

**MT LEBANON
PTA COUNCIL**

**ENVIRONMENTAL
CONCERNS**

Council PTA Committee Chair Binder

This binder should contain the following information:

1. Budget report for the current year.
2. PTA Event calendar
3. Officer/Committee chair list
4. Copies of all correspondence, fliers and any information pertaining to this committee.

Each Committee and Officer has a binder. These binders must be updated each year. Please return your binder after you are finished with your specific event/committee to the Historian. Please fill out and include in your binder a ***Committee Report***.

***In order to save on paper, please refer to the District PTA Website for the following:

- Committee Report forms
- Reimbursement Request forms
- Most up-to-date By-laws and Standing Rules.

**MT. LEBANON COUNCIL OF PTA'S
COMMITTEE REPORT - SCHOOL YEAR ENDED JUNE, 2013**

Committee/Office Name:	Environmental Committee
Committee Chairperson(s) or Officer Name(s):	Sara Dougherty Bonnie Dougherty
Committee Goal(s) or Job Description:	Promote environmental activities and recycling throughout the schools. Help to organize the annual Tree City USA celebration and participate in the Mt. Lebanon Earth Day Festival.
Significant accomplishments:	Collected sneakers for Nike Reuse A Shoe – 1070+ pairs of shoes collected and donated to Nike at Tanger Outlets Tree City USA – held at Lincoln Elementary this year- the staff at Lincoln took this on and they did a terrific job! Boy/Girl Scouts participated in the Flag Ceremony.
Timeline including beginning and ending dates for committee or position:	September-June
Materials/Resources used or needed:	Boxes, tape, markers, drivers and manpower to move shoes from Mt. Lebanon Park to Nike Outlet.
Budget: \$ _____	Actual: \$ _____
If actual is over/under budget, explain reason for variance:	
Suggestions for next year:	Get the calendar of local "green" events (recycling, etc.) and post to all school newsletters. Make sure that single stream recycling is fully implemented in all of the schools (some of the elementary school Green Team representatives had concerns). Implement some of the Terracycle recycling programs in other schools
Other Comments:	
Date:	Signed: Bonnie Dougherty, Sara Dougherty

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COMMITTEE REPORT - SCHOOL YEAR ENDED JUNE, _____**

Committee/Office Name:	
Committee Chairperson(s) or Officer Name(s):	
Committee Goal(s) or Job Description:	
Significant accomplishments:	
Timeline including beginning and ending dates for committee or position:	
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Other Comments:	
Date:	Signed:

Mt. Lebanon PTA Council Environmental Concerns aka The Green Team

The mission of the Mt. Lebanon Green Team is to promote environmental awareness, education and stewardship at all levels of school district activity.

The goals of the Green Team are to:

- Understand and monitor how the school district manages its environmental affairs.
- Connect students with the environment.
- Support efforts to reuse, reduce and recycle within the school district and
- Foster support for sustainable ecosystems surrounding each school.

2013-2014 Members

Mt. Lebanon High School

Jefferson Middle School

Mellon Middle School

Howe Elementary School

Hoover Elementary School

Jefferson Elementary School

Markham Elementary School

Foster Elementary School

Lincoln Elementary School

Washington Elementary School

Nike Re-Use A Shoe Recycling Program

The Nike Re-Use A Shoe Program collects athletic shoes and they are then ground down and re-used as playground resurfacing material in disadvantaged neighborhood throughout the country. Collection Boxes should be placed in your school's vestibule area for easy drop off by Parents, Students and Staff members. The collection boxes can be either a hand painted/decorated box or plastic bin with a sign designating it as your drop box. The Collection Box needs to be monitored by either The Unit Environmental Chair or

other designated volunteer(s). The Box must also be kept neat and tidy and should never be overflowing with donated shoes. Any brand of athletic/tennis shoe, in any condition may be collected EXCEPT those shoes containing Metal Grommets or Eyelets. Your school will be supplied packing boxes for your collected shoes. The shoes are to be counted (as pairs), placed in the packing boxes with the total visible on the outside of the box and with no more than 100 pairs per box. Additionally, the flaps of the packing boxes must close completely, without bulging for shipping purposes.

