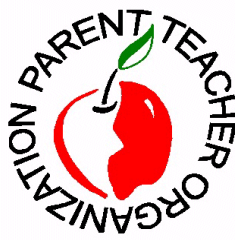


Roscoe PTO Newsletter

November 15th, 2011

Next General PTO Meeting:
Wednesday, November 16th - 7:00pm @ RMS
Childcare provided by the Girl Scouts













Executive Board

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What's Coming Up in the Next Few Weeks?



-  Nov 16th: Cookie Dough forms due
-  Nov 16th: Buffalo Wild Wings Night
5:00p - 9:00p. Print event tickets here:
<http://tinyurl.com/RPTO-BWWW>.
-  Nov 17th: Parent Teacher Conferences
& School Book Fairs 5:30p - 8:30p
-  Nov 18th: No School
-  Market Day: (11/22) School Orders
Due, (11/25) Online Orders Due by
11:00pm. (11/29) Pickup from 4:00p -
5:30p at Ledgewood
-  Nov 23rd - 25th: No School - HAPPY
THANKSGIVING!!!
-  Nov 30th - American-Made
Marketplace Fundraiser Pickup @ RMS.
(for all schools) More details to come
next week!
-  Dec 2nd: Ice Cream Day - KN & RMS
-  Dec 6th & 7th: Beef-a-Roo Restaurant
Nights 4:30p - 7:30p
-  Dec 10th: Santa Shoppe @ KN
8:00a - 3:00p

Cookies!

Reminder: Cookie dough order forms were due back on Wed. November 16th. If you have not returned your order form yet, please send it in to the school ASAP. We want to make sure that everyone's orders will be delivered in time for the holidays. Delivery will be in December. Watch for details coming soon.



American-Made Marketplace

The final totals are in! The American-Made Marketplace was one of the most successful fundraisers in the history of the Roscoe PTO. The profit raised by Spirit Cups and Bee Authentic orders was \$28,419.60 on total sales of \$70,769.

LW: \$7,574.00 (1,028 cups) SC: \$6,202.50 (857 cups)
KN: \$7,420.20 (1,046 cups) RMS: \$9,222.90 (1,293 cups)

Thank you to everyone who helped support this fundraiser. Order pickup for all schools is scheduled for Wed. 11/30 at RMS. Look for a flyer next week with complete pickup details.

Beef-a-Roo Nights

Coming up on December 6th & 7th, Beef-a-Roo in Roscoe will donate 10% of proceeds from all sales between the hours of 4:30p - 7:30p to the Roscoe PTO. Head on over to grab some great food, and support a great cause at the same time. We hope to see you there!



Thank You!



The Roscoe PTO would like to thank Anna Maria's and Backyard Grill for cooking dinner for the teachers on the evenings of parent / teacher conferences. The next time you are at one of these restaurants, be sure to let them know how much you appreciate their support of our schools!



Find us on Facebook at:
<http://www.facebook.com/RoscoePTO>

Santa Shoppe

Saturday, December 10th
8:00a - 3:00p @ KN



Are you new to the district? Are you wondering what the Santa Shoppe is all about?

Santa Shoppe is an opportunity for your child to choose and purchase Christmas presents for their family members. Our small team of volunteers is hard at work all year round, looking for just the right items.

Our goal is to provide a quality selection of reasonably priced, hand-picked items for your child to choose from. The items sold in the Santa Shoppe range in price from \$0.50-\$11.00.

Some of the stores we purchase from include; Target, Kohl's, Shopko, Justice, Bergners, Sears, Macy's, Bed Bath Beyond and JcPenney, with a small amount purchased from Fun Services, an outside vendor that allows us to sell on consignment.

If you have any questions or think you might like to volunteer, please contact:

Beth Mead (815) 505-4046,
Lorie Peterson (815) 623-5859, or
Teresa Anderson (815) 957-0289.

Sincerely,
Your Santa Helpers



The Flamingo Fling Foundation is holding an "Electric Lunch" fundraiser at RMS on Friday, Dec. 2nd. For a \$1 donation (collected by the principals), RMS students may bring their phones, iPods, or other MP3 players to lunch on that day.



McTeacher Nights

Thank you to everyone who came out to eat at McDonald's on one of the McTeacher's Nights. This year, \$2,647.95 was raised for the PTO.

LW: \$688 SC: \$744 KN: \$691 RMS: \$524.95



SC / LW Yearbook

Don't forget to share some of your great pictures with the yearbook committee! You can email the pictures to Melissa Marion or copy them to a CD and drop it off at the school offices. PLEASE NOTE: The email address was printed incorrectly in past newsletters. The correct email address is marionmelissa@ymail.com. Make sure to note in the email or on the CD which classroom(s) and/or event(s) the pictures are from. Thank you!



Cash 4 Trash



When you send Capri Sun pouches to school for recycling, PLEASE send them in their own baggie, separate from Box Tops, Soup Labels, etc... When they are bagged together, the Box Tops end up wet and moldy. Thank you for your cooperation!

What Teachers Are Saying...

We receive a large amount of email from the teachers, expressing gratitude for the things they receive for their classrooms through the PTO. Since we couldn't give them anything without your support, we would like to pass their thanks on to you. Here are just a couple samples:



"Roscoe PTO, The 4th grade teachers and children would like to thank you for the chair pockets. The children were really excited to put them on their chairs and fill them up! Sincerely, 4th grade teachers and students"

"PTO, Every year when I get my fall PTO order I literally leap down the hall with the excitement of a child on Christmas morning. Thank you SO MUCH for your generosity in funding our classroom wish projects. The hands on reading and vocabulary centers will be teaching and entertaining children for years to come :) Fondly, Mrs. Coletta"

We are very blessed to have such a supportive and generous parent community. Thank you for all that you do to help.