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VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH

October 2018

Callista Spiker

November 2018

Brian Wisniewski

December 2018

Kimberly Hucka

STAY INFORMED

Check out these websites to stay up to date at Pine Trail!



School websites:

- <http://pinetrailmediacenter.weebly.com/>
- <http://myvolusiaschools.org/school/PineTrail/Pages/default.aspx>

PTA websites:

- <http://ptepta.com/>
 - <https://www.facebook.com/ptepta/>
- To never miss a PTA FB post, click "following", then click "see first".

HELP WANTED



We are looking to fill a few PTA positions for the 2019-2020 school year. If you are interested in being the Holiday Shoppe Chairperson, Volunteer Coordinator or Key Room Parent Coordinator please email ptepta1@gmail.com for more information! Training for these positions needs to happen as soon as possible!

CHIPOTLE SPIRIT EVENT

Join us for dinner and support Pine Trail Elementary PTA! Come to Chipotle at 1290 W Granada Blvd on Tuesday, January 15th between 5:00pm and 9:00pm and a portion of their sales will be donated to Pine Trail! Flyer needed for the fundraiser.



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR



Volunteers Needed! The book fair is a fun way to help Pine Trail's media center! It will be open during school hours from Friday, January 25th to Feb 1st, with set-up on Thursday, January 24th. The link to our signup can be found at <http://ptepta.com/book-fair-3/>.

All students will have the opportunity to visit the book fair with their class. If your child plans to shop, please send their money in an envelope with their first and last name on it. Parents and grandparents are welcome to assist their student while they shop. Contact your child's teacher to find out what day and time their class is scheduled to visit the book fair!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan 15

Chipotle Spirit Event

Jan 21

No School/Martin Luther King Day

Jan 25-Feb 1

Scholastic Book Fair

Feb 18

No School/Presidents Day

Feb 27

Spring Picture Day

Mar 1

Fun Run

Mar 8

Silent Auction

Mar 13

Rain Date for Fun Run

Mar 14

Lose the Collar

Mar 15

No School/Teacher Duty Day

Mar 16-24


Spring Break


EARLY RELEASE DATES


Jan 16, 23, 30 - Feb 6, 13, 20, 27

Mar 6, 13, 20, 27

SPIRIT EVENTS

 **Fun Run** - March 1st - Kids love this in-school event! Raise money for Pine Trail with no merchandise to sell! Promote wellness and fitness! If your business is interested in sponsoring this event please contact us at ptepta1@gmail.com.

 **Silent Auction and Family Dinner** - March 8th - Every class at Pine Trail will contribute to this fundraiser by creating their own unique basket to be auctioned off. If you own a business and would like to donate a basket or gift certificate, please contact Lyn Gildon at LGildon@gildongroup.com.

 **Talent Show** - Date not yet determined. Evening event where Pine Trail students show off their talents!

Be on the lookout for more information to come home about all of these events!

FENCE LINE BANNERS

Advertise your business and show support for Pine Trail. Banners are placed on Pine Trail's fence for the 2018-2019 school year. A 3'x6' banner costs \$300 or you can purchase two banners for \$550! For more details, or to order your banner today email Brian at ptebanner@aol.com.program or contact ptepta1@gmail.com.



BOX TOPS



Send in your box tops at the end of every month! This is a super easy way to raise money for Pine Trail and the class with the most submissions wins a cupcake party! Check the expiration dates, trim, and place them in an envelope with your teacher's name on it.

5TH GRADE GRADUATION FUNDRAISING

The 5th Grade Graduation Committee has begun to raise funds for graduation activities, including the busses to SeaWorld, social, brunch, t-shirts for students, etc. If you would like to join, email pte5thgrade18.19@gmail.com to get on the email list.



The following are some of the fundraisers that are underway!

- Coupon books go home on January 11th. The cost is \$20 and benefits 5th grade graduation festivities.
- Lose the Collar has two more dates coming up, March 14th and May 31. Forms are available in the front office and will also be sent home.
- PTE magnets and stickers are being sold one Friday per month! Watch the school news for the dates!

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