Mt. Lebanon Recycling Programs:

Battery Recycling: <http://www.mtlebanon.org/index.aspx?nid=2074>

Christmas Tree Recycling: <http://www.mtlebanon.org/index.aspx?NID=896>

Disposal List: <http://www.mtlebanon.org/index.aspx?NID=153>

Shredding, Electronics and Yard Waste:

<http://www.mtlebanon.org/index.aspx?NID=2146>

Calendar of Recycling Events: <http://www.mtlebanon.org/DocumentCenter/View/9216>

Unused prescription and medication drop-off

Saturday, April 27

10:00 am-2:00 pm

There will be an opportunity to drop off your unused prescription meds, creams and ointments on April 27 from 10:00-2:00 at the MRTS ambulance headquarters (located close to the Castle Shannon post office). Go through your medicine cabinets and find all those expired meds and get rid of them safely. Never, dispose of them in the trash or flush them down the toilet. They contaminate our earth, or they can get in the wrong hands. Last year, _____ lbs of meds were collected and destroyed. Please take advantage of this opportunity to safely dispose of these potentially dangerous drugs.



Mark Your Calendars!
Earth Day in Mt Lebanon
Saturday, April 27th 11AM-3PM
Main Park

This event will feature kids activities, live music, helpful information and demonstrations on saving energy and conserving resources, food and craft vendors, and much more.

It's fun for the whole family!

If you would like to get involved with the planning of Earth Day or would like to volunteer during the festival (great opportunity for service hours!), please contact:

Abby Lawler Morycz Lawmor9@gmail.com 412 600-7797 or
Beth Hedin bbhedin@gmail.com



Hello PTA Leaders,

The annual Earth Day in Mt Lebanon festival is scheduled for Saturday, April 27th, 11AM-3PM, in the Main Park.

The Earth Day Committee would like to give the youth from all schools the opportunity to share their ideas about conserving our beautiful planet.

This could be in the form of posters, models, poems, photography, acting and role-playing, science projects, etc.

Our hope is for each school to have its own area at the festival to display the students' work. This can also involve a contest that our committee would be happy to judge.

We are open to ideas and suggestions...our only objective is to let the students of Mt Lebanon get to express their own passion for environmental issues.

Please discuss this project with all the school departments...Art, Science, English, etc.

Thank you for your help. Please contact us with any questions or concerns.

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Environmental Corner

Nike Shoe Recycling Returns!

April 2-26

The Mt. Lebanon Schools are once again collecting old and tattered tennis shoes for the Nike Re-Use A Shoe Program. This program collects worn out sneakers that are then ground down into playground resurfacing material for underprivileged neighborhoods across the country. Last school year, during the month of April, our schools collected over 850 pairs of sneakers for this program....yes, that's right, 850 pairs!!! So look under your beds and check your closets for old shoes that no longer fit or are just too gross to wear anymore.

We can collect any kind of tennis shoe. However, if they have metal grommets (ex. Converse), please cut out the grommets before you turn them in.

Bring your old shoes to school starting April 2. You can drop them off until April 26 and they will then be taken down to the Earth Day Celebration at Mt. Lebanon Main Park. (If you forget to drop off your shoes, feel free to come to Earth Day to drop them off and enjoy the day).

Unused prescription meds drop-off

There will be an opportunity to drop off your unused prescription meds, creams and ointments on April 28 from 10:00-2:00 at the MRTS ambulance headquarters (located close to the Castle Shannon post office on Cypress Way) Go through your medicine cabinets and find all those expired meds and get rid of them safely. Never, dispose of them in the trash or flush them down the toilet, they contaminate our earth, or they can get in the wrong hands. Please take advantage of this opportunity to safely dispose of these potentially dangerous drugs.

Used Instrument Collection During Earth Day Celebration

Have a band or orchestra instrument lying around your house not being used? Consider donating it to the Mt. Lebanon School District, for use by a music student in need. Minor repairs can be made by the district if the instrument has been "gently worn". Donations are tax deductible. Please drop off your used instruments during the Annual Earth Day Celebration at Mt. Lebanon Main Park on April 28 from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. There will be a booth set up by the pavilion to collect the instruments.



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Battery Recycling

The municipality is now accepting dry cell batteries for recycling. Please bring batteries to the Customer Service Center at 710 Washington Road. Each battery must have tape over battery terminals (end part) to insure safe shipping.

Batteries We Accept:

Household batteries, both rechargeable and non-rechargeable, such as D-cell, C-cell, AA, AAA, 9-volt, and button cells

Rechargeable battery packs from:
Cell phones, cameras, laptop computers, power tools, etc.

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Electronic Equipment Recycling

ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT RECYCLING DROP-OFF

The Mt. Lebanon Commission enacted an ordinance prohibiting certain **electronic devices from the curbside trash stream. The ordinance is based on Pennsylvania's Covered Device Recycling Act. Covered devices are defined as "covered computer and television devices marketed and intended for use by consumers."** This includes keyboards, printers and any other device that connects to a computer or television. Although not specifically included in the state law, the ordinance Mt. Lebanon has enacted to comply with the act extends to include cell phones.

