

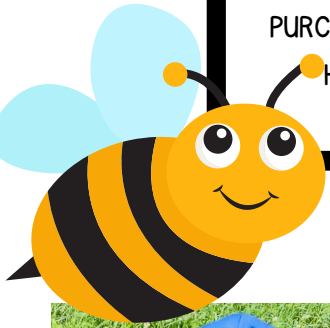
# Stonewall PTA Newsletter

## PRESIDENT'S BUZZ

HARD TO BELIEVE OCTOBER IS ALREADY UPON US. THE PTA APPRECIATES ALL YOUR SUPPORT IN OUR EVENTS AND MEMBERSHIP DRIVE. PLEASE KEEP ENCOURAGING YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS, NEIGHBORS TO JOIN OUR PTA. REMEMBER THE GOAL OF PTA IS TO SUPPORT ALL OF OUR STONEWALL STUDENTS.

I WANT TO TAKE A MOMENT TO CELEBRATE A FEW ACCOMPLISHMENTS FROM THE AMAZING PTA BOARD (LAST YEAR AND THIS YEAR). STONEWALL WAS AWARDED THE 2020-2022 SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE RECOGNITION IN THE SPRING OF 2021! THIS IS A HUGE ACCOMPLISHMENT AND TOOK MUCH DEDICATION FROM THE FORMER BOARD. WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONTINUING TO STRIVE TO PARTNER WITH OUR FAMILIES FOR EXCELLENCE.

WE CELEBRATED OUR KIDS WITH KONA ICE AND POPCORN RECENTLY, I THINK THEY THOROUGHLY ENJOYED ALL THE FUN. WE HAD A GREAT FUNDRAISER WITH MOE'S MEAL KITS, AND HOPE TO DO THIS AGAIN. WE ARE SUPPORTING THE KINDERGARTNERS WITH AN ORCHARD EXPERIENCE COMING TO STONEWALL. AND WE CELEBRATED THE TEACHERS WITH THANKFUL THURSDAYS. WE ALSO PURCHASED SEVEN NEW KEYBOARDS FOR THE STUDENTS TO USE IN MUSIC CLASS WITH MRS. HOLMES. WE HOPE OUR STALLIONS ARE ENJOYING ALL THE LOVE FROM THE PTA.



## Kona Ice for KY kids day



## Important Dates

- 10/4 Reflection entries due
- 10/7-10/8 Fall break
- 10/18-10/22 Read A Thon
- 10/19 Papa John's fundraiser
- 11/3 Picture retake for yearbook portrait





UPCOMING FALL FUNDRAISER! STONEWALL ELEMENTARY  
READ A THON (OCTOBER 18-22). OUR GOAL IS TO ENCOURAGE  
OUR STUDENTS' LOVE FOR READING WHILE RAISING FUNDS  
FOR OUR SCHOOL! THIS YEAR, WE HAVE AN ENTIRE WEEK  
OF FUN, READING THEMED ACTIVITIES PLANNED,  
CULMINATING IN A CELEBRATION OF OUR HARD WORK  
(PLUS INDIVIDUAL AND CLASSROOM PRIZES!). LOOK FOR  
UPCOMING DETAILS IN YOUR STUDENT'S FOLDER, ON OUR  
FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM.  
WE APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!



THANKFUL  
THURSDAYS  
TO  
CELEBRATE  
OUR  
TEACHERS  
AND STAFF.

OUR NEXT THANKFUL THURSDAY SIGN UP  
GENIUS WILL BE OUT ON OCT 4  
(THANKFUL THURSDAY WILL BE OCTOBER 14)

LAST MONTH WAS CHILI YUM! THIS MONTH WE  
ARE RESTOCKING THE BREAKROOM

LOOK OUT FOR THE SIGN UP ON OUR SOCIAL  
MEDIA FACEBOOK, INSTAGRAM, AND ALSO  
MEMBERHUB

## PTA Reflections Contest Entries DUE October 4

in the front office

Please write names on the **back** of entries.



2021-2022  
CALL FOR  
ENTRIES!

Learn more  
and get involved!  
[PTA.org/Reflections](https://PTA.org/Reflections)



EXPLORE THE ARTS AND  
EXPRESS YOURSELF!

