

GRINDSTONE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2022



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Recent PTA Happenings:

Board members Lauren and Tara popped popcorn to be handed out to all staff members by Mrs. Grimm and Captain Kindness on World Gratitude Day!

PTA gifted Mrs. Talbott-Miller Ziploc bags for every student's library books to prevent book damage from spills/leaks in backpacks!



Board Member Spotlight: Maureen Naag, VP - Fundraising

I am brand new to all things PTA, so I am enjoying meeting lots of new families and building relationships with the Grindstone staff. When I'm not pushing Harvest mums sales or PTA cookie dough sales (going on now!), I work in communications and marketing at St. Vincent Charity Medical Center. I am an avid Peloton rider (@hypegirlmo) and a wanna-be influencer for Marc's.

My children are Theo Garrett (3rd) and Lydia Garrett (1st). They keep me very busy with flag football, basketball, baseball, soccer, swimming and gymnastics. We have two cats, Charlotte (14) and Samantha Jones (9ish?), and a groundhog named Porky that lives in our backyard.

We LOVE Coe Lake, Maya Mexican Restaurant and pretty much everything about Berea. Please say hi if you see us at the rec center, walking around the Berea square or in Marc's!





Grindstone Elementary School

2022 Fall Fundraiser

We will be selling items from the: "Holiday Traditions" gift brochure and
"Confection Perfection" cookie dough brochure

Our sale **starts today** and will end on **10/10/22**

There are two easy ways to participate and help our group raise money.

ONLINE WEB STORE	- and -	ORDER-TAKER + CATALOGS
REGISTER ONLINE to digitally share our online web store with all your friends, family & co-workers. Register by Computer or phone by visiting "shop.gwrcfundraising.com" Please enter your Group Campaign Code in the register box Group Campaign Code is - 4736 You may also click on the QR Code below to register or shop. After registration, you'll be able to enter email addresses for all your friends & family which directs them to our online store. <i>Clicking the social media icons during registration boosts your sale significantly!</i>		USE CATALOG & ORDER FORM to take in-person orders. Collect orders from supporters and fill out order form completely. Total order form(s) and send payment, CASH or checks made payable to: GRINDSTONE ELEMENTARY and your order form in by the Sale End Date below. ALL ORDER FORMS MUST BE TURNED IN BY 10/10/22 Please turn in all three pages of your order form. The top page will be returned with your product order.

QR CODE



SCAN ME

FREE EXTREME PRIZE POSTER FOR ALL STUDENTS!

Exciting accumulative prize program including 11 prize levels for all participating students! PLUS...

TOP SELLER WILL RECEIVE \$100!

TOP SELLING HOMEROOM WILL RECEIVE A PIZZA PARTY!

STUDENTS- PLEASE REMEMBER TO INDICATE YOUR PRIZE CHOICES ON THE BOTTOM LEFT SIDE OF YOUR ORDER FORM. IF ALL OF YOUR SALES ARE ONLINE, PLEASE WRITE "ALL SALES ONLINE" IN THE BODY OF THE ORDER FORM AND CHOOSE/WRITE PRIZES ACCORDINGLY.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING GRINDSTONE ELEMENTARY!

UPCOMING PTA MEETINGS:

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13TH
and
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

@ 7PM
GRINDSTONE CAFETERIA



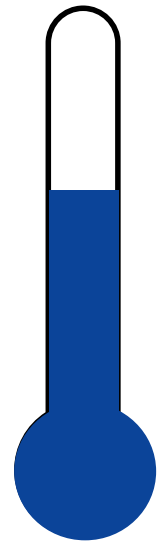
Consider joining our Grindstone PTA
and helping us reach our
membership goal for this year!

300 →

200 →

100 →

50 →



MEMBERSHIP

No childcare?
No problem!

Register your child(ren) for the **PTA Kids Club**. They'll
engage in activities like fitness, dance, community
service + more during monthly PTA meetings.
See page 10 of this newsletter for registration details

**Upcoming Kids Club events hosted by our Reflections
Committee (October) and Caliber Dance Company (November)*

Board Games, Movie, Food, Raffles

FREE
EVENT

Family FUN NIGHT

Friday, November 4th

6:30-9PM
GRINDSTONE ELEMENTARY

Come enjoy a night of family
fun! (Feel free to bring a
blanket- the movie will be
shown in the Gymnasium!)