Effective September 1, 2011 residents may no longer put televisions, computers, printers and various other electronic devices out with the regular trash. Recycling electronic items keeps them out of the landfill and decreases the amount of heavy metals that leach into the ground. In cooperation with the Mt. Lebanon Public Works Department, the contractor (www.jvsenvironmental.com) offers an electronic items disposal service to the residents and businesses of Mt. Lebanon. Most electronic devices will be recycled free of charge. Any covered devices left out for trash or recycling pickup will be tagged unsuitable for pickup by Waste Management, Mt. Lebanon's trash contractor, and must be removed from the curb.

Residents can bring items to the Public Works yard, 1250 Lindendale Drive (off Cedar Blvd) on the following Saturdays listed below between 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.:

- March 31, 2012
- April 28, 2012
- June 2, 2012
- June 30, 2012
- July 28, 2012
- August 25, 2012
- September 29, 2012

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Significant accomplishments:	<p>Collected sneakers for Nike Reuse A Shoe –shoes collected and donated to Nike at Tanger Outlets and shoes in good condition were given to the Salvation Army</p> <p>Tree City USA – held at Howe Elementary this year- the staff at Howe did a terrific job- weather couldn't have been better! Boy/Girl Scouts participated in the Flag Ceremony.</p>
Timeline including beginning and ending dates for committee or position:	September-June
Materials/Resources used or needed:	Boxes, tape, markers, drivers and manpower to move shoes from Mt. Lebanon Park to Nike Outlet.
Budget: \$ _____	Actual: \$ _____
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Suggestions for next year:	<p>Get the calendar of local "green" events (recycling, etc.) and post to all school newsletters.</p> <p>Make sure that single stream recycling is fully implemented in all of the schools.</p> <p>Have schools BOX their shoes before dropping them off- several schools dropped bags of shoes off at my house and I still don't have enough boxes to get them all out of my basement.</p> <p>Implement some of the Terracycle recycling programs in other schools</p>
Other Comments:	

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MTLSD Recycling Opportunities

From: **Bonnie Dougherty** (bonnie_dougherty@hotmail.com)
Sent: Thu 1/01/15 10:35 AM
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Washington Elementary has been participating in the Terracycle Recycling Program for the past few years. Over the years, and using various brigades, we have added over \$1000 for our PTA treasury.

Terracycle often limits the number of participants in a particular brigade (for example, only 1000 slots are available to collect writing instruments). In the past, I've heard of schools in our district that wanted to collect items (pens, glue sticks, etc.), but found the brigades to be closed. HOWEVER, that does not mean that other schools in our district can not COLLECT the items and still get the MONEY for them.

Washington Elementary is set up to collect the following items:

- Cellular Phones
- Drink Pouches
- Scotch Tape Rings/plastic dispensers
- Glue bottles and sticks
- Dead writing instruments (pens, markers, sharpies, dry erase, mechanical pencils)
- Laptops/E-Readers/Tablets
- Miscellaneous E-Waste (GPS, digital cameras, digital video cameras, graphing calculators)
- GoGo Squeeze pouches
- Energy Bar Wrappers (all kinds of granola bar wrappers with foil insides)

If you would like to set up a station to collect these items at your school, I can send you a label through the Washington Elementary account and set you up as one of our "designated charities." The funds from anything you collect would be sent to your PTA.

To register your PTA to receive funds from Terracycle, I need to set your PTA up as one of my "charities." I need the following information:

- School
- School Address
- School Phone Number
- Contact (can be PTA President or Environmental Chair)
- Contact email address
- PTA Federal Tax ID Number

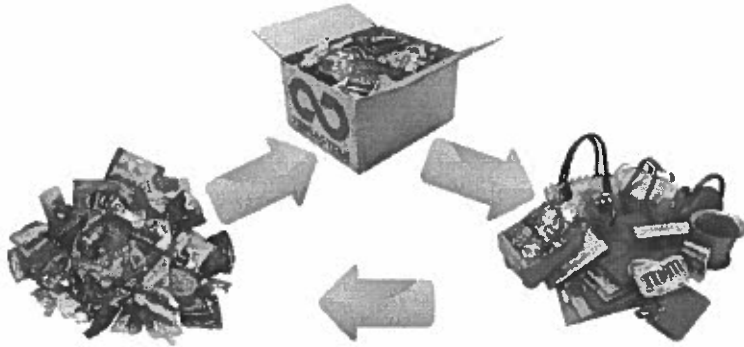
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Talk to your PTAs and to your principals! If you have any questions, please feel free to email or call me at 412-561-2174.

