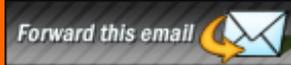


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## Vадnais Heights Elementary PTO

### December Newsletter



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**Hmong Translations:**  
Yog koj xav paub txog peb cov tsev kawm ntwav, thov hu rau Sue Xiong at 651-407-7623.

**Spanish Translations:**  
Para Información en Español sobre el Distrito por favor llame a Graciela Hammeken al (651) 407-7625 o al (651) 278-5457.

First, we'd like to thank our wonderful volunteers! The Fall Clean Up, Fall Fundraiser, Fall Festival, the Book Fair and the Teacher Conference Meal simply couldn't happen without your support. We have a devoted community of helpers, but we are especially grateful for all the new faces that have offered their time, talent, and treasure this year!

#### Donuts with Dad:

Come and join us for the annual Donuts with Dad! Begin the school day with your breakfast buddy - Dad, Grandpa, Unde or Guardian! Everyone is welcome. Enjoy donuts, juice, and coffee. This fun event will be held this Friday, December 1st from 8:30-9:00 a.m. in the gym and afterward, you may visit your child's classroom from 9:00-9:15 a.m. We are looking for volunteers to help set up for the event on Thursday evening (11/30/17) and serving and dean up on Friday morning (12/1/17). Please [click here](#) to help. Thank you!

#### Culver's Night:

Please join us on Tuesday, December 5 from 5-7:30pm at the Vадnais Heights (Centerville Road) Culver's location. You can take a night off from cooking and the best part is that 10% of all sales benefits VHES! Students in 1st-5th grade can sign up for a 15-minute serving shift when they arrive at the restaurant.

#### Amazon Smile:

Don't forget to log into the Amazon Smile website and select the Vадnais Heights Parent Teacher Organization as your charity of choice. You only need to choose the PTO as your charity one time and then it will be saved in your account. You can do all your holiday shopping as usual, and a portion of your spending will go directly to the help the school. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us. On behalf of the VHES PTO, students and staff, we appreciate your support! Happy Shopping!

#### Box Tops:

Please save your Box Tops for Education! There is a friendly competition going on between classrooms. The winning classroom earns extra recess! Please trim the excess paper off and send them to school in a zip-top baggie. Please keep turning those Box Tops in to your teacher each month.

### Important Upcoming Dates:

- December 1, 8:30-9am Donuts with Dad in the gym
- December 5, 5-7:30pm Culver's Night at the Vadnais Heights location on Centerville Road
- December 8, 6:30pm-8pm Bingo Night in the cafeteria
- January 16, 6:30pm PTO Meeting in the Media Center
- January 23, 6:30pm Carnival Kick Off Meeting in the Media Center
- February 6, 5-7:30pm Culver's Night at the Vadnais Heights location on Centerville Road
- February 15 Art & STEM Fair (5:30pm Student Set Up)
- March 9, 8:30-9am Morning with Mom in the gym
- March 20, 6:30pm PTO Meeting in the Media Center
- April 7, Spring Carnival!

### **Your 2017-18 PTO Board:**

- Kim Anderson (PTO Chair)
- Heidi Heller (Treasurer)
- Kelley Olson (Secretary)

**Thank you for your support!**