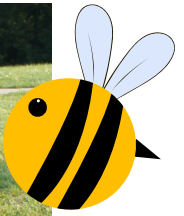
- DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY
- FILM PRODUCTION
- LITERATURE
- MUSIC COMPOSITION
- PHOTOGRAPHY
- VISUAL ARTS

Go to  
<https://bit.ly/StonewallReflectionsEntry>  
for entry forms

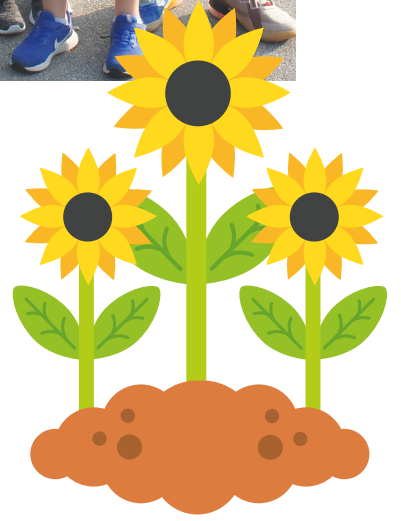
For More Details and Rules go to  
<https://www.pta.org/home/programs/reflections>

If you have questions please contact Sarah  
Kinman at [sarah.kinman@fayette.kyschools.us](mailto:sarah.kinman@fayette.kyschools.us)





## 4th GRADE 3K RUN FUNDS RAISED WERE USED FOR OUR STONEWALL GARDEN



# New to the Stonewall Hive



HI! MY NAME IS KATE JOY AND I AM SO EXCITED TO BE AT STONEWALL THIS YEAR! LAST JUNE I MARRIED MY HUSBAND, CALEB (A STONEWALL ALUM!) AND MOVED FROM LEXINGTON TO LOUISVILLE! THIS SUMMER WE MADE THE JOURNEY BACK HOME TO LEXINGTON! WE BOTH STARTED NEW JOBS AS COACHES AT LAFAYETTE HIGH SCHOOL IN THE CROSS-COUNTRY PROGRAM AND NEW FULL-TIME JOBS! WE ARE BOTH LEXINGTON NATIVES AND HAVE LOVED GETTING TO SEE FAMILY AND FRIENDS MORE OFTEN! WE LOVE SPENDING TIME WITH OUR PUPS MILO (1 YR. OLD BLACK LAB) AND OTIS (11-MONTH-OLD CRAZY BOY). THEY BRING SO MUCH JOY TO THE JOY FAMILY!



## WELCOME



My name is Makenzie Hicks, and I am thrilled to be a part of the Stonewall family! I am originally from Cincinnati, OH but have lived in KY for a little while now. I graduated from the University of Kentucky with my Bachelors in Elementary Education, and I absolutely love what I do. Some of my hobbies include going for walks with my 2 dogs and fiancé, trying new coffee shops, and thrifting! I love anything music and travel related and hope that one day I can travel for a long period of time. Thank you so much for welcoming me!



# 8 MYTHS ABOUT JOINING THE PTA

## Only Moms and Teachers need to join the PTA

A strong PTA needs the support of parents, family members, teachers, school staff & community. Anyone who cares about children belongs in the PTA!

## Joining the PTA means I have to volunteer

The PTA appreciates everyone's membership, whether or not a member volunteers!

## I have to be a Board Member or chair a committee to join the PTA

You do not have to serve on the PTA Board or chair a committee to join. Just your membership support is helpful!

## PTA Membership never expires. I only have to join once

Each new school year begins a new PTA Membership year. Your PTA membership will be good for this entire school year!

## I don't have the time to join the PTA

If you are unable to volunteer your time, consider becoming a member of the PTA and give your financial support. It only takes 5 minutes to join!

## The PTA is only for stay-at-home parents

Your fellow PTA members are family and community members who want to support our kids and school. We're all busy, but becoming a member is quick and easy!

## My child's life will be the same whether or not I join the PTA

Not only does membership put you in direct communication with other parents and teachers, it shows your child that you are interested and invested in their educational experience!

## I have an idea but the PTA isn't interested

New ideas are always welcome! It's important to keep our PTA fresh & exciting!

To join online, go to  
<https://stonewallpta.memberhub.com/store>




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BETTER PIZZA.

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**Tuesday, Oct 19**

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**\*Must Use School Promo Code**  
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for school to receive credit.

**\*20%** of your order will be donated back to your school.

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**LARGE SPECIALTY**  
[or up to 4 toppings]

**\$24.00**  
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Offer valid through December 31, 2021. Valid at participating Papa John's locations.

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[large specialty or up to 5 toppings pizza]

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**Includes a 1/4 page in the Stonewall PTA newsletter, as well as a mention on Stonewall social media accounts (Facebook and Instagram).**

**All your dollars stay at Stonewall, to benefit our school community.**

**Contact  
stonewallptafundraising@gmail.com  
for more information!**