Thanks, and Happy New Year!

Bonnie Dougherty
PTA Council Chair - Environmental

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Select Your Waste

To get started, simply sign up and join a Brigade program for which you want to collect. There are currently more than [40 Brigade programs](#) that range from food packaging (like drink pouches and candy wrappers) to office supplies (like pens and tape dispensers) to personal products (like cosmetic, beauty and diaper packaging). You can join as many Brigade programs as you like.

Collect and Send

Once you have joined a TerraCycle Brigade program, download our "[Collect, Store, and Ship Guide](#)" for helpful suggestions on how to become a successful waste collection station. When your waste is ready to be sent in, you can download a shipping label from your TerraCycle account. Once your waste is received and checked in to the TerraCycle facility, your collection location will be credited with any [TerraCycle points](#) that you may have earned for your waste. TerraCycle points can be redeemed for a variety of charitable gifts, or for a payment of \$0.01 per point to the non-profit organization or school of your choice.

Solve and Benefit

TerraCycle's team of scientists and designers have found ways to recycle and upcycle the waste we collect into cool new [products](#). When we upcycle a piece of waste we leverage both the material it is made from and the original shape of the waste. When we recycle we transform the collected waste into new products through a variety of processes like injection molding. Best of all, when you're done with a TerraCycle product you can put it back in the original Brigade collection program and get credit for the waste a second time.



COLLECTION PROGRAM CHEAT SHEET

Please use this resource to quickly reference our list of Brigade® programs.
Visit www.terraCycle.com for more detailed Brigade information.

Athenos® Packaging Brigade

How to Ship: Stack or nest any tubs

Point Donation: 2 points per unit

Accepted Waste: Athenos Baked Pita Chips bags, Athenos Hummus containers and lids, Athenos Spreadable cheese packages, Athenos Feta Cheese containers and lids

Baby Food Pouch Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit

Accepted Waste: Baby food pouches and baby food pouch caps

Bear Naked Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit

Accepted Waste: Bear Naked granola bags, Bear Naked trail mix bags, Bear Naked Granola cookie boxes and inner plastic packaging, Bear Naked plastic cereal box liners

Binder Recycling Program at STAPLES®

Special Instructions: Bring your empty, used binders to a Staples store near you. When you bring your empty binder(s) to the checkout counter, you will be given a \$2 credit towards a new binder. More details can be found on terraCycle.com.

Brita® Brigade

How to Ship: Make sure your Brita® waste is completely dry.

Point Donation: 25 points per unit

Accepted Waste: Brita® pitchers, Brita® bottles, all types of Brita® filters, Brita® faucet filtration systems, Brita® filter packaging, and Brita® dispensers

Cell Phone Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: To earn TerraCycle points, you must ship at least 15 cell phones.

Standard cell phone: 50 points

Smartphone: 750 points

iPhone 3 or below: 500 points

iPhone 4 or above: 1,000 points

Accepted Waste: Standard cell phones, smart phones, iPhones

Cheese Packaging Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit

Accepted Waste: Large flexible cheese packaging, individual cheese packaging, and foil cheese packaging

Cigarette Waste Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 0 points per unit

Accepted Waste: Extinguished cigarettes, cigarette filters, loose tobacco pouches, outer plastic packaging, inner foil packaging, rolling paper, and ash

Cleaner Packaging Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit. To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must weigh at least 17 lbs.

Accepted Waste: Pumps, triggers, pouches, and flexible cleaner product packaging. Please note, bottles will not be accepted.

Colgate® Oral Care Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit. To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must weigh at least 2 lbs.

Accepted Waste: Toothpaste tubes and caps, toothbrushes, toothbrush and toothpaste tube outer packaging, and floss containers

COLLECTION PROGRAM CHEAT SHEET



Glad® Food Storage Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit. To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must weigh at least 4 lbs.

Accepted Waste: Glad® ClingWrap or other brand plastic wrap, Glad® Press'n Seal® wrap, Glad® or other brand plastic food storage containers, Glad® or other brand plastic food storage lids, and all types of Glad® or other brand food storage bags

GoGo squeeZ™ Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit. To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must weigh at least 4 lbs.

Accepted Waste: GoGo squeeZ pouches, healthy squeezable snack pouches

Hummus Container Brigade

How to Ship: All containers must be stacked or crushed.

Point Donation: 2 points per unit

Accepted Waste: Hummus containers and tubs, hummus container lids, hummus container foil tops and plastic film, hummus container outer plastic seals and other plastic packaging

Inkjet & Toner Cartridge Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must contain at least 25 inkjet and/or toner cartridges.

