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Vadnais Heights Elementary PTO

March Newsletter



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Morning with Mom

Spring is around the corner and that can only mean one thing: it's time to celebrate those amazing women in our life with donuts! It's Morning with Mom time! Morning with Mom will take place on Friday, March 9 from 8:30-9am so come in and enjoy a donut and coffee, juice, or milk in the gym. Afterward, from 9-9:15am, you may visit your child's classroom.

Scholastic will be set up in the cafeteria for the Spring Book Fair. All books will be 40% off!

Just a reminder, the buses arrive at school at 9am, so it's recommended that you drive your child to school to enjoy Morning with Mom.

In an effort to keep lines moving at both locations:
Last names that start with A-L: please visit the book fair in the cafeteria first and then head to the gym for donuts.

Last names that start with M-Z: please get your donuts in the gym first and then visit the book fair in the cafeteria.

If you are able to help with set up on Thursday night or set up, serving, or dean up on Friday morning, please [click here](#).

PTO Meeting

Join us on Tuesday, March 20 at 6:30pm in the media center for our PTO Meeting. We will be discussing the remaining events for the school year and new faces are always welcomed! Come and hear what's going on at school, ask questions, and meet other parents. If you'd like to get more involved or volunteer, you are welcome to do that, but if you want to just come to the meetings and hear what's going on, we are happy to have you (no strings attached!)

Spring Carnival

This is one of the most fun events of the entire year and it takes a village to help it run smoothly. The carnival this year is on Saturday, April 7 from 10am-2pm. If you are

able to help, please check out the many opportunities available [here](#).

Teacher Conference Meal

The PTO coordinates a meal for the teachers during conferences. The spring conference meal will be on Thursday, April 12. More information will be coming soon to the website if you'd like to donate food or supplies.

Bingo Night

Come join us on Friday, April 20th in the cafeteria from 6:30-8pm. Please bring a peanut-free candy bar per participant to share for prizes.

Box Tops

Please save your Box Tops for Education! The next deadline to turn them into your teacher is **Friday, May 18th**. The winning classroom earns a pizza party! The top five classrooms this year are:

- (1) Jensen
- (2) Bliss
- (3) Loch
- (4) Thimjon
- (5) Girard

Remember to trim the excess paper off and send them to school in a zip-top baggie. There is also a Box Top app! For more information, click [here](#). You will need to set up your profile and make sure you assign the benefits to Vadnais Heights Elementary before you start using the app. The money earned has allowed us to install new drinking fountains and help maintain the Bear's Backyard.

Amazon Smile

Don't forget to log into the Amazon Smile website (Smile.Amazon.com) and select the Parent Teachers Organization in Vadnais Heights, MN 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 shopping as usual, and a portion of your spending will go directly to help the school. Your prime account will work the same way on the Smile.Amazon site as it does with the regular Amazon site and there are no additional fees or charges - all the prices are the same! It costs you nothing and it generates money that goes straight to the school. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us. Happy Shopping!

Important Upcoming Dates:

- March 9, 8:30-9am Morning with Mom in the gym & Book Fair in the cafeteria
- March 20, 6:30pm PTO Meeting in the Media Center
- April 7, Spring Carnival
- April 12, Teacher Conference Meal
- April 20, Bingo Night
- May 7-11, Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 8, 5-7:30pm Culver's Night at the Vadnais Heights location on Centerville Road
- May 15, Last PTO Meeting of the year
- May 18 Box Tops due

Your 2017-18 PTO Board:

- Kim Anderson (PTO Chair)
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Thank you for your support!