

STILLWATER TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER

December 16, 2022

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Board of Education Meeting 1/9/23 @ 7:00 PM in Library (Snow Date 1/10/23)

Early Dismissal 12/23/22 @ 12:40 PM

Winter Break 12/26/22 to 1/2/23 School Closed

School Resumes 1/3/23

THIRD GRADE NEWS:

Students have been working hard reading and writing informational texts. We completed a shared write on Dragonflies and then typed it into a Google Slides presentation. Then, students read a nonfiction book of their choice and created their own informational report. They created a Google Slides presentation for it too. We have been reading nonfiction books and learning about how text features enhance the text for the reader. We have also been learning about different text structures like: comparing and contrasting, cause and effect, and sequencing. Another fun explanatory writing we did was "What would your snow pal do at night?". Next week, we will have a holiday theme each day and do fun holiday activities that go along with it. Happy Holidays!

Mrs. Then

FIFTH GRADE NEWS

The fifth graders are working hard with their multiplication and division skills. Not only are the students learning how to multiply and divide with whole numbers, they are learning these skills with decimals as well. Multiplying and dividing decimals is often a challenge, but the students learned to use the standard algorithm to make the skills a little easier. In Science, the students are working with matter and solubility. The students enjoyed a fun experiment using texture, solubility, grain size and smell to discover an unknown substance.

Mrs. Bickhardt

SIXTH GRADE:

Math - After spending quite some time polishing up skills needed to work fluently with decimals and fractions, we have now added working with all rational numbers to our mathematics repertoire. Students have been working to extend their knowledge of positive numbers to now include understanding what it means to have a negative number. Students explored plotting numbers on a four-quadrant coordinate plane and used absolute value to find the distance between two points on that plane. This included an understanding that distance is always positive and that absolute value is the mathematical representation of a number's distance from zero. We have most recently begun to break down whole numbers into their prime factorization using factor trees. Knowing a number's prime factorization can help to determine the greatest common factor (GCF) that two numbers have in common. Knowing the GCF will help sixth graders solve more difficult math problems that require representing expressions in multiple ways. Solving for unknown quantities will be our next area of study in sixth grade and will include understanding what an equation represents and how to use the foundational skills we have learned so far to solve algebraic equations with one variable. Becoming good problem solvers continues to be embedded in all the math we do. After all, that is our purpose for learning math, to be able to solve problems.

Mrs. Mahedy



TREATS WITH
Santa



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2022

9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

KITTATINNY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

77 HALSEY ROAD • NEWTON, NJ 07860

Join us for a **FREE** community event, open to the public and free to all children and parents.

Pictures with Santa, hot chocolate & cookies, snowball fights, track Santa, coloring, face painting, and lots more!

All FREE, put on by the Kittatinny Players.

This year we will feature **VENDORS** for holiday gift buying.

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ALL ABOARD!



GRAB YOUR TICKETS AND A
BLANKET TO TAKE A TRIP WITH US
ON THE POLAR EXPRESS!

HAVE FUN WITH SOME HOLIDAY
FILLED ACTIVITIES FOR THE
WHOLE FAMILY!

MAKE SURE YOU WEAR YOUR PADAMAS!

WHEN: DECEMBER 15, 2022
@ 6 - 8 PM

WHERE: STILLWATER SCHOOL

904 STILLWATER ROAD
STILLWATER, NO 07875

*ENTER THROUGH GYM DOORS

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You shop. Amazon gives.

Support Stillwater Township PTA

Shop at smile.amazon.com and we'll donate to your favorite charitable organization, at no cost to you!

Shop this link or scan the QR code:

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/23-7214694>

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STILLWATER PTA MEMBERSHIP FORM 2022 - 2023

Online Member Sign Up Instructions: <https://stillwatertwp.memberhub.com>

On main page of MemberHub enter your email address. Select need to create password. A code will be sent to your email. Enter code on MemberHub page and create your password. You will be directed to your PTA MemberHub home page. Select Shop tab at top of page. Select the correct icon PTA Individual for Parents, PTA Teachers & Faculty or PTA Community Member to get started for enrollment. Fill out your information and add to cart. Select cart and continue to checkout. Your name will be located on top right you can click on your name for the drop tab and select edit your profile visit hubs or log out.