Concessions, Raffle Baskets and 50/50
CASH ONLY!

Event Hosted by:



#MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

DID YOU KNOW?

BECAUSE OF PTA CHILDREN HAVE KINDERGARTEN CLASSES, CHILD LABOR LAWS, HOT AND HEALTHY LUNCH PROGRAMS, A JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM, ARTS IN EDUCATION AND AN ADVOCATE FOR SCHOOL SAFETY.

DID YOU KNOW?

THAT THIS YEAR IN JUNE YOUR OHIO PTA LEADERS ADVOCATED FOR CHILD NUTRITION AND SCHOOL SAFETY AT THE OHIO CAPITAL.

DID YOU KNOW?

THAT THE # 1 REASON PEOPLE DON'T JOIN PTA IS BECAUSE NOBODY ASKED THEM AND SHARED THE VALUE, ADVOCACY, AND BENEFITS OF BEING A MEMBER.

JOIN GRINDSTONE PTA TODAY!



SOURCE: OHIOPTA.ORG



Thank
you

2022-2023 ROOM CAPTAINS
HAVE BEEN SELECTED!
THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO
HAS STEPPED UP TO MAKE
CLASSROOM EVENTS RUN SMOOTHLY THIS
YEAR!



INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING AT OUR
UPCOMING FAMILY FUN NIGHT?!
(FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH)
SIGN UP HERE!

Berea PTA Council
COMMUNITY
CONVERSATION
ABOUT COVID

Wednesday, October 5, 2022
6:30PM via Zoom

<https://bit.ly/BPTAC>



4th Grade Farewell

FIRST MEETING
OCTOBER 25TH - 7PM
GRINDSTONE
CAFETERIA

WANT TO BE INVOLVED: PLEASE SIGN UP SO
WE CAN GET YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION
[HTTPS://WWW.SIGNUPGENIUS.COM
/GO/60BOA49ABA82AA4FDO-4THGRADE](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60BOA49ABA82AA4FDO-4THGRADE)

THIS COMMITTEE WILL DISCUSS WHAT FUN DAY THE
4TH GRADERS WILL HAVE AT THE END OF THE YEAR!
IT TAKES MANY HANDS TO TALK ABOUT THIS EVENT:
FOOD, ACTIVITES, T-SHIRTS, GIFT, CLAP OUT, ETC!

Questions: Deana Letterle Dmletterle@gmail.com
Hannah Butler Butlerh323@gmail.com



STAY IN THE LOOP WITH ALL INFORMATION
REGARDING THIS YEAR'S 4TH GRADE FAREWELL!



Visit <http://www.ohiopta.org/reflections/>

EACH YEAR, STUDENTS IN PRE-K THROUGH GRADE 12 ARE INVITED TO CREATE AND SUBMIT ORIGINAL WORKS OF ART IN THE AREAS OF DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY, FILM PRODUCTION, LITERATURE, MUSIC COMPOSITION, PHOTOGRAPHY AND VISUAL ARTS. BASED ON STATE PTA RULES AND GUIDELINES, THESE WORKS OF ART MAY BE SUBMITTED FOR STATE AND NATIONAL LEVEL AWARDS AND RECOGNITION OPPORTUNITIES.

Kids Club on
October 13th
is a
Reflections
Workshop

Questions: Email Shannon Stevens
ssstevens0122@icloud.com

KIDS CLUB



building blocks of family engagement

2022-2023 Registration
Annual fee \$5.00/child (preschool and up)

Child Information

Child 1: Last _____ First _____ age _____
Child 2: Last _____ First _____ age _____
Child 3: Last _____ First _____ age _____
Child 4: Last _____ First _____ age _____
Child 5: Last _____ First _____ age _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Name(s): _____

Phone number: _____

Alternate phone number: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Total number of children enrolled: ____ X \$5.00= _____

Please make checks payable to "Grindstone PTA"

-----PTA USE-----

Date _____ Amount pd. \$ _____

Cash

Check # _____

Credit