volunteers who made this event possible. If you have any input, concerns or comments on this event that you would like to share with us please contact Mary Warp at mew555@comcast.net or Steve Durlacher at stevedurl@comcast.net.

PTO Meeting

This was our last PTO board meeting for this school year. Thank you to everyone who attended our meetings throughout the school year. Congratulations to Lynette Etter and Mrs. Szybowicz for winning the PTO meeting raffle.

Spring Social

We all screamed for ice cream! There was over 600 sundaes eaten that night. And the PTO made a profit of \$421.22. Thanks to the many teachers and staff who donated their time to make this event possible. Thanks to Vickie Walton for setting-up and cleaning-up.



Committees

Let's give back to District 3! The PTO Board is still looking for two individuals to fill the President and Vice-President positions. The PTO is also holding Committee sign-up at this time. Please consider volunteering to chair or be a member of one of our numerous committees. Committees still looking for support for 2010 -2011 include Beautification Committee, Escrip Program, Evening Programming, Family Portraits, Fifth grade Activities, Fun Day, Mother/Son Dance, Teacher Appreciation Week(ARS and MS). Please contact Sheri Sepeczi at sepeczi@ameritech.net if you are interested in filling any of these positions or would like more information.

Award

The second annual Dr. Jacqueline Kraus Citizenship Award was handed out to two 4th grade students who demonstrated outstanding character, motivation to learn, and the ability to be friends with all. Congratulations to Grace Hough and Ryan Zboril.



Local Merchants

Thank you to all the families who took advantage of our local merchant fundraising. The PTO collected over \$2000 this year from Jimano's Pizzeria, Domino's Pizza, Jimmy Johns, McDonald's, and Green Garden. There are no scheduled proceed nights during the summer; however Green Garden will still offer 10% on any night if you bring in the flyer. The flyer is located on the District #3 website under the PTO fundraising opportunities link.

Add It Up

Thank you Mr. Knapp for once again organizing this year's Math-a-thon. We collected over \$5000 this year bringing our grand total to over \$97,000! This money is sent to St. Jude Hospital to help in children's cancer research.



Teacher Appreciation Week

Both MS and ARS staff would like to sincerely thank the teacher appreciation committee for a wonderful week. Congratulations to the MS staff who defeated the ARS staff at Family Feud at this year's teacher appreciation luncheon. Apparently the Spinning Apple Trophy is proudly displayed in the trophy case for all to see. I see a rematch in the future. Thank you Dr. Mahaffy for keeping everyone honest while moderating the game.

Book Fair

The Book Fair was a success! The PTO was able to collect cash as well as purchase books for the Libraries using Scholastic Dollars. Thanks to all the individuals who sent in money to our One for Books coin challenge. ARS students raised \$735.86 to purchase 90 new books for the Batan Academy in the Philippines. Congratulations to the Kindergarten class who collected the most coins edging out second grade by \$5. The Kindergarten class enjoyed their donuts donated by the Fox River Grove Dunkin Donuts. Thank you to all the individuals who donated their time especially the MS families who worked the fair during ARS's Spring Social. Thank you to Sara Brubacher, Vikki Crandall, Lynette Etter, and Angela Nollet who helped organize the book fair.

Strokes of Genius

Well done kids! A total of \$310 has been pledged for Mrs. Bebber and the art program on behalf of the individual winners of the silent auction. Congratulations to the winners who purchased some one-of-a-kind collaborative creations: Michele Drage, Dottie Novak, Sharmista Dureja, Sherry Foster, Sheri Sepeczi, Andy Carol, Dawn Ives, Michelle Tuminaro, Scott Cowen, Jean Masukevich, Meg Lentz, Vikki Crandall, Kristie Janka