Inkjet cartridges: 37 points

Select toner cartridges: 75 points

Accepted Waste: All inkjet cartridges are accepted, but please check the Brigade page for select toner cartridges

iPod® and MP3 Player Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must contain at least 15 MP3 players.

Non-Touchscreen iPods: 50 points

Other MP3 players: 50 points

Touchscreen iPods: 150 points

Accepted Waste: Non-touchscreen iPods, touchscreen iPods, and other MP3 players

Jewelry Brigade

Special Instructions: Use the TerraCycle Jewelry Brigade appraisal kit and shipping envelope provided to you when you sign up.

Point Donation: In addition to full payment for your jewelry, the TerraCycle point donation will be based on 2% of the value of your jewelry.

Accepted Waste: Gold and platinum jewelry, silver jewelry, GIA certified diamonds, fine diamonds, certified tanzanite jewelry, industrial platinum (crucible, wire, etc), gold and platinum coins and bullion, dental gold and platinum, and fine watches

Laptop, Tablet, & E-Reader Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must contain at least 15 units.

Devices with a quantum-core (QC) processor: 600 points

Devices with a dual-core (DC) processor: 400 points

Devices with a single-core (SC) processor: 250 points

Accepted Waste: Laptops, notebooks, netbooks, e-readers, tablets, and iPads

Lunch Kit Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit. To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must weigh at least 4 lbs.

Accepted Waste: Lunch kit plastic trays, lunch kit plastic lids, lunch kit plastic film, lunch kit outer wrapper, and lunch kit content packaging

Miscellaneous E-Waste Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must contain at least 25 units.

Digital cameras and camcorders: 50 points

GPS units: 50 points

Graphing calculators: 50 points

Accepted Waste: Digital cameras, camcorders, GPS units, and graphing calculators

COLLECTION PROGRAM CHEAT SHEET



Tom's of Maine® Natural Care Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit. To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must weigh at least 2 lbs.

Accepted Waste: Toothpaste tubes, toothpaste caps, toothbrushes, floss containers, mouthwash bottles, mouthwash caps, deodorant containers and caps, and plastic soap wrappers. Please note, aerosol deodorant cans are not accepted.

Writing Instruments Brigade

How to Ship: No special requirements

Point Donation: 2 points per unit. To earn TerraCycle points, your shipment must weigh at least 7 lbs.

Accepted Waste: Pens and pen caps, mechanical pencils, markers and marker caps, highlighters and highlighter caps, permanent markers and permanent marker caps

Product	Total Points/ Quantity	Past Years Quantity	2013-2014 Quantity	Total Amount Earned	Past Years Amount Earned	2012-13 Amount Earned
Cellular Phones	63	63	0	\$ 143.20	\$ 143.20	\$ -
Drink Pouches	17913	16965	948	\$ 337.56	\$ 327.08	\$ 10.48
Yogurt	2720	2343	377	\$ 65.32	\$ 57.78	\$ 7.54
Scotch Tape	371	371	0	\$ 7.42	\$ 7.42	\$ -
Glue	837	837	0	\$ 16.74	\$ 16.74	\$ -
Writing Instruments	4725	4725	0	\$ 116.30	\$ 116.30	\$ -
Cheese Wrappers	145	145	0	\$ 3.90	\$ 3.90	\$ -
Laptop/Tablet/Ereader	2	2	0	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00	\$ -
Misc. Ewaste (GPS, Cameras/Video, Graphing Calc.)	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Ipod/MP3	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Personal Care	335	335	0	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10	\$ -
Cleaner	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Paired Shoes	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
GoGo Squeeze	226	64	162	\$ 4.52	\$ 1.28	\$ 3.24
Energy Bar Wrappers	3916	1872	2044	\$ 34.71	\$ 18.72	\$ 15.99
Closed Brigades				\$ 231.48		
TOTALS	31253	27722	3531	\$ 975.25	\$ 706.52	\$ 37.25

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- ① My feet hurt! I think my sneakers are too small!
 - ② You should get new shoes!
 - ③ I guess that means he should throw them away.
 - ④ No- don't throw them away- he can recycle them!
 - ⑤ Yeah, didn't you hear? Take them to school and put them in the box!
 - ⑥ The PTA is taking the sneakers to the Nike Outlet.
 - ⑦ They take the rubber from the bottoms of the sneakers.
 - ⑧ Like the orange part in this picture!
 - ⑨ And they crush them to make the floors for playgrounds ~~in poor towns~~
 - ⑩ Like the orange part in THIS picture!
 - ⑪ And the playground floor looks like this!
 - ⑫ Wow- that's really cool! I'll bring my old sneakers to school – as soon as we get back from the store!
Thanks guys!