Stillwater Twp. School – 2022-2023 PTA Membership Please print clearly – Thank you!
\$5 per member – Payments should be made to “Stillwater PTA” by cash or check

Member Information:

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Relation to Stillwater Twp. School: (Circle One)

Parent Staff Member Community Member Other

Member Information:

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Relation to Stillwater Twp. School: (Circle One)

Parent Staff Member Community Member Other

My child(ren)(s) picture is allowed in social media and print: (Circle One) Yes No

*****RETURN TO SCHOOL “ATTN: TARYN MACALUSO, PTA MEMBERSHIP”*****

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STILLWATER TOWNSHIP PTA

Stillwater Township PTA
904 Stillwater Road
PO Box 12
Stillwater, NJ 07875

Dear Friends,

Stillwater Township PTA is a non-profit serving about 300 children in preschool through sixth grade. Stillwater is in a rural community in Sussex County and our residents are involved in our schools, sports, and community organizations. The Stillwater Township PTA works closely with the school to help with purchases of books and support materials for the classrooms, special programs and/or supplies for those programs, underwrite many school assemblies and much more. The PTA's mission is to make every child's potential a reality is through engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.

Our Tricky Tray is our most popular and most profitable fundraiser of the year. We rely on these funds raised to provide valuable resources and free activities to the entire student body, and the PTA is so proud that we can support our children in these important ways.

Stillwater Township PTA's Annual Tricky Tray fundraiser is on Friday, March 24, 2023 at the Stillwater Township School. We would like to request your assistance with helping us continue to enrich our students academic experience by donating. Your donation to our Tricky Tray would be greatly appreciated and would go a long way in achieving the goals listed above.

Nearly 100+ people will attend the Tricky Tray this spring and purchase tickets to win more than 100 prizes. Many prizes are donated from our parents and community members, but ultimately, we need the support of businesses such as yours. In return for a product, gift certificate, service or monetary contributions, you are entitled to:

- A tax deduction to the extent allowed by law (Federal Tax ID below)
- Acknowledgement in our school newsletter, the evening's program, and social media

In order to place your donation in the proper category please include a note stating the retail value and retain a copy of this letter as proof of receipt.

You may mail your donation to the school address found above with the attention of Kaitlin Oskirko. If you are using USPS please use the PO Box and if you are sending your donation through another carrier please use the physical address. If you have any questions or would like to request your prize be picked up please contact Kaitlin Oskirko by emailing at stilleatertickytray@gmail.com or calling (973) 670 - 1115.

We truly appreciate your consideration and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

Kaitlin Oskirko, Event Chair

Donation:

Retail Value:

stilleatertickytray@gmail.com

Stillwater Township PTA is a non-profit corporation. Tax ID #23-7214634

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Stillwater PTA Tricky Tray

THE GREAT OUTDOORS

Friday, March 24, 2023

Location: Stillwater Twp. School
904 Stillwater Rd, Newton NJ 07860

Doors Open: 5:00 pm
(Presales Only admitted@4:00pm)

Drawing: 7:00 pm **FREE ADMISSION**

Presale Bundles and/or Table Reservations
Available until 3/01/23

Adults Only-No one under 18 will be admitted-No Exceptions
HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE

PRIZES

Level 1

\$30-\$99 Value
\$5/sheet or 5 sheets/\$20

Level 2

\$100-\$199 Value
\$3/ticket or 4 tickets/\$10

Level 3

\$200+ Value
\$4/ticket or 3 tickets/\$10

Refreshments will be sold by our 6th grade class or
Bring your own (only non-alcoholic beverages allowed)

50/50 Raffle

\$1/1 ticket
\$5/6 tickets
\$10/15 tickets

Like us on Facebook!

<http://www.facebook.com/StillwaterPTATrickyTray>

Check us out on the web!

<http://www.facebook.com/StillwaterPTA>



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STILLWATER SCHOOL PTA FUNDRAISER

online ordering



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TWENTYFOURINK.COM/PAGES/STILLWATER

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Tis' The Season to Clean Closets!

Donate to The Kittatinny Players' Annual *Clothing Drive!*



Items Accepted:

Men's Clothing
Women's Clothing
Kid's Clothing
Bedding (Comforters, Sheets, Blankets)
Towels
Pillows
Stuffed Animals
Belts, Handbags
Shoes (must be bagged separately)
Bicycles

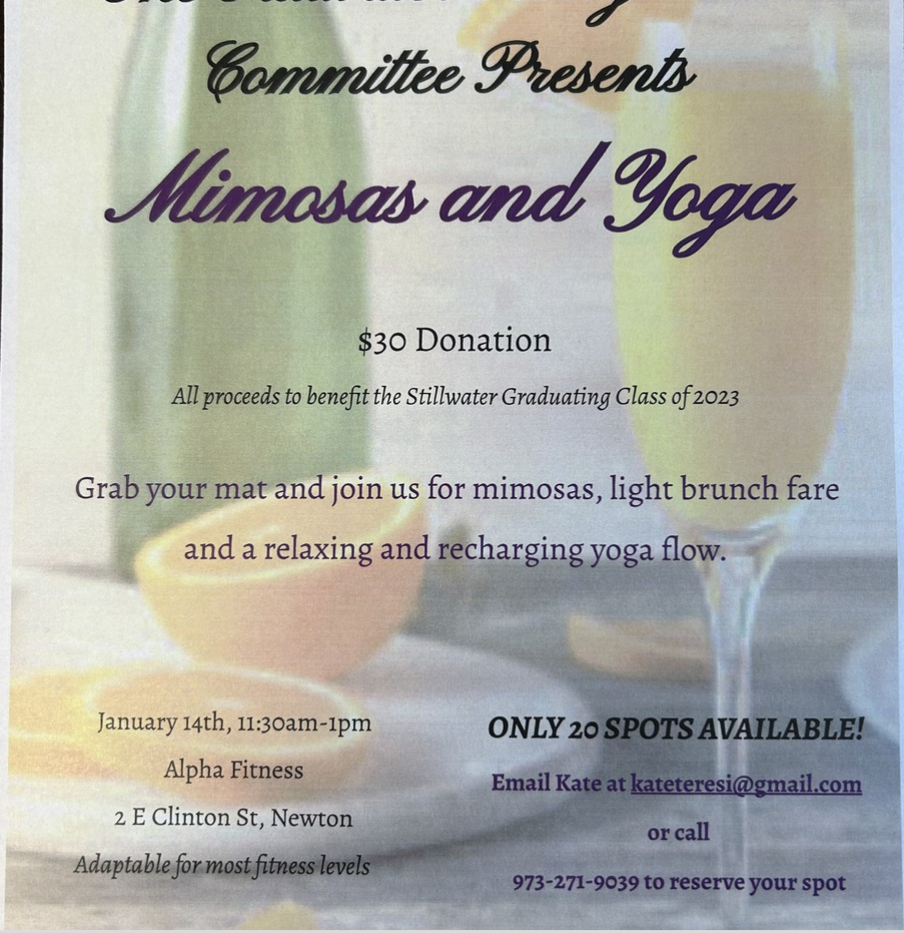
Monies raised from this Clothing Drive will support the Kittatinny Players, and all clothing/items will be donated to needy families in NJ by the organization collecting them.
Win-Win!



Items may be dropped off at the KRHS Auditorium from
January 14th - January 21st, 2023
Mondays-Fridays from 2:30-5:30pm & Saturdays from 8-11am
(Deadline is 9am Sharp on 1/21/23!)



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Committee Presents
Mimosas and Yoga

\$30 Donation

All proceeds to benefit the Stillwater Graduating Class of 2023

Grab your mat and join us for mimosas, light brunch fare
and a relaxing and recharging yoga flow.

January 14th, 11:30am-1pm

Alpha Fitness

2 E Clinton St, Newton

Adaptable for most fitness levels

ONLY 20 SPOTS AVAILABLE!

Email Kate at kateteresi@gmail.com

or call

973-271-9039 to reserve your spot

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SAVE THE DATE

a Night Under the Stars

*All proceeds to benefit The Kittatinny Players
and the KRHS Theater Program*

Messages from Heaven with Catherine McCall

PSYCHIC MEDIUM

Live Music • Silent Auction

MAY 16, 2023 • 6 -9 PM

PRICE PER TICKET \$75
choice of entrée | chicken • fish • pasta
attire | dressy casual

ANDRE'S LAKESIDE DINING

112 TOMAHAWK TRAIL • SPARTA, NJ
outside under the tents • BYOB

Purchase tickets at www.TheKPBC